| Agency | Department of Education | Work unit | Nganmarriyanga School |
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| Job title | Senior Teacher | Designation | Senior Teacher 1 |
| Job type | Full Time | Duration | Fixed to 28/01/2022 |
| Salary | $122,220 | Location | Palumpa – Nganmarriyanga |
| Position number | 34888 | RTF | 204814 | Closing | 26/01/2021 |
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| About the agency  | [www.education.nt.gov.au](http://www.education.nt.gov.au)  |
| Apply online  | <https://jobs.nt.gov.au/Home/JobDetails?rtfId=204814>  |
| Information for applicantsApplications must be limited to a one-page summary sheet and detailed resume. The NTPS values diversity and aims for a workforce that represents the community. The NTPS encourages people from all diversity groups to apply for vacancies. For more information about applying for this position and the merit process, go to the [OCPE website](https://ocpe.nt.gov.au/employment-conditions-appeals-grievances/applying-for-and-filling-jobs/information-for-applicants).Under the agency’s Special Measures Recruitment Plan eligible Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander (Aboriginal) applicants will be granted priority consideration for this vacancy. For more information on Special Measures, go to the [OCPE website](https://ocpe.nt.gov.au/employment-conditions-appeals-grievances/special-measures). |

# Primary objective:

The Senior Teacher works collaboratively and positively with the Principal and school staff to implement curriculum, wellbeing and educational programs that optimise learning and engagement of all students.

# Context statement:

Nganmarriyanga School is located on Palumpa Station, 375km southwest of Darwin. Nganmarriyanga School caters for students from Birth (Families as First Teachers Program) to Employment Pathways and has an approximate enrolment of 160 students. The school priorities are attendance, student achievement in numeracy and literacy and preparing students for appropriate employment pathways. Delivery of Read, Write, Inc Literacy and embedding The Literacy and Numeracy Essentials (LANE) Mathematics will be a focus in 2021.

# Key duties and responsibilities:

1. Oversee the development and implementation of an effective learning community through leadership and high expectations of all staff and build inclusive, positive relationships with parents and students to maximise student outcomes.
2. Lead staff to work towards best practice in teaching, learning and assessment by working collaboratively, analysing data and constructive problem solving as well as using the tools of coaching, mentoring and professional development.
3. Lead, coordinate and facilitate the implementation of Read, Write, Inc systemic requirements and Nganmarriyanga initiatives, specifically Read, Write, Inc Literacy Program and embedding Schoolwide Positive Behaviour strategies.
4. Participate in the formulation and review of school policies, procedures and school improvement planning.
5. Undertake an appropriate teaching load.

# Selection criteria:

# Essential:

1. Proven ability to lead and work collaboratively with staff to achieve high quality educational outcomes for students.
2. Proven ability to work within a cross cultural school environment in a remote setting, interact effectively with people of diverse cultures and successfully develop effective partnerships with parents and the community.
3. Proven ability to build the capacity of self and others through high level coaching and/or mentoring around curriculum, pedagogy, assessment and the use of student data to inform teaching and learning.
4. Demonstrated knowledge of EAL/D pedagogy, and the qualifications, experience and potential to work effectively with in this school’s specific context.
5. Demonstrated ability to understand contemporary educational research relating to school improvement, in particular School Wide Positive Behaviour.

# Desirable:

1. Experience teaching/leading Read, Write, Inc.

# Further information:

Successful applicants must be registered with the Northern Territory Teacher Registration Board and have a current Working with Children Clearance notice (Ochre Card) or have the ability to gain promptly.

**Approved: 2021 Jane McQueen, Senior Director School Improvement and Leadership Top End Remote Schools**