

DISCOVERY LAB VOLUNTEER

The London Children's Museum is looking for an **outgoing**, **fun**, **and enthusiastic** Discovery Lab Volunteer who has no hesitation in engaging with hands-on learning experiences. Working with the Discovery Lab Coordinator and Visitor Experiences staff, the volunteer will contribute to the delivery of outstanding STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math) programming in the Discovery Lab—an interdisciplinary space where visitors explore creativity through woodworking, coding, making, crafting, designing, experimenting, and hacking. Programming includes self-directed making, collaborative projects, and staff-facilitated workshops that invite curiosity and hands-on discovery. Our new team member(s) will identify with and exemplify our organizational values: **Listen Closely, Stay Curious, Be Awesome, Be Helpful, Dream Big, Include Everyone, and Have Fun.**

Position(s): 4-40 hours per week. Shifts may include daytime, weekend, evening, and holidays based on availability.

Tasks and Responsibilities

- Provide exceptional visitor experiences and customer service to all London Children's Museum visitors
- Support the facilitation of child-centered programming related to science, technology, engineering, art and math
- Demonstrate a positive attitude toward problem solving connected to coding, making, hacking, crafting, designing, and experimenting
- Contribute to the maintenance of a safe, clean, and tidy environment
- Assist in the cleaning, upkeep, and preservation of Discovery Lab equipment
- Provide support to the Discovery Lab Coordinator by preparing any materials needed for Discovery Lab programming
- Be a helpful, positive, and engaged member of the London Children's Museum volunteer team

Skills & Requirements

- Enthusiasm for hands-on and experiential STEAM-based programming, makerspace activities, basic coding and artistic endeavors
- Previous experience working with children and families
- Desire to work in a child and family-centered environment
- Excellent time management skills and ability to work both independently and with a team
- Strong verbal, interpersonal, and written communication skills
- Minimum 14 years of age
- If above 18 years of age, a Valid Vulnerable Sector Screening (police check) must be submitted

To apply: Please fill out a volunteer application on our website www.londonchildrensmuseum.ca/volunteer. Select applicants will be asked to attend a virtual interview. Any questions about the selection, interview and onboarding process can be directed to volunteer@londonchildrensmuseum.ca.

The London Children's Museum is committed to creating inclusive employment practices and work environments that celebrate the dignity and uniqueness of every individual. Every effort is made to reduce accessibility barriers during the candidate recruitment and selection process. Accommodations are available during every step of the onboarding process.