

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY Environmental Educator

Variable hours, approx. 30 hours/week
August 29 to Thanksgiving, with the possibility of extension.

Hourly Rate: \$16.07

Schedule varies according to season and activities; the Garden is a seven-day a week operation; some weekend and evening work is required. Full week of training is provided.

Spend the fall outside, hiking trails, participating in activities and games, all while educating children about the wonders of nature! The University of Alberta Botanic Garden is seeking enthusiastic individuals with a passion for the outdoors and for working with children to join our team, leading full-day nature programs in our award-winning environmental education programs.

DUTIES

- Responsible for the education and care of groups of children aged 4-18
- Activities include education about forests, wetlands, wildlife, and the environment through tours, games and fun activities
- Leads school field trips, drop-in interpretive activities, tours

QUALIFICATIONS AND REQUIREMENTS

- At least 1-2 years into your degree (science, environment or education preferred)
- Experience teaching and/or working with children
- Experience and comfort with public speaking
- Some knowledge of nature and the environment
- Physically able and excited to spend every workday outside and active (regardless of the weather!)
- Ability to work with little or no supervision
- Fun and positive attitude
- Must have own transportation, as the Garden is not accessible by public transit. The Garden is located 15 minutes from SW Edmonton, on Hwy 60, 5 kms north of Devon
- Open and flexible availability
- Police check required

TO APPLY:

Send resume along with a cover letter to:

Jennine Pedersen Education Coordinator University of Alberta Botanic Garden uabg.education@ualberta.ca

Application Deadline: August 10, 2018

We thank all applicants, however only successful candidates will be contacted.

