

Columbia Outdoor School & Blue Lake Camp

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Volunteer Camp Counsellor

Are you looking for an exciting and rewarding volunteer experince? Blue Lake Camp is seeking enthusiastic and passionate Volunteer Summer Camp Counsellors for our 2023 camp season.

Volunteer Summer Camp Counsellors will provide a safe and fun-filled environment for campers from ages 6 to 14, while providing guidance and mentorship during their stay at Blue Lake Summer Camp. As a counsellor, you will be responsible for providing a safe and enjoyable experience for the campers. You will be responsible for developing activities, leading games, and organizing out trips. You will also be required to supervise campers in the cabins at night and always ensure their safety.

The ideal candidate will have experience working with children, preferably in a camp setting. You must be a positive role model who is reliable and responsible. They will also have excellent interpersonal and communication skills. The Counsellor must be able to manage a group of children, resolve conflicts, and provide a safe and inviting environment for campers.

You must be at least 15 years of age.

Company: Columbia Outdoor School Location: Blue Lake Camp- Canal Flats, BC

Date Posted: January 20, 2023 Date Closed: March 6, 2023 (or until positions are filled)

Terms: Casual – Seasonal Contract July 2nd2023, through August 25th 2023

Commitment: Volunteer Counsellors must be available to attend staff training, July 2- July 7 2023, and volunteer for at least one week of summer camp.

Responsibilities:

- Supervise, mentor and guide a cabin of campers throughout their stay
- Create a positive and safe environment for campers
- Plan and lead fun and engaging activities in the cabin and around camp
- Ensure campers follow camp rules and regulations
- Monitor camper behavior and document any issues
- Provide guidance and assistance to campers in their daily activities
- Develop ecology focused lessons that are active and engaging

We provide room and board during program operation and opportunities for professional development. If you are excited about this opportunity and meet the qualifications, please apply by sending your resume and cover letter to Shonna@ColumbiaOutdoorSchool.com and complete our online application at: https://columbiaoutdoorschool.com/employment



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Requirements:

- Previous experience working with children in a camp setting
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills
- Ability to work independently and as part of a team
- Physical ability to hike up to 10 KM with a 60 liter pack

If you are passionate about mentoring and developing the next generation of leaders, we want to hear from you! Apply now and join our team for an unforgettable summer!

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