



You have skills, we have jobs.

Join a new generation of election officials. Learn. Earn. Serve.

Youth at the Booth is Elections BC's program to hire high school students as election officials in a Provincial General Election.

Program goals:

- Engage more youth in the electoral process and promote electoral participation
- Provide youth with a better understanding of the election and voting process
- Help foster a sense of pride by serving their local community
- Earn election official wages
- Obtain paid work experience

Applicants must:

- Be enrolled in high school classes
- Be between 15 and 19 years old
- Have a valid Social Insurance Number and be legally entitled to work in Canada
- Be interested in community service/student government/service clubs
- Be able to perform their duties in a neutral and impartial manner

Participants will:

- Work on as an election official at a voting place in their local community
- Earn at least \$350 for attending training and working a full day
- Gain paid work experience for their resume and post-secondary applications
- Better understand the election and voting process
- Feel pride in serving their community
- Help democracy work by making sure every voter can vote

The local District Electoral Officer (DEO) hires and trains election officials for each voting opportunity.

Students who are hired must:

- Complete both the online learning (1 hour) and classroom training (3 hours) before they can work
- Be available to work on General Voting Day and/or for advance voting
- Work the entire day when they are assigned to work (6:30 a.m. to 9 p.m.)
- Provide their own transportation to voting locations

Safe work and COVID-19:

We are working closely with the Office of the Provincial Health Officer and WorkSafeBC to ensure a safe working environment for election workers. All staff will complete safe workplace guidelines and pandemic protocol training in addition to election worker training.

For more information, see www.elections.bc.ca/jobs.

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