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## STRATHCONA COMMUNITY CENTRE

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### SUMMER EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

#### Summer Breakfast Program Assistant

Strathcona Community Centre is seeking an energetic individual with leadership skills and a passion for food to support the Breakfast Program. This position will report to the Breakfast and Food Security Coordinators and is intended for a high school student or 2018 high school graduate.

In compliance with the Canada Summer Jobs guidelines, applicants must be registered full-time students during the preceding academic year and have intentions to return to school on a full-time basis in the next academic year. Applicants must also be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or refugee. They must be over the age of 15 and complete a criminal record check prior to the program start date if successful.

#### **Qualifications:**

- Current high school student at least 15 years old (& planning to return to high school or post-sec. after summer)
- Interest and experience in food, cooking and/or nutrition
- Certification in Food Safe Level 1 (or willing to obtain)
- Excellent communication and teamwork skills (written and oral)
- Experience in a mentorship role with elementary school-age children an asset
- Familiarity with the neighbourhood an asset

#### **Projects & tasks may include:**

- Mentoring elementary school-aged 'Breakfast Buddies' volunteers as they learn about food preparation, food safety, nutrition and teamwork
- Assessing Breakfast Program menu items for nutritional content
- Assisting with food preparation and contributing to new recipe development
- Helping to prepare and distribute bagged lunches for at-risk children and youth
- Assisting with safe receiving, storage, distribution and handling of food
- Participating in and contributing to community celebrations and events
- Other food-related projects that may arise

**Rate of Pay:** \$12.65 per hour + 4% in lieu of vacation

**Job Duration:** 9 weeks of employment (30hr/wk) between June 25 - August 24, 2018

**Deadline for Applications:** Extended to Monday June 11, 2018

**Please forward your resume to:** [lauren.brown@vancouver.ca](mailto:lauren.brown@vancouver.ca) with subject line "Summer Breakfast Program Assistant" or drop it off at the Strathcona Community Centre (Attention to Lauren Brown)

**Faxed resumes will not be accepted.**

**We thank all applicants, only those short listed will be contacted.**