

**NAVAJO NATION  
DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT  
JOB VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT**

REQUISITION NO: DODE74913722

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POSITION TITLE: Head Start Bus Driver (S)

DEPARTMENT NAME / WORKSITE: DODE/Navajo Head Start - Fort Defiance, AZ

REGULAR FULL TIME:	<input type="checkbox"/>	GRADE/STEP:	<u>AG59A</u>
WORK DAYS: <u>Mon-Fri</u>	PART TIME:	NO. OF HOURS/WEEK:	<u>19,950.40</u> PER ANNUM
WORK HOURS: <u>40 hrs./week</u>	SEASONAL:	DURATION:	<u>13.48</u> PER HOUR
	TEMPORARY:		

**DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:**

According to appropriate policies, rule, and regulations, the Head Start Bus Driver transports, picks-up, drops-off Head Start children to their destination within scheduled time; the Driver completes required bus maintenance, preventive, safety and children to their destination within scheduled time; the Driver completes required bus maintenance, preventive, safety and operation measures and inspections; works closely with Head Start Center staff to ensure a Child-Safe environment, proactively engages in educational/classroom/transportation functions to maintain discipline, comfort, security, protection of small children, reports delays, accidents, or incidents and other concerns regarding child health, behavior, emotion, and physical well-being. works with small children to promote happiness, wellness, learning, discovering, adapting, harmony, etc...Physically children in safety precautionary measures: safety seats, evacuation drills, bus transportation and order, prevention of all injuries, accidents, abuse, abandonment, and neglect; oversees, trains, and teach parents on bus safety. Classroom assistance: prepares materials/supplies for activities, meal preparation, cleans/sanitizes classroom, kitchen, bathrooms, Head Start recruitment, Parent/staff Conference/training; performs related and other work assigned.

**QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS: (Education, Experience and Training)**

**Minimum Qualifications:**

- A high school diploma/GED.

**Special Requirements:**

- A favorable background investigation is required.
- Possess a valid Commercial Driver's License with passenger and school bus endorsement (P & S).
- Must pass a physical examination with tuberculosis (TB) clearance prior to date of hire.

***(To receive full credit for education, certification, or licensure, transcripts, copies of degrees, certificates, and other appropriate documents must be submitted along with employment application.)***

**Special Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:**

Knowledge of early childhood development/education; knowledge of laws, regulations, and tribal policies on child care; knowledge of the Navajo culture and traditions. Ability to nurture, motivate, teach, and influence children three to five years of age children; ability to display mature patience and understanding; ability to work extended and flexible work hours; ability to understand and communicate in the Navajo and English language.

***Incumbent must abide by program standards of conduct.***

**SENSITIVE POSITION**

**THE NAVAJO NATION GIVES PREFERENCE TO ELIGIBLE AND QUALIFIED APPLICANTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE NAVAJO PREFERENCE IN EMPLOYMENT ACT AND VETERANS' PREFERENCE.**