**Instructor**

# Description: Instructors are instrumental in delivering high quality programming to our campers. Through the fall, the campers are students from Lower Mainland and Sea-to-Sky schools. Whether by teaching our Eco-Fun courses (science-based Forest and Environmental education courses), leading a hike to a nearby lake, lifeguarding at the swim dock, or orchestrating a campfire, an instructor’s responsibilities require enthusiasm and their own unique twist. Given that all staff and campers stay onsite at the [Evans Lake Forest Education Centre](http://www.evanslake.com/about/wheres-evans-lake) while camp is in session, the action never stops and, accordingly, applicants should enjoy working in ever-changing and dynamic work environments. Very strong organizational and interpersonal skills are a must, as well as a yearning to stretch all the best parts of summer through September and October! Love theme lunches, high fives, and hands-on & outdoor experiences? Apply below!

**Responsibilities and Duties:**

General

* Delivers Forest & Environmental education courses
* Leads hikes, out-trips, and outdoor recreation activities
* Acts as a lifeguard during waterfront activities (certification dependent)
* Demonstrate positive and engaging leadership for campers aged 8-16
* Drives camp vehicles for baggage transport
* Other duties as assigned

Term

* August 30th through late October, 2017

Safety

* Compliance with the society’s policies and procedures contained in the Staff, Human Resources (HR), and Emergency Procedures Manuals. Orientation to these procedures will occur during Staff Training
* Report safety deficiencies and concerns to Facilities Manager, or (if suitable) during daily staff meeting

Reporting and Evaluation

* Instructors report directly to the Program Manager
* A formal end of season evaluation with Senior Program staff will occur
* Continuous feedback and communication amongst staff members is encouraged

Required Certifications & Experience

* A lifeguarding certification (i.e. NLS) is mandatory
* First Aid Certificate (at minimum 8-hour basic certificate)
* Additional certifications and licenses are considered to be assets. Examples include: Class 4 & 5 Driver’s License, certifications in paddling, rock-climbing, and outdoor recreation & leadership

Level of Compensation will be discussed during the interview phase of recruitment. Room and Board are provided while camps are in session.

**To apply:** Fill out our online application form at http://evanslake.campbrainstaff.com/

Applications will be assessed on a continuous basis. Please apply early if you are interested. **The application period closes at 11:59pm (Pacific) August 22nd.**

If your application for employment is accepted, a Criminal Record Search (including Vulnerable Sector Search) will be required as a condition of employment (the cost of the check is the responsibility of the applicant). Related convictions or outstanding charges may preclude the applicant from employment. *Note: A list of offences considered relevant under the Criminal Records Review Act is available*. All employees must also provide personal and professional references to be contacted after the interview phase.

The Evans Lake Forest Education Society is an equal opportunity employer. Thanks in advance to all applicants. Please do not hesitate to call or email if you have questions about the process or the position at the above numbers and/or email.

*\*If follow up with your application is required, for confidentiality reasons, we can only discuss an application with the applicant (i.e. no agents, representatives or family members)*