



SERVICE PRACTICUM OPPORTUNITY

Service Practicum placements involve volunteering as an experience of personal growth, vocational discernment, and community engagement. Placement types vary depending on student interest and program major. If the option below interests you, reach out to the contact person to begin the conversation (*denotes their preferred contact method).

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POSITION TITLE: Community Based 1:1 Mentor

JOB DESCRIPTION: *Is this you?* You are a caring and compassionate individual that is responsible, reliable, and trustworthy. You enjoy spending time with children and youth and can commit for up to one year, 2-4 hours per week. You are a good listener and respect the values and beliefs of others, even when they're different than your own. You can communicate openly and have strong interpersonal skills.

The program strives to do the following:

- Provide a role model and a friend for youth
- Promote the importance of staying in school and healthy relationships with family and peers
- Instill trust and self-confidence to make healthy decisions
- Encourage leadership skills and independent thinking
- Have mentors make a difference while having fun

SKILLS REQUIRED: Age requirement: 19. No upper age limit.
Applicant must live, work or attend school in the Township or City of Langley.
Able to commit to spending 4 visits per month with your mentee for a minimum of 1 year
Matches meet 2 - 4 hours weekly, with a focus on low to no-cost activities.

CRIMINAL RECORD

CHECK REQ'D: Yes

NOTES: To apply, visit <https://langley.bigbrothersbigsisters.ca/volunteer/>

SERVICE LOCATION: Langley

TRANSPORTATION: Student must have own transportation

DAY(S) OF THE WEEK: Day is negotiable and/or may vary week to week

TIME FRAME: Varies