



Youth Worker (Canada Summer Jobs)

Date Posted: May 5, 2022

Competition Number: 020-22/23

Locations: Kelowna, BC (Downtown Youth Centre)

We can provide:

- Many opportunities for professional development
- Fun, positive work environment

Key Duties and Responsibilities:

- Assist in the development, implementation and evaluation of youth engagement programming including, but not limited to peer support, volunteering, leadership within the club, implementation and facilitation of programming in-person and virtually, modeling positive participation, skill development, feedback and advocacy.
- Ensure programming is challenging, fun and supports skill development for youth. Ensure programming is strengths-focused and meets the needs of current participants.
- Ensuring that all programs fulfill our Agency Mission – helping youth to learn the skills, knowledge and values they seek to become successful in life.
- Foster growth of self-esteem and self-concept in an environment that is welcoming and supportive.
- Supervise and interact with youth in a positive and supportive manner to ensure a safe and supportive environment for youth.
- Work closely with youth, developing relationships and provide positive encouragement and direction.
- Understand and adhere to Agency policies and procedures.

Qualifications:

- Be between the ages of 15 and 30 years of age at the start of the employment.
- Be a Canadian citizen, a permanent resident, or person to whom refugee protection has been conferred under the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act.
- Have a valid social insurance number at the start of employment and be legally entitled to work in Canada in accordance with relevant provincial and territorial legislation and regulations.
- Successful completion of Agency screening process, including criminal record check

Hours: 30 hours per week for 8 weeks

Rate of Pay: \$15.91 per hour

Closing Date: Open until filled

Application Process:

Please apply in writing with a cover letter and resume to:

E-mail: jobs@bgco.ca

As an equal opportunity employer, BGC Okanagan is committed to the prioritization of equitable and inclusive employment practices. Our goal is to be representative of the communities we serve, and we encourage applications from communities which are structurally marginalized based on race, disability, age, sex, religion, sexual orientation, nationality, social or ethnic origin, gender identity and/or expression. If any candidate needs any accessibility support throughout the hiring process, we will accommodate such requests when made. You will only be considered for a position with BGC Okanagan if you're legally entitled to work in Canada. Eligible applicants include: Canadian citizens, permanent residents and refugees in Canada with legal status.

We appreciate and thank all applicants for their interest, however only short-listed candidates will be contacted.