



2024 Summer Student Employment Opportunity – Pending Funding

POSITION: Assistant Water Resources Technician (7-week contract) – two positions available - ***pending Canada Summer Jobs funding approval***

LOCATION: Crowe Valley Conservation Authority Office in Marmora, Ontario

JOB DESCRIPTION:

The Crowe Valley Conservation Authority is looking to add to their team two summer student positions. Working as part of a two-person team you will be responsible for the administration of the 2024 OBBN sampling program.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Collection and analysis of benthic data using the Ontario Benthos Biomonitoring Network protocol
- Surface water quality sampling
- Data entry
- Other duties as assigned
- We like to put your existing skills and talents to good use! If you are good at something, whether it be painting, mapping, creating beautiful fact sheets or photography, we'll be happy to work with you to create a fulfilling side project

SKILLS:

- Strong problem-solving skills in a field environment
- Efficient with computer including MS Word and Excel and basic knowledge of GIS software (ArcGIS)
- Able to work outside (heat, rain, bugs (including ticks), moving water)
- Be comfortable driving for up to four hours a day
- Able to work independently in remote locations (no cell phone coverage)

QUALIFICATIONS:

Our positions are funded by the Canada Summer Jobs Grant. All successful applicants must meet the following criteria:

- Currently enrolled in a Diploma or Degree program in Environmental Sciences, Ecosystem Management, Fish & Wildlife, Biology, Ecology, Environmental Technician, Geography or related field.
- Between the ages of 15 and 30 (depending on funding approval)

- Possess and maintain a valid Ontario Class Driver's license (minimum G2)
- Be eligible to work in Canada

Apart from the essentials, it's a bonus if you:

- Have a sense of humour and an interest in benthic invertebrates
- Have OBBN certification
- Are able to work with minimal supervision and take pride in your work. We love creative ideas and those who take initiative
- Thrive in working outdoors in adverse environmental conditions (the blackflies will come for you)

CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT:

- Duration: 7 weeks
- Potential Start Date: April 22, 2024
- Rate of Pay: \$16.55/hr
- 36.25 hours per week (depending on funding)

DEADLINE: Forward your cover letter and resume by **April 7th, 2024 at 4:00pm** local time to:

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Crowe Valley Conservation is an equal opportunity employer. We thank all applicants for their interest however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.