

Education Officer | Technology Enabled Learning

Ministry of Education Organization	Ministry of Education, Ontario Public Service
Division:	Student Achievement Division
Position Title:	Education Officer
Number of Positions:	4
Job Term:	3 Year Secondment
Location:	Toronto Region – 315 Front Street, 13 th Floor Toronto, Ontario, M7A 0B8
Compensation Group:	Association of Management, Administrative and Professional Crown Employees of Ontario (AMAPCEO)
Salary:	\$77,146 - \$133,183 per year
Posting Status:	Open Targeted

Note: Effective April 1, 2024 the salary range for this position is \$82,217 to \$141,937 per year in compliance with the AMAPCEO collective agreement provisions. The new rates, effective retroactive to April 1, 2024, were recently confirmed and dates for implementation of the new salary rates are still to be determined.

Posting Date: April 30, 2024
Closing Date: May 14, 2024

Are you a high-performing educator with excellent technology enabled learning experience? Technology Enabled Learning Ontario (TELO) is looking for an education professional to support ministry online learning initiatives and provide support to the education sector. If you're interested in helping to shape the future of education in Ontario consider joining our highly motivated team located in the Digital and Online Learning Branch in the Student Achievement Division.

We are seeking individuals with the following:

- Experience in developing and implementing innovative approaches to technology enabled learning in the classroom.
- Advanced Virtual Learning Environment skills.
- Strong knowledge of innovative thinking on the effective use of technology in pedagogical practice to improve student achievement and well-being.
- Strong understanding of online learning (“eLearning”) at school board program level.

- Excellent understanding of digital learning pedagogy (e.g., online learning, remote learning, and blended learning) in the classroom.
- Demonstrated ability to develop and deliver capacity building and professional learning.
- Excellent understanding of and extensive experience with the Ontario publicly funded education system.
- Understanding of ministry priorities and policy, including curriculum and related policy (e.g., Growing Success).
- Successful classroom teaching experience.
- Demonstrated ability to manage multiple, complex and sensitive issues with tact and diplomacy within demanding timelines.
- Demonstrated ability to think strategically, anticipate and absorb complex and large-scale issues and to develop practical and effective policy positions.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills.
- Excellent relationship building skills in a collaborative professional learning environment.

What can I expect to do in this role?

- Collaborate with other ministry Education Officers to develop and deliver a program of provincial and regional professional development and training.
- Research, design, develop and promote innovative practices in technology enabled learning. Areas of innovation could include: math, artificial intelligence (AI), and system leadership.
- Support school board implementation of Ontario's Virtual Learning Environment (VLE) by providing virtual assistance and guidance to Technology Enabled Learning and Teaching Contacts (TELT Contacts), IT (Information Technology) personnel, virtual school principals and other school board professionals engaged in online learning, remote learning, blended learning, and using digital technology in the classroom.
- Develop and deliver professional learning for educators.
- Foster strong and effective partnerships with education sector partners and stakeholders to promote the advancement of online learning.
- Develop/review resources to support effective technology enabled pedagogical practice.
- Review online learning courses and elementary course packs.
- Support other sector users in the VLE (Faculties of Education, Provincial Schools, School Authorities, First Nations communities, etc.).
- Develop analysis and advice to support ministry strategic policy development and implementation.

OPS Commitment to Diversity, Inclusion, Accessibility, and Anti-Racism:

We are committed to build a workforce that reflects the communities we serve and to promote a diverse, anti-racist, inclusive, accessible, merit-based, respectful and

equitable workplace.

We invite all interested individuals to apply and encourage applications from people with disabilities, Indigenous, Black, and racialized individuals, as well as people from a diversity of ethnic and cultural origins, sexual orientations, gender identities and expressions.

Visit the [OPS Anti-Racism Policy](#) and the [OPS Diversity and Inclusion Blueprint](#) pages to learn more about the OPS commitment to advance racial equity, accessibility, diversity, and inclusion in the public service.

We offer employment accommodation across the recruitment process and all aspects of employment consistent with the requirements of Ontario's [Human Rights Code](#).

HOW TO APPLY:

Please send your cover letter and resume to Teaj Araich at Teaj.Araich@ontario.ca by the closing date.

If you require an accommodation under the [Ontario Human Rights Code](#) in order to participate in the recruitment process, please contact Teaj Araich at Teaj.Araich@ontario.ca.

Please note that to qualify for a Broader Public Service secondee, that a successful candidate must be a full-time, permanent employee of a Broader Public Service organization.

In addition, please note that commuting, moving and relocation expenses will not be covered by the Ministry. The successful candidates will continue to be covered by the benefit plans and pension plan of their home board/organization, with the Ministry covering the employer costs of maintaining such coverage.

Remember:

The deadline to apply is **May 14, 2024 at 11:59 pm**. Late applications will not be accepted.

We thank you for your interest. Only those selected for further screening or an interview will be contacted.