



Recycling Education Student **(Temporary, Full-Time – early May to late August)**

Located in the south-central region of B.C., the Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen covers an area over 10,400 km² and is renowned for its orchards, vineyards and golf courses, as well as its widely varied landscape including deserts, mountains and valleys, and pristine lakes. Outdoor recreational opportunities are endless throughout the Regional District and residents enjoy a wide array of activities all year long.

The Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen is currently recruiting for a student to join the Solid Waste team for a four-month work term.

Working within the Solid Waste Department, the student will be tasked with maintaining clean and orderly recycling facilities. The student will directly engage and educate the public regarding proper recycling practices to reduce the placement of unacceptable contaminants and ensure the proper placement of acceptable recyclable materials.

This position will be required to conduct duties at RDOS administered landfills and transfer stations located in Penticton, Oliver, Keremeos, and Apex Mountain and may be required to attend various public events.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- “Student” means an employee who is attending school, college, or university who has just completed their studies or intends to return to school, college, or university in the subsequent academic year.
- Completion of 1st year in a diploma or degree program in Environmental Studies or related field.
- Ability to understand and execute oral and written instructions.
- Experience working with the public and providing customer service.
- Ability to work independently and efficiently with limited supervision.
- Ability to perform the duties of the position and work outdoors, possibly in extreme weather conditions.
- Ability to communicate in a courteous and tactful manner.
- Ability to work varied hours that include daytime, evening and weekend shifts.
- Demonstrated computer skills in Microsoft Office Suite (Outlook, Word, and Excel).
- Valid First Aid Certificate (OFA Level 1) or an ability and willingness to obtain one.
- Valid BC Driver’s License.

This assignment is a four-month term from May to August 2023. The is a BCGEU bargaining unit position with an hourly wage of \$20.00 per hour plus 15% in lieu of all benefits (total hourly wage is \$23.00 per hour).

Qualified individuals are invited to submit their application in PDF format quoting **Competition No. 23-07E** by **4:00 pm, Sunday, March 12, 2023** to:

Human Resources Department
Email: hr@rdos.bc.ca

We thank all applicants for their interest, however, only those candidates selected for further consideration will be contacted. This position is only open to those legally entitled to work in Canada.