

PRO-D AND OUT OF SCHOOL CAMPS & VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH

Pro-D Camps at Vancouver Community Centres	Various ages	Active Communities Website Check this website (Active communities) regularly for <u>all</u> Van C.C programming *Filter through “age”, “location”, and “date” to find the program you want. OR call your local community centre	Varies. 50% discount with LAP	All pro-d dates & spring/summer/winter camps
Emergency First Aid & CPR at Hastings Community Centre	13+	Emergency First Aid & CPR Click the link or call Hastings CC to register	\$95 (50% off with LAP)	March 22 nd 2025
Various Events at Vancouver Public Library	Gr. K-7, Family Tween	VPL library events -> Spring break and other times VPL "Write Now" online Tween event VPL Tween Book Club online events	Free Free	Events occurring over Spring Break and beyond *check individual event times
Library Events at North Vancouver Public	Gr. K-7, Family	Events North Vancouver District Public Library	Free	Ongoing – some events occurring over Spring Break *Check individual event times
Pokémon Scavenger Hunt at North Vancouver Public Library	6-13yrs	Pokemon Scavenger Hunt North Van Libraries all North Van libraries	Free	17 th -24 th March (Spring Break)
Kimount Boys and Girls Club Pro-D/Camps around Metro Vancouver	Gr. 1-7	https://www.bgcbc.ca/day-camps/	\$25-35 for Pro-D	Events on Pro-D days and Spring/Summer breaks
Children & Youth Camps at Little Mountain Neighbourhood House	Gr. K-7	https://www.lmnhs.bc.ca/child-and-youth/ Contact: cyservices@lmnhs.bc.ca	\$45	All pro-d dates, Spring/Winter/Summer Breaks
April Pro-D Camp at Creekside C.C	8-13yr 11m	Creekside C.C pro-d camp registration	\$85 (50% off with LAP)	All pro-d dates (registration dates vary)

<u>April Pro-D Camp</u> at Thunderbird C.C	6-12yr 11m	Thunderbird C.C pro-d camp registration	\$28 (50% off with LAP)	All pro-d dates (registration dates vary)
<u>Pro-D Camps</u> at UBC	6-9yrs	https://recreation.ubc.ca/camps/fall/spring-pro-d-day-jan-june/	\$106	Most pro-d dates & spring/summer/winter camps
<u>“Flower Power” April Pro-D Camp</u> at VanDusen	5-10yrs	https://vandusengarden.org/learn/camps/	\$81 per day	All pro-d dates & summer camps too
<u>Pro-D Camps</u> at The World is Ours	5-13yrs	The World is Ours - Neurodiverse learners	\$125	All pro-d dates. Neurodiverse Learners. <u>Autism funding can be used to pay</u>
<u>Pro-D Camps</u> at PearTree Education	5-12yrs	https://www.pear-tree.ca/our-camps/pro-d-day-camps-vancouver/	\$90	All pro-d dates & spring/summer camps
<u>Pro-D Day Workshops</u> at Petit Architect Studio	7-13yrs	https://petitarchitect.com/pro-d-days	\$109	All pro-d dates
<u>Spring Break Camps</u> at Douglas Collage	6-14yrs	Douglas Collage Spring Break Camps	\$155/week	Spring/Summer camps only, no Pro-D events.
<u>Geering Up – Engineering Summer Camps</u> at UBC, UBCO & South Surrey	Gr 8-12	UBC Geering Up High School Summer Programs	\$440-500	July through August (4 options, weekly programs)
<u>Kids First</u> at The Polygon Gallery	5-12yrs	https://thepolygon.ca/engagement/kids-first/		ongoing

VOLUNTEERING

Community Connections hosts district wide youth training at select high schools on some Professional Development Days.

- Including *first aid, financial literacy, food safe* and *CANucks autism network training*.
- Students are invited to sign up for a select number of spots through their PE classes.
- All training is free of charge and spots are limited.
- **Students must sign themselves up** and commit to attending the full training session.
- All Van Tech students are given access to these training opportunities and are invited to check in with the community connections team throughout the year to learn about all opportunities.

<u>Reading buddies, STEAM buddies, Teen Advisory Group</u> at the VPL	Min. age 13	https://www.vpl.ca/teens/community-service-hours e: teens@vpl.ca	Ongoing
Various community opportunities listed	Youth	List of community opportunities	Ongoing
Community opportunities part 2 (not all Youth – check age)	Youth	https://www.volunteerconnector.org/ *check age as some listed as Adult	Ongoing
Community Centre positions	Youth	City of Vancouver volunteer positions *call local community centre directly	Ongoing
Strathcona Community Centre	Youth	Volunteer :: Strathcona Community Centre Association	Ongoing as positions come up
BCSPCA Youth volunteer	12-15*, 16+	https://spca.bc.ca/ways-to-help/volunteer/youth-volunteers/ *12-15 yr olds must be accompanied by an adult.	Ongoing as positions come up
UBC Geering up – camp volunteer positions	Currently Gr9 or higher	UBC Geering Up - Junior Instructor Positions	Applications open March 2025
Frog Hollow Neighbourhood House	Variable	https://www.froghollow.bc.ca/volunteer	Ongoing as positions come up
Learning Buddies Network	Gr 8-12	*Reach out to local neighbourhood houses directly for specific positions Learning buddies network Mentor *applicants below Grade 10 must have teacher submit a referral form	Winter/Spring 2025 applications now open
Fresh Roots (one of their community gardens is at Van Tech!)	Gr 10-12 mostly	https://freshroots.ca/volunteer/	Mainly in spring/summer\