

Educational Program Leader

If you enjoy working with the public in an educational setting, the position of educational program volunteer is an excellent choice.

Working under the supervision of the Education Programs Coordinator, Manager of Audience Engagement, and Visitor Services Manager, the Educational Program Volunteer will have the opportunity to be part of an enthusiastic team dedicated to preserving and promoting the history of the West Coast fishing industry.

Role Summary:

 Teaching visitors (students in Grades K – 12, or younger) through our various educational programs and tours

Desired Skills and Experience:

- o Outgoing, enthusiastic, and self-motivated
- o High level of professionalism and commitment
- o Experience/patience and/or genuine interest in educating of interacting with children
- o Interest in local history, fishing and the fishing industry or education
- Strong verbal communication skills in English
- A second language is an asset

Special Requirements:

- Must demonstrate the confidence and potential ability to perform tasks of role independently and competently post-training
- Must be able to follow artifact and prop handling protocols
- Must be available on weekdays
- Must be flexible to the logistical needs of the coordinator
- Must be willing to submit to a Government of Canada security check

Volunteers are asked to commit approximately 3 hours per week and must be available weekdays when the programs are delivered. As the position of Educational Program Volunteer is an important role, a commitment of 6 months or longer is requested. Volunteers will receive training on each program and in working with the general public and youth.

For more information or to apply for this position, please contact:

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