



Rainy River First Nations

is seeking an energetic and reliable individual to join our team as a
Carpenter Assistant Intern

The Carpenter Assistant Intern will have the opportunity to learn about the Rainy River First Nations Housing and Infrastructure needs. This internship is a 35-week post working 35 hours per week that is funded by the Housing Internship Initiative for First Nations and Inuit Youth (HIIFNIY). The position has the potential to be extended. This position will report directly to the Public Works Manager.

The Successful candidate will be responsible for:

- Assisting and learning from our community carpenters and contractors that perform new builds, renovations and repairs throughout the RRFNs community.
- Assisting the Housing Manager and Housing Coordinator with other housing, operations and maintenance tasks when necessary.

Education and Experience:

- Minimum of Grade 12 Diploma or equivalent or in the process of obtaining;
- Understanding and appreciating the Rainy River First Nations as a community and values, teachings, norms and practices of Anishinaabe.

Necessary Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

- Knowledge of basic carpentry skills;
- Knowledge of basic plumbing, electrical, and mechanical procedures;
- Knowledge of Rainy River First Nations housing, operations, maintenance and community structure.
- Problem solving, team working and communication skills

What you need to know:

- Must have the ability and willingness to perform required physical tasks;
- Must be able to provide a current Criminal Reference Check, with Vulnerable Sector Screen satisfactory to the First Nations;
- Must adhere to the Rainy River First Nations Drug Testing Policy;
- A valid driver's license and access to a vehicle is an asset.

To be eligible for the Internship according to HIIFNIY criteria you must be:

- An Aboriginal youth between the ages of 15 to 30;
- Unemployed;
- Not receiving Employment Insurance benefits or if you agree, to discontinue the benefits before the start of the Internship.

Please apply through e-mail or in writing. This job posting is open until filled. Application must include a cover letter, current resume, two (2) employment references (from a current or recent supervisor is preferable) with permission to contact these references.

Please submit application to: Rainy River First Nations
P.O. Box 450
Emo, On P0W 1E0
Email: jobs@rrfns.com

If you require further information, please contact the Public Works office at 807.482.2479 ext. 253.

We thank all applicants. Only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

The Rainy River First Nation is an equal opportunity employer.

Accommodation is available for applicants with disabilities in the recruitment process upon request.