



MESCALERO --Apache-- SCHOOL

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"Mescalero Chiefs"

VACANCY

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Cafeteria Custodian

Responsibilities:

- Maintains cleanliness of facilities
- Shampoo carpets
- Mop, Sweep, Strip & Vacuum Floors
- Clean Restrooms
- Shovel Snow
- Paint
- Assist in Culture Week and the annual feast (grounds men) which may require long hours
- Winter hours - may be required to come in early and/or stay late, depending on situation
- Duties/assignments may change to meet the needs of the school due to unforeseen circumstances
- Performs other tasks as assigned by the Supervisor

Key Relationships:

- Position reports to the Cafeteria Manager.
- Occasionally, will interact with the principals, staff members and students

Minimum Qualifications:

- Minimum of a high school diploma or GED is preferred. If the individual does not have a high school diploma or GED, an assessment may be given.
- Prefer that individual has had previous experience working in the capacity.
- Must be able to interact well with others.
- Must be punctual.
- Must be able to lift at least 50 pounds.
- Must be able to follow directions.
- Must have reliable transportation.
- Must be flexible and willing work in other areas and times.
- Knowledge of the Mescalero Apache people and their culture.
- Must be able to pass a background check prior to employment.
- Will be required to pass drug test upon employment, then randomly selected.
- Must be able to follow all school policies and procedures.
- Within the scope of Indian preference, all candidates will receive consideration without regard to race, color, sex, national origin or other non-merit factors.

Working Conditions:

- Work is accomplished within a school environment.
- Confidentiality of various issues or situations are to be maintained and requires individual to abide by such conditions.
- Often required long periods of standing and heavy lifting.

Term of Employment and Salary:

- Twelve-month contract

Salary:

- Placement on approved salary schedule – determined by years of experience and education/trainings.

Applications will be accepted until 3:30 p.m. Monday November 3, 2025.

- ALL positions require background checks and clearance from any criminal charges prior to employment.
- Note: any felonious or any of two (2) or more misdemeanor convictions will disqualify applicant from employment.
- All positions require initial drug testing upon hire, then random monthly drug testing.
- Selection for employment will be based on the Mescalero Apache Tribal Ordinance 06-02.

Applications available at the MAS Administration or on our website: maschiefs.org

Applications can be returned by mail, fax to 575-464-0053 or emailed: lindsey.pellman@mescalero.org