

TO: ALL 3RD AND 4TH YEAR STUDENT TEACHERS

Are you
looking for...

...community connections?
...a support network?
...career opportunities?
...a unique and exciting experience?

If you want to make a real difference for students, a rural practicum might be right for you!

Experience Alberta in a different and exciting way with the **Rural Practicum Program**. This program is for University of Alberta student teachers to do their Advanced Professional Term in a rural school authority. This program provides you with:

Financial Support

\$2,000 is available per student teacher to help with the costs of accommodation, moving and transportation. \$4,000 is available for student teachers who do their practicum in Fort Chipewyan.

Community Connections

Partnering school authorities will help you find a place to live and match you up with a mentor teacher. This mentor teacher will coordinate activities to help you get to know the community. School authorities organize a welcome orientation and help you build relationships and make connections.

A Support Network

You will be in a cohort with up to 3 other student teachers. You will be able to share your thoughts, experiences and concerns with your cohort at meetings with a university facilitator.

Academic Support

University of Alberta staff will also support your transition. Want to talk to someone? Just send an e-mail or make a call.

Career Opportunities

Prospective teachers are more likely to be hired full-time following a rural field placement.

Get Connected!

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