

Mission Zero Volunteer

The Mission Zero Volunteer will assist the Office for Sustainability (OfS) with the promotion of the sustainability initiatives and the implementation of the community engagement events at Sheridan. The volunteer will be involved in a variety of outreach activities during the term start and throughout the semester. This includes working at the Mission Zero booth to talk to students, faculty and staff on how to sort their waste on campus and encourage our community members to participate in the various Mission Zero initiatives. The volunteer will also provide various types of support to various events such as volunteer planting day, Repair Café, campus cleanup, among others. Collaborating as a team, the volunteer will have a lot of opportunities to work together and interact with other people on campus. He/she will base mainly in his/her own campus and may be asked to work in the other Sheridan campuses to provide the support as needed. The volunteer will be required to attend a training session in September. The minimum participation hours is 12.

The Duke of Edinburgh's Award Program

The Duke of Edinburgh's Award program is an internationally recognized award (award levels: Bronze, Silver, and Gold). The amount of commitment required on the part of award candidate varies with each level (Bronze: 6 months, Silver: 12 months, Gold: 24 months). Members of this club have committed to pursuing the award level of their choice. Completing the requirements of the award involves goal setting, participating in activities that are focused on community engagement and personal growth and development, and accurately tracking participation. Award activities include community service, skill development, physical recreation, and adventurous journey. Members are expected to be active participants in this club by supporting one another as each member works towards achieving their goals. The minimum number of participation hours the student must complete is 15 hours.

Toastmasters - Member

In the Sheridan DAVIS Bruins Toastmasters Club, the Club Member participates in weekly meetings to develop communication, leadership and organizational skills to foster personal growth, self-confidence and enhance employability. The Club Member takes on various roles including quizmaster, grammarian, and timer as well as delivering speeches from the Competent Communicator manual, participating in Table Topics, and chairing a business meeting. The Club Member welcomes guests, may use creative strategies for encouraging growth of club and where possible, participates in fund-raising initiatives on campus which support the purchase of educational materials. The minimum number of participation hours is 14.

Community Garden

The goal of this project is to create a positive and supportive community through the program's activities. Volunteers contribute to the building, growth and maintenance of the Trafalgar campus community garden. Activities include, but are not limited to: collaborating with other participants to establish a positive community space; improving

the design and aesthetics of the garden area; building and maintaining garden beds; learning and teaching others about planting seeds and seedlings, composting, weeding, watering, soil maintenance and harvesting; leading or planning cooking, canning or gardening workshops. The minimum number of participation hours is 10.

Enactus

Enactus Sheridan is a team comprised of student, academic and business leaders committed to using the power of entrepreneurial action to transform lives and shape a sustainable world. Guided by academic advisors and business experts, the student leaders of Enactus create and implement community empowerment projects around the globe. Teams have the opportunity to present their ideas at regional, national and world competitions. The minimum number of participation hours the student must complete is 30.

Ontario Provincial Police Community Partnership Program - Intern and Mentor

Restricted to full time second year Police Foundations students. Participants are selected into this program based on aptitude and academics. Participation is on a volunteer basis and students must complete the required hours, as follows; attend 5-7 learning sessions at the Ontario Provincial Police Caledon Detachment including a patrol ride-a-long observation session with a police officer, mentor elementary school students in an at-risk neighborhood and assist teachers in the classroom, gymnasium, playground, field trips and after-school recreation programs participate in team-building exercises, (variety of sporting and other fitness and competitive activities) and support several events run by police services and other community groups and participate, as a group, in the planning and execution of a project which benefits the local community. The minimum number of participation hours the students must complete is 150 hours.