



# Community Gardening Student

Are you passionate about gardening, community engagement & fresh food? Have we got a job for you! Working under the Food Manager the successful candidate will assist the Food Bank in growing produce for our neighbours and community food share partners.

## Duties and Responsibilities

- work with existing volunteers to plant, water, weed and harvest community garden plots
- record planting & harvest results
- promote fresh food donations at community events
- Additional tasks as required within the Food Bank

## Position Requirements

- Currently enrolled in a secondary or post-secondary school, returning to studies in the fall 2021.
- Available till August 2021.
- Clear Criminal Reference Check with vulnerable sector.

## Knowledge & Skills

- Confident gardening abilities
- Sensitivity to and understanding of the experience of people with limited incomes
- Strong customer service skills.
- Enthusiastic and outgoing - enjoy working with the public and community.
- Proven organizational skills.
- Good communicator.
- Punctual.
- Ability to work with minimal supervision, as well as within a team.
- Light to medium lifting will be required.

## Job Location:

- Orangeville Food Bank, 3 Commerce Road
- Edelbrook Centre, 30 Centre Street, Orangeville
- 250 C-Line Dufferin Garden Centre
- Other locations as required.

This position is based on a 35-hour week. Flexible hours of work are required to fulfill the obligations of the position and weekly schedules will be determined in conjunction with the summer student and the Executive Director. Weekends may be required for outreach functions and events to promote the Orangeville Food Bank. The salary for this position is \$14.00 per hour.

Deadline to apply: June 9th, 2021

To Apply: Interested applicants should send a resume and cover letter to: [savanaha@Orangevillefoodbank.org](mailto:savanaha@Orangevillefoodbank.org) or mail a copy to the address below.

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