

## *Sidewalk Smarts Instructor*

The **Sidewalk Smarts Instructor** is responsible for delivering pedestrian skills training program modules to grade 3-4 students in some Waterloo region schools during the school day. This is a Student Transportation Services of Waterloo Region program developed by a collective including:

Canadian Cancer Society's Walking School Bus Program  
Cycling Into the Future  
Region of Waterloo Public Health and Emergency Services  
Region of Waterloo Road Safety Education Program  
Student Transportation Services of Waterloo Region - School Travel Planning  
Waterloo Regional Block Parent Program  
Waterloo Region Children's Safety Village

### **Nature & Scope:**

Sessions will run between November-March each year. The **Sidewalk Smarts Instructor** works with a team and will be responsible for delivering one module and leading one outdoor walking session per class, at up to 24 schools during that time. The **Sidewalk Smarts Instructor** will report to STSWR, under the supervision of the Sidewalk Smarts Lead Instructor.

### **Responsibilities:**

- Undergo training with Student Transportation Services of Waterloo Region to learn instructional techniques and road safety curriculum.
- Work with a team and use specialist manuals and materials to deliver pedestrian skill training modules to grades 3-4 students during the school day and in a classroom setting.
- Use specialist maps and manuals and wear PPE (traffic vest, whistle) to lead a small group (up to 10 students) for roadside training on streets near schools. Roadside sessions will be supported by 1 school personnel per small group.
- Provide site support including set up of indoor instruction program areas.

### **Qualifications:**

- Experience and appreciation of walking in urban environments
- Champion of children's independent mobility and the right to walk to school
- Previous experience working with groups of children
- Current vulnerable sector screening from Waterloo Regional Police Services is a condition of employment
- Minimum certifications in Standard First Aid with CPR C

Please forward your resume and a letter telling us why you are interested in this role by **October 15** to:

**Leslie Maxwell, School Travel Planning Supervisor**  
**Student Transportation Services of Waterloo Region**

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**Only those candidates selected for an interview will be notified**