



YMCA of Greater Vancouver

Volunteer Opportunity

Y Kids r Cooking Facilitator

The YMCA of Greater Vancouver is a charitable association dedicated to the development of people in spirit, mind and body as well as the improvement of local, national and international communities.

Job Summary

Through weekly two hour cooking sessions, Y Kids r Cooking Facilitators teach children basic cooking techniques, help them understand how to make healthy food choices and provide them with opportunities to develop their literacy skills. Y Kids r Cooking Facilitators plan and lead the cooking sessions, with the support of YMCA staff. This opportunity is available at the following locations:

Program: Manoah YMCA Kids Club (ages 5 – 12)

Location: 1011 Fourth Avenue, Richmond V7C 1V5

Day/Time: Any weekday afternoon starting at approximately 3:00pm/3:30pm

Requirements

- Experience working with children
- Understanding of nutrition and healthy eating
- Comfortable teaching children safe and basic cooking techniques
- Strong organizational skills & able to work independently
- Completion of volunteer documentation with criminal record check
- Able to commit to volunteer once a week for a minimum of eight weeks
- Background in nutrition or related field an asset

Competencies

- **Commitment to organization vision and values:** Demonstrates and promotes a personal understanding of & appreciation for the mission, vision, strategic outcomes & values of the YMCA
- **Communication:** Communicates in a thorough, clear and timely manner and supports information sharing and goal achievement across the YMCA
- **Teamwork:** Actively builds teams and encourages open relationships for maximum organizational effectiveness
- **Planning and Organizing:** Establishes a clearly defined and effective course of action for self and others to accomplish short and long term work goals

Benefits

- Be a part of the YMCA team and promote the YMCA of Greater Vancouver's mission, vision, and core values
- Make a difference in a child's life
- Meet other volunteers with similar interests
- Gain valuable experience working with children and in health education





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Application Guidelines/Contact

Interested applicants should send a resume and cover letter to:
Recruitment Coordinator, YMCA Child Care
e-mail: childcarevolunteers@vanymca.org

