

VOLUNTEER POSITION DESCRIPTION

- Position:** Early Learning Enrichment Volunteer
- Supervisor:** Early Childhood Educator/Program Supervisor
- Purpose:** To provide support to a child or small group of children in licensed child care in building skills in all areas of development
- Responsibilities:** Assist children with problem solving skills through role modeling
Promote relationship building skills - such as sharing, turn taking and making friends - through role modeling
Participate and support children during individual and group activities, routines and transitions
General supervision
- Experience:** Experience working with children with diverse needs (developmental and mental health)
Experience working with young children in play-based settings
- Knowledge:** Background/Courses – child development, diverse needs, psychology, family dynamics, trauma, wellness, childhood resiliency – an asset
- Characteristics/Skills:** Responsible, organized, flexible, ability to follow direction, ability to think outside the box
Patient, nurturing, empathetic
- Availability:** Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
- Commitment:** Minimum of 2 hours per week for 3 months is required
- Location:** Locations available throughout the Region of Waterloo
- How to Apply:** Complete and email an application or send a cover letter and résumé to the Volunteer and Student Placement Coordinator.
- Applications can be found in the Volunteer section of the website.