



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Environmental Educator

Variable hours, April 27 – August 21 with possibility of extension into fall positions.

Estimation of Hours:

(May – June) 25-35 hrs/week

(July – August)- Part-time hours - based on bookings

Hourly Rate: \$17.32

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

The Garden is a stunning 97 hectare property located 15 minutes southwest of Edmonton, with cultivated gardens, plant collections and indoor showhouses.

Spend the summer outside, hiking trails, catching frogs and playing 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, summer camps, birthday parties, 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 5 km north of Devon on Hwy 60
- 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

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Application Deadline: extended to March 9, 2020

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



University of Alberta Botanic Garden

Located in Parkland County, 5 km north of Devon on Hwy 60

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