

MANITOULIN-NORTHSHORE INDIGENOUS TEACHER EDUCATION PROGRAM



CREDENTIAL: Bachelor of Education,
Queen's University

PROGRAM LENGTH: 2 years
(May 2024 - April 2026)

APPLICATION DEADLINE: December 1, 2023

PROGRAM OVERVIEW:

This community-based program is a partnership between Kenjgewin Teg and Queen's University. Graduates of this program will receive a Bachelor of Education degree with a focus in the Primary-Junior divisions (K-6). This teacher education program will provide candidates with an opportunity to specialize in Indigenous education with many courses being taught by Indigenous professors. ITEP fosters excellence and pride in Indigenous Education by empowering candidates to excel in their individual growth as teachers, learners, partners, and role models. Candidates will be placed on 18 weeks of experiential based practicum throughout their 2 years in the program in First Nations and/or Provincial school(s).

CAREER PATHS:

Graduates will be prepared to teach in First Nations and provincial schools at the Primary/Junior level and will have the skills and knowledge to be effective in meeting the current and future educational needs of their communities.

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ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

- Complete Online Indigenous Teacher Education Applicant Information Form (TEAS)
- A résumé
- Reference letters from two respected members of your Indigenous community
- Statement of Indigenous Experience (SAE)
- High school transcript showing completion of Ontario Secondary School Diploma* (for those without an undergraduate degree)
- Applicants admitted without an undergraduate degree must be of Indigenous ancestry and submit documentary proof of their ancestry as specified by the Ontario College of Teachers (OCT) when they apply for certification. It is the candidate's responsibility to check **Provides the opportunity for eligible candidates who self-identify as Indigenous and who are already teaching in a First Nation school setting to receive approval from the Faculty of Education to qualify for the Ontario College of Teachers (OCT) Transitional Certificate of Qualification and Registration (TCQR).*

For assistance with the application process, please contact the ITEP Central Office at their toll-free number at 1-800-862-6701 or via email at itep@queensu.ca

OR

Contact Teaching and Learning Programs Coordinator Nancy Kinoshameg at 1-888-KENJGEWIN ext. 222 or via email at NancyKinoshameg@kenjgewinteg.ca

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