

Senior Leader, Community Engagement

Department of Education

Employment Status: Full-time temporary appointment up to 29 December 2023

Location: Lethbridge Park Public School

Classification: Clerk Grade 7/8

About Lethbridge Park Public School

Lethbridge Park Public School is located in Western Sydney and has an enrolment of 472 students and has an onsite preschool, 17 mainstream classes and 5 support classes. Lethbridge Park Public School has a committed and enthusiastic staff with a range of early career and experienced teachers. The school has a supportive community and has participated in Early Action for Success, embedding data informed systems that inform explicit, inclusive teaching programs. All staff are committed to providing personalised learning experiences focused on improving literacy and numeracy outcomes through the provision of high quality teaching supported by targeted professional learning. The school is focused on working in collaboration with the whole school community to create a culture of high expectations and continuous learning for all. LPPS is a Connected Communities School. The school will work in partnership with the local Aboriginal Education Consultative Group and the local community to achieve the key accountabilities of the role. Find more information about the [Connected Communities Strategy](#)

The school website is lethbridpk-p.schools.nsw.gov.au

About the role

The Senior Leader will work in partnership with the local Aboriginal Education Consultative Group and the local community to achieve the key accountabilities of the role. The position will also work in collaboration with schools implementing the Connected Communities strategy.

The position supports the implementation of strategic initiatives and programs, and provides a communication conduit between the school, Aboriginal families, local agencies and the community.

Notes: This is an **Aboriginal identified role**. When applying for an Aboriginal identified position, applicants must provide confirmation of Aboriginality and a certified statutory declaration upon interview as defined in the [NSW Department of Education Confirmation of Aboriginality Guidelines](#)

How to apply

To apply, you will need to attach a:

- Cover letter (max. 2 pages)
- Updated resume (max. 5 pages) in either Word or PDF format

Please address any pre-screening questions and any essential requirements. We are looking for you to demonstrate your competence in the focus capabilities as outlined in the [role description](#) in your answer, so please develop your response with this in mind.

Note: the selection process will include a range of assessment techniques to assist in determining your suitability for the role.

This is a child-related role. Applicants must currently hold a working [not volunteer status] Working with Children Check (WWCC) Clearance number as a condition of employment. For more information, visit [working-with-children-check](#) as through experience we have had many delays in waiting for WWCC to be approved and do not want to delay this position any further.

Pre-Screening Questions (300 words maximum)

1. Describe how your knowledge, experience and links with the Lethbridge Park and boarder community could support the needs of the students, teachers and families of Lethbridge Park Public School.
2. As this role is a leadership position within a school, briefly explain what leadership means to you and how you would go about your first 30 days in the role as Senior Leader Community Engagement.

Essential Requirements

- Aboriginality
- Working with Children Check
- Knowledge of and commitment to the Department's Aboriginal education policies (Please find [Aboriginal education policies](#))

From 8 November 2021 all Department of Education employees undertaking [relevant work](#), including any work conducted on a NSW school site, will be required to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19. The successful candidate for this position will be required to confirm full vaccination status prior to the Department of Education finalising the appointment of the candidate and entry on duty. Further information on the Department's COVID-19 response is available at education.nsw.gov.au/covid-19

Closing Date: 25 May 2022 at 11.59pm

For all enquiries please contact Garry Sheen on (02) 9628 6655 or by email to garry.sheen@det.nsw.edu.au

To apply online please visit iworkfor.nsw.gov.au website and refer to the following keyword: [0008WXH](#)