



Fresh Air Learning Substitute Facilitator Position

Do you love to play with children outside? Come and work with us!

Fresh Air Learning is a Metro Vancouver-based forest school with classes in Vancouver and North Vancouver parks. We see children as competent, capable people who are able to direct their social and nature-based learning with compassionate guidance from our program facilitators.

We are looking for:

An ongoing on-call substitute facilitator, guaranteed a minimum of 10 hours a week on school days, 9:30-2:30. Most work will occur Tuesday-Thursday. There is also the opportunity to work additional hours as a permanent part-time staff person or to work additional substitute teaching hours.

Casual substitute facilitators who are available on a consistent or occasional basis in North Vancouver or Vancouver.

Ongoing facilitators for Tuesday morning (North Vancouver, Jericho Beach), Wednesdays (Jericho Beach), Thursday morning (North Vancouver) and Friday morning (Maplewood area in North Vancouver).

Qualifications:

A love of nature and enjoyment of all kinds of plants, animals, environments, and weather

Insatiable curiosity and an ability to facilitate children's questions

Joy in children's learning

An understanding of neurodiversity and compassion-informed communication practice

Experience working with children in a play-based learning environment

Experience working with groups outdoors

An understanding of safety and risk in the outdoors

A criminal record check and first aid are required.

Deadline: Interviews will take place on a rolling basis

Send a cover letter and resume to: Tricia Edgar, tricia@freshairlearning.org

Our programs take place on unceded x^wməθk^wəy'em (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw (Squamish), and səliłwətaʔt (Tseil-Waututh) territories, and we commit to an ongoing process of decolonization within the programs that we co-create with children and communities.