

RE: Junior Environmental Educator

Locations:

Landon Bay, Lansdowne Ontario
Mac Johnson, Brockville Ontario
Sand Lake, Elgin Ontario
Kendrick's Park, Lyndhurst



Organization: Frontenac Arch Biosphere Network (FABN)

Number of Positions Available:

Landon Bay, Lansdowne Ontario - 1
Mac Johnson, Brockville Ontario - 1

Introduction:

The Frontenac Arch Biosphere Network (FABN) is a not-for-profit organization that administers the Frontenac Arch UNESCO Biosphere designation and is dedicated to sustainable community development, through the celebration of nature, livelihood, wellbeing and culture. Our Nature Camps champion our mission statement “Enough for all, for all time” through programs that are designed to mentor campers, as they rediscover their unique connection to the natural world.

Summary of Position/Job Description

The Junior Environmental Educator is one of up to five staff onsite at camp and is responsible for working with the Senior Environmental Educator, Environmental Educators, and Program Manager, to implement the FAB Summer Camp Program at one of our four locations. Junior staff are interested in gaining experience working with children and youth in the outdoors as mentors and leaders. All camp staff are responsible for creating and ensuring a safe and enjoyable environment at camp, as well as upholding the policies and procedures of the FAB Nature Camps and the FAB Mission.

Duties and Responsibilities

- Represent the FABN at one of the four Nature Camp locations.
- Demonstrate leadership and best practices in environmental stewardship.
- Participate in training.
- Assist campers with activities and rules.
- Cover lunch breaks for other staff.
- Fill in for staff who are away or leave early for appointments.

- Assist in other staff with implementing the FAB Nature Camp program.
- Maintain the FAB philosophy and mandate.
- Provide a safe, fun experience for all campers - on land and on water.
- Ensure that the facility is clean, organized, and litter free.
- Know and follow all safety guidelines associated with the camp and all program areas.
- Willingness to be in the water during each swim session, with their designated group.

Qualifications - Required

- Must be 16 years or older.
- Interest in working with children and in the outdoors.
- Police Record Check with the Vulnerable Sector Check (Valid within the last 6 months and for applicants over 18 years old).
- Willingness to work Monday-Friday, rain or shine for their full 8 week contract
- Personal means of transportation to and from camp.
- Able to walk 5 kilometers and lift 50 pounds.

Qualifications - Assets

- Bilingual
- Outdoor enthusiast, naturalist, and survival skills preferred
- **National Lifeguard Certification NLS** - priority will be given to applicants with their NLS
- First Aid/CPR/AED certified

Contract Start Date: June 24th, 2024 (1-5 days of training, dependent on availability)

Contract End Date: August 23rd, 2024

Contract Length: 8 Weeks

Wage: \$16.55

Hours: 9am-4pm / 9:30am-4:30pm (35-40 hours per week)

Application Deadline: April 26, 2024

Please send your resume and cover letter, indicating which camp location you're apply to, to Shannon Lem, FABN Executive Director, shannon@fabn.ca