

Job Opportunity!

CLOSING DATE: June 15, 2022

Youth Program Facilitator for Nakusp

Nakusp and Area Youth Network (NAYN), Nakusp, BC

This position complements the NAYN Youth Coordinator in developing, managing and implementing diverse youth-directed programming under the ever-expanding Nakusp and Area Youth Network (NAYN) by coordinating collaborative youth (age 12-18) programming in Nakusp. This position is funded through Canada Summer Jobs and **candidates must be between the age of 15 – 30 years old.**

Duties are to:

- maintain, develop and create spaces and activities for youth that are safe, engaging, and relevant to their interests and NAYN goals.
- work collaboratively and actively to build community capacity to increase the quality and quantity of programming based on youth input and partnerships with local stakeholders.
- strengthen the cohesion of youth in the community by cultivating an environment that fosters youth empowerment and participation.
- positively challenge oppressive behaviour: encourage cooperation, kindness, and respect for diversity.

Some responsibilities are to:

- plan, organize and facilitate programs, events and outings as determined by gathered youth input in Nakusp and the area.
- directly communicate, network and sustain partnerships and links with community stakeholders.
- collaborate with NAYN Youth Coordinator to monitor youth engagement, activities, access to resources, and identified priorities.

Required Training, Skills & Abilities:

Ideally, the successful candidate will have post-secondary training in education, recreation or a related discipline, coupled with previous experience working with youth. Proficient computer skills and excellent communication skills, both written and verbal, are essential. The ability to work independently, solve problems, and make decisions is required. The ideal candidate is someone who has strong interpersonal skills and who is a positive role model: fun, honest, trustworthy, dependable, and assertive.

Certificates, Licenses & Clearances:

Valid Driver's License & clean Driver's Abstract; Valid First Aid/CPR; and Criminal Record Check, including vulnerable populations check (less than 6 months old).

Additional Details:

The successful candidate will aim to **start July 1st** with training provided on the job. The position is **30 hours per week, for 9 weeks** (seasonal). The pay scale is **\$18/hour**, and no benefits are offered. For more information about the Nakusp and Area Youth Society, please visit www.nays.ca.

To apply, please email your cover letter and resume to coordinator@nays.ca.