Inside: why SD61 is right for you!

## Advance Your Teaching Career in Beautiful Victoria, BC

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#### **Educate**



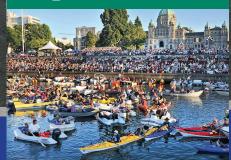
**SD61 Kindergarten Class** 

#### **Explore**



**Hiking Mount Douglas (PKOLS)** 

#### Experience



Symphony Splash, Inner Harbour

The Greater Victoria School District No. 61 (SD61) wishes to recognize and acknowledge the Esquimalt and Songhees Nations, on whose traditional territories, we live, we learn, and we do our work.



# **UOU** can join us as a French Immersion teacher!



#### Diverse Educational Settings

French Immersion (FRIM) is offered at 18 dual-track schools, spanning all education levels: nine elementary, five middle, and four secondary schools.

#### Student Engagement

4,000 students, out of the district's 20,000, are enrolled in early and late FRIM programs, highlighting its popularity and relevance.

#### Professional Growth

Access to dedicated FRIM district support, mentorship, and ongoing professional development opportunities for educators.



#### Flexible Opportunities

Many options for educators, including opportunities to teach on-call or apply for temporary/continuing FRIM contracts, offering flexibility in career choices.

#### Francophone Culture

Benefit from a strong local Francophone cultural infrastructure, providing unique avenues for student engagement and cultural immersion.

#### Local Connections

Engage students in Indigenous ways of knowing and being, fostering a rich and inclusive learning environment.

#### Collaborative Environment

Strong culture of learning with supportive colleagues, enhancing your teaching experience.

#### **About the Greater Victoria School District**

We provide outstanding public education to over 20,000 students and employ over 3,000 staff members within the Greater Victoria Area (Esquimalt, Oak Bay, Victoria, View Royal, and a portion of Saanich and the Highlands).

The district spans approximately 50 sites including 28 elementary schools (grades K-5), 10 middle schools (grades 6-8), and 7 secondary schools (grades 9-12), as well as continuing studies and alternative education sites.

### Requirements to Teach Within the Greater Victoria School District

- Have a valid unrestricted teaching certificate from another Canadian province or territory.
- Meet the BC standards for fitness to teach as well as language proficiency requirements.
- Submit an application, the cost of which is \$245 for Canadian Universities and \$395 for those outside of Canada. Processing can take a few weeks.





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#### **Pay Scales**

Step	Category 4	Category 5	Category 5+	Category 6
1	\$61,901	\$67,776	\$72,950	\$74,767
2	\$64,656	\$70,886	\$76,302	\$78,205
3	\$67,412	\$73,995	\$79,655	\$81,642
4	\$70,168	\$77,106	\$83,007	\$85,078
5	\$72,923	\$80,215	\$86,358	\$88,516
6	\$75,678	\$83,326	\$89,710	\$91,953
7	\$78,434	\$86,435	\$93,062	\$95,390
8	\$81,190	\$89,545	\$96,413	\$98,826
9	\$83,947	\$92,654	\$99,766	\$102,262
10	\$90,073	\$99,972	\$107,254	\$109,812



### Why should you choose Victoria?

- Mild climate allows for year-round activities including biking, hiking, water sports, and golfing.
- Urban centre amenities with the feeling of a small community (everything is never more than 30 minutes away by car, transit, or bike).
- Vibrant community with many galleries, music festivals, public gardens, heritage buildings, and an impressive array of culturally diverse restaurants.
- Supportive French community with a Frenchlanguage and culture hub offered by the Victoria Francophone Society.

Just a few of the many beautiful sights in our city!



### **Application Requirements** and How to Apply

All applicants applying for Teachers Teaching on Call within the Greater Victoria School District are encouraged to apply electronically via email to Teaching Jobs@sd61.bc.ca and indicate that you are French Immersion qualified in the subject line.

Please ensure to attach the following documentation in one PDF document:

- Cover letter (address to District Principal, **Human Resources**)
- Resume
- Two letters of professional reference
- Teacher Evaluation Reports and/or Student **Practicum Reports**
- Official University Transcripts
- BC Ministry of Education Certificate of Qualification
- Teacher Qualification Service (TQS) Category Card. For information, please contact TQS at 1.604.736.5484.

Scan for more information on how to apply!







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