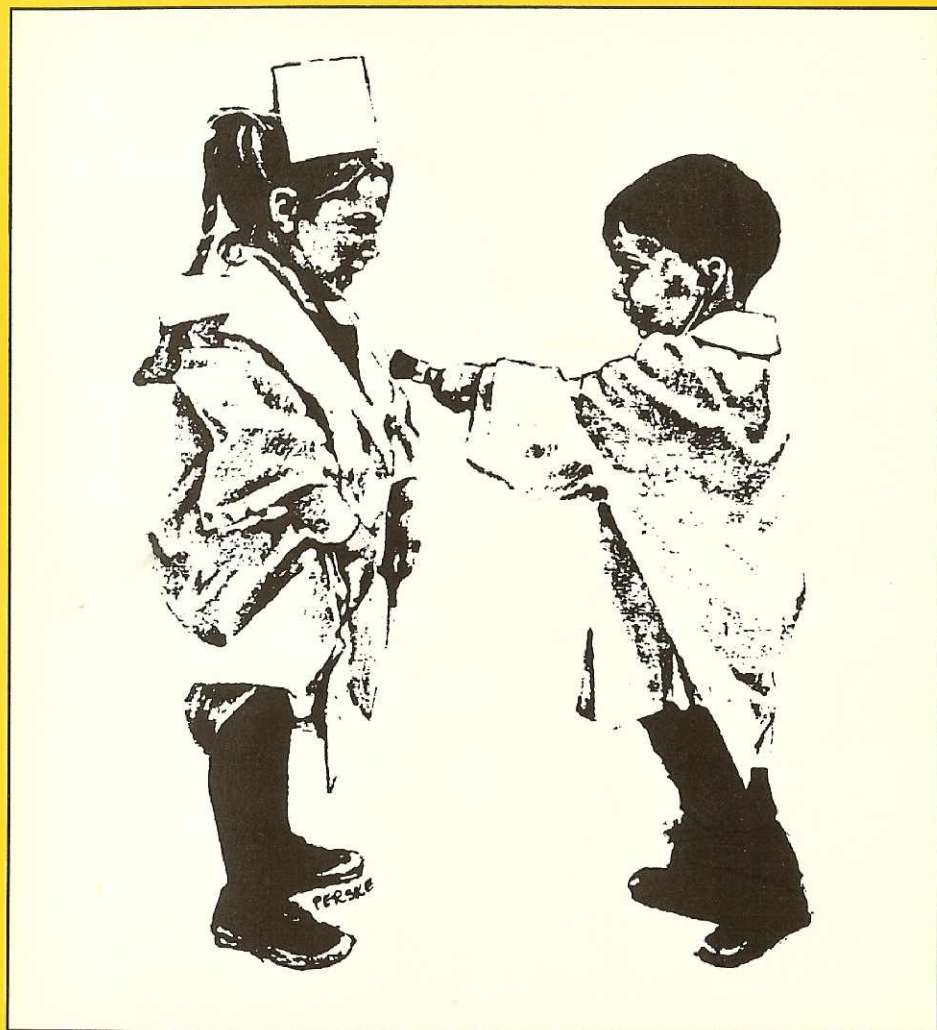


CAREER CANDIDATES '86



Early Childhood Development

GABRIEL DUMONT INSTITUTE
OF NATIVE STUDIES AND APPLIED RESEARCH

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The Gabriel Dumont Institute

The Gabriel Dumont Institute is the educational arm of the Association of Metis and Non-Status Indians of Saskatchewan. The Institute's mission is to promote the renewal and development of Native culture in order to insure that as many people as possible can take advantage of certified and accredited training by using a method of decentralized or local community-based outreach training.

The training centres deliver the same standard of instruction as the provincial technical institutes and universities. In this way students receive certified and accredited training that enables them to compete for jobs.

The programs are unique in that they offer classes in Native Studies and provide strong support services in counselling, tutoring and guidance. A supportive environment is fostered where students and teachers can work together when difficulties arise.

Students featured in this Career Candidates book have taken the 2-year Gabriel Dumont Institute Early Childhood Development Program in either Saskatoon or Buffalo Narrows. The course is certified by Kelsey Institute.

Over the past two years these students have worked extremely hard in order to obtain their diploma in Early Childhood Development. They will make valuable employees and be assets to the expanding field of Early Childhood programs in this province.

The staff of the Gabriel Dumont Institute wish them all the best as they pursue careers in this field.



Christopher LaFontaine
Executive Director



Vicky Aubichon

Career Interests:

- Teaching children in the school system, working toward a Bachelor of Education degree

Education:

- Diploma—Early Childhood Development, Gabriel Dumont Institute, May 1986

Practicum Experience:

- Sakitwak Day Care, Ile a la Crosse
- St. Joseph's Hospital, Ile a la Crosse
- Rossignol School, Ile a la Crosse, Kindergarten Program
- Ile a la Crosse Children's After School Activity Program

Employment Experience:

- Secretary; supervision and responsibility for other employees, filing, payroll, typing, bookkeeping

Additional Information:

- I enjoy working in the school with young children, particularly in creating a safe and comfortable environment in which they can learn

Personal Information:

- I enjoy canoeing, travelling and reading



Jacqueline Bouvier

Career Interests:

- Working with special needs children in the school system

Education:

- Diploma—Early Childhood Development, Gabriel Dumont Institute, May 1986
- Grade 12—Holy Cross High School
- Mental Health Worker—Vancouver City College
- Drama Summer School—Toronto, Ontario

Practicum Experience:

- Special Needs Class—Lester B. Pearson School
- Three Childcare settings: Daycare Centre; Nursery School; Daycare Home

Employment Experience:

- Stantcona Community Mental Health Team
- Mental Health Worker, Vancouver, B.C.
- Family Worker, Saskatoon Friendship Centre

Additional Information:

- One year study of Special Needs Children
- Involved in Drama for some time
- Active in Parents of Learning Disabled Children Association

Personal Information:

- Single parent with one child
- Age 33
- Speak Cree and English fluently



Marlene C. Brisebois

Career Interests:

- Working with children in any preschool, school or day care setting

Education:

- Diploma—Early Childhood Development, Gabriel Dumont Institute, May 1986
- Grade 12—Nutana Community College, Saskatoon

Practicum Experiences:

- Special Needs Class—Greystone Heights School
- Three day care centres
- Tinkerbelle Nursery School
- Private day care home

Additional Information:

- One year study—Special Needs children 1985-86
- Organized afterschool program at the Indian and Metis Friendship Centre

Personal Information:

- Married, one child
- Enjoy music, dancing, outdoor sports, camping, indoor activities, singing, swimming, and working with children.



Claudette Corrigan

Career interests:

- Working with children in any setting

Education:

- Diploma—Early Childhood Development, Gabriel Dumont Institute, May 1986
- Grade 12—Bedford Road Collegiate, Saskatoon

Practicum Experience:

- Administration—Cosmo Day Care
- Three Childcare settings: Daycare centre; Nursery School; Daycare home

Employment Experience:

- Sakitawik Daycare—Ile a la Crosse

Additional Information:

- Plan on furthering career in teaching or social work
- One year study—Special Needs 1985-86

Personal Information:

- Single parent of three children
- I enjoy outdoor summer activities



Nora Corrigan

Career Interests:

- Dedicated to work with all age groups, infants, toddlers, teens and elderly

Education:

- Diploma—Early Childhood Development, Gabriel Dumont Institute, May 1986
- SUNTEP, University of Saskatchewan 1981-82
- Rossignol High School, Grade 12, 1980

Practicum Experience:

- Green Lake Daycare, Green Lake
- St. Joseph's Hospital, Ile a la Crosse
- Ile a la Crosse Daycare, Ile a la Crosse
- Ile a la Crosse School
- Ile a la Crosse Recreation Program

Employment Experience:

- Ile a la Crosse Library
- Ile a la Crosse Drama Club
- Waitress
- Ile a la Crosse School, One year substitute teacher

Additional Information:

- Languages: Cree and English
- Practicing Roman Catholic

Personal Information:

- Interests: Nature lover, easy going



Gail Horvath

Career Interests:

- Working with Special Needs children in the school system

Education:

- Diploma—Early Childhood Development, Gabriel Dumont Institute, May 1986

Practicum Experience

- Special Needs—John Dolan School
- Three child care settings: Day care centre; Nursery school; Day care home

Employment Experience:

- Property Manager—Sask. Native Rentals Inc.
- Tenant Counsellor—Sask. Native Rentals Inc.
- Secretary/Receptionist—Metis Housing Group
- Bookkeeper—Metis Housing Group

Additional Information:

- One year study of Special Needs children 1985-86
- Classes in Reality Therapy



Kathy G. Jolibois

Career Interests:

- Daycare Director; teaching; to work with the elderly and youth

Education:

- Diploma—Early Childhood Development, Gabriel Dumont Institute, May 1986
- Dene High School, La Loche, Grade 12, 1984

Practicum Experience:

- La Loche Daycare, La Loche
- Buffalo Narrows Daycare, Buffalo Narrows
- Family Day Home, Saskatoon
- Spadina Daycare, Saskatoon
- Grosvenor Park Nursery School, Saskatoon

Employment Experience:

- Radio Station Announcer, La Loche Summer Employment 1984,
Responsibilities: interviewing and gathering information for community announcements
- Hudson's Bay Company, La Loche, Summer Employment 1983,
Responsibilities: Clerk/Cashier, Inventory

Additional Information:

- Languages: Chipweyan, English
- C.P.R. Certificate 1986

Personal Information

- Interests: reading, dancing, music, cooking, volleyball, social events



Florence Kenny

Career Interests:

- To work in a preschool setting specifically with Special Needs children

Education:

- Diploma—Early Childhood Development, Gabriel Dumont Institute, May 1986
- Human Resources Development Program (1 year) 1984
- Rossignol High School, Grade 10, Ile a la Crosse, 1981

Employment Experience:

- I have done extensive volunteer services for fund raising activities

Additional Information:

- Languages: Cree and English
- I have attended many conferences in the areas of education, childcare, culture, pre-trades and training workshops and childcare services

Personal Information:

- Interests: shopping, social events, cooking and travelling



Delores Kiezie

Career Interests:

- Child Protection Worker
- Special Needs Children
- Elderly

Education:

- Diploma—Early Childhood Development, Gabriel Dumont Institute, May 1986
- GED 12—1986

Practicum Experience:

- Early Childhood Intervention Program, Meadow Lake
- Buffalo Narrows Daycare, Buffalo Narrows
- Tiny Tot Daycare, Prince Albert

Employment Experience:

- Volunteer work in the Buffalo Narrows community
- Clerical procedures

Additional Information:

- Languages: Cree, English

Personal Information

- Interests: crochet, macrame, spending time outdoors, cooking



Laverne Laliberte

Career Interests:

- Working with Native children in any setting

Education:

- Diploma—Early Childhood Development, Gabriel Dumont Institute, May 1986

Practicum Experience:

- Special Needs—John Dolan School
- Three child care settings: Day care centre; Day care home; Nursery school

Additional Information:

- One year study—Special Needs children 1985-1986

Personal Information:

- Single parent of two children
- I enjoy all outdoor sports, dancing, music, travelling



Henrietta McCallum

Career Interests:

- Interested in working with Special Needs children, working in a Nursing Home

Education:

- Diploma—Early Childhood Development, Gabriel Dumont Institute, May 1986
- GED 12—1985
- Commercial Cooking Course 1983

Practicum Experience:

- Buffalo Narrows Daycare
- Early Childhood Intervention, Meadow Lake
- Meadow Lake Daycare
- Meadow Lake Union Hospital

Employment Experience:

- Buffalo Narrows Daycare Centre
- Cook—Buffalo Narrows

Additional Information:

- Languages: Cree and English

Personal Information:

- Interests: Bingo, listening to older people tell about their younger days, shuffle board



Lillian B. McLean

Career Interests:

- To administrate structured programs, group homes, daycare centres, or any social programs
- To work with the elderly or Special Needs children

Education:

- Diploma—Early Childhood Development, Gabriel Dumont Institute, May 1986
- GED 12—1985

Practicum Experience:

- Beauval Daycare Centre, Beauval
- Ile a la Crosse Daycare Centre
- Ile a la Crosse Hospital
- Ile a la Crosse Recreation Program
- Ile a la Crosse After School Program

Employment Experience:

- Bookkeeper, Ile a la Crosse L.C.A. January—June 1984
- Secretary, AMNSIS, Ile a la Crosse 1979—1981
- Ward Aid, St. Joseph's Hospital 1971—1976

Additional Information:

- Languages: Cree and English
- Deep interest to work with the Special Needs children



Edna Natamogan

Career Interests:

- Would like to further my education and get a degree in teaching.
- Working with Special Needs children in the school system

Education:

- Diploma—Early Childhood Development, Gabriel Dumont Institute, May 1986

Practicum Experience:

- R.J.D. Williams School for the Deaf—Special Needs
- Three child care settings in Day care centre; Day care home; Nursery school

Employment Experience:

- Program Co-ordinator, La Ronge Friendship Centre
- Day care worker
- Volunteer work with youth

Additional Information:

- One year study of Special Needs 1985—1986

Personal Information:

- Play guitar, beadwork, art, love working with children and elders

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Jennifer Pederson

Career Interests:

- Counselling youths, administration of child care centres

Education:

- Diploma—Early Childhood Development, Gabriel Dumont Institute, May 1986
- GED 12—1985

Practicum Experience:

- Meadow Lake Daycare Centre
- First Baptist Church Nursery, Saskatoon
- Family Day Home, Saskatoon
- Happy Times Nursery, Saskatoon

Employment Experience:

- Waitress and Bartender, Buffalo Narrows 1982-83
- Buffalo Motor Inn Cafe, Waitress 1983
- Mad Len's Dining Lounge, Waitress, Buffalo Narrows 1986

Additional Information:

- Languages: Cree and English

Personal Information:

- Interests: enjoy bowling, dancing, camping and swimming



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