



Indigenous Classroom Assistant Diploma Program



In partnership with Nipissing University, OSHKI-WENJACK's special blended delivery method allows you to stay in your home community for the majority of the program. You will have two semesters in your home community and attend classes in Thunder Bay once each summer (5-6 weeks).

The Indigenous Classroom Assistant Diploma Program will prepare you for a career in Indigenous schools in northern communities. When you complete the program you will be qualified to work, under the professional direction of the classroom teacher and school principal, as a classroom assistant with primary school children.

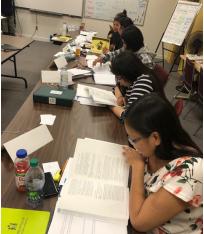
Admission:

Ontario High School Diploma with Grade 12 English (ENG4C or ENG4U) or Mature Student Test (19 years +).

Candidates without Grade 12 can be admitted if they are 21 years or older and have been out of school for two years or more.

Note: Low enrollment may result in cancellation of this program





4 Semesters:

- 2 summer semesters
- 2 semesters in home community
- Field placement

Requirements:

 Vulnerable sector criminal reference check

For further information contact:

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Community Liaison & Recruitment Officer

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Course Name Hours	
First Semester	
EDUC 1023Introduction to Literacy Strategies.80EDUC 1034Introduction to Canadian Indigenous Studies.30EDUC 1043Child Development.30EDUC 1063Information Technology in Classrooms.30EDUC 1124Introduction to Numeracy Strategies.30EDUC 2012Working with Indigenous Children with Special Needs I.30	
Total Hours: 230	
Second Semester	
EDUC 1010 ACADP Practicum I	
Third Semester	
EDUC 2023 Literacy Strategies II.30EDUC 2033 Healthy Active Living Strategies for Indigenous Students30EDUC 2034 Indigenous Children's Health and Wellbeing30EDUC 2043 Language Arts Strategies30EDUC 2124 Numeracy Strategies II.30EDUC 3012 Working with Children with Special Needs II.30	
Total Hours: 180	
Fourth Semester	
EDUC 2020 ACADP Practicum II	



Mission Statement

To achieve excellence as a leader in the innovative design and delivery of quality postsecondary and training programs which meet the holistic educational needs of Nishnawbe Aski Nation and other learners in a safe, inclusive, supportive and culturally enriched learning environment.

The OSHKI-WENJACK campus is located in Thunder Bay, Ontario. The campus includes a cultural room, kitchen amenities, a computer lab and a student lounge. It is centrally located in the downtown south core Fort William Business District, close to bus transportation and is accessible to people with disabilities.

