



Boys & Girls Clubs
of Weston-Mount Dennis



- LOCATIONS:**
- 121 HUMBER BOULEVARD SOUTH, TORONTO ON
 - VIRTUAL VIA ZOOM

Description & Details

Boys and Girls Clubs of Canada delivers a multi-faceted education program called Raise the Grade supported by RBC, aimed at increasing academic skills, high school graduation rates and access to post-secondary education for at-risk youth from a select group of Boys and Girls Clubs across the country.

St. Alban's Boys and Girls Club of Weston Mount Dennis is pleased and proud to be part of Raise the Grade supported by RBC. The program gives youth the tools and opportunities to excel in school and go on to become successful and independent. Young people can explore their personal interests and connect with mentors, tutors and friends while enhancing their digital literacy through this after-school program.

We are looking for volunteers to help Mentor and Tutor our youths ranging from grades 6 – 12.

Responsibilities:

- Ability to tutor one-on-one / two-on-one at the middle school/high school level in one or more of the following subjects: Math, Science, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Geography, History and English;
- Commit to 1-1.5 hours per week;
- Act as an academic role model and mentor;
- Compile progress reports and engage in regular communication with Program Coordinator;
- Collaborate with student to establish and work towards goals;
- Help familiarize student with academic resources and aids available to them and encourage utilization.

Required Skills:

- Must enjoy working with youth and be comfortable working in a community setting;
- Ability to work from an anti-racist/anti-oppression based approach/framework;
- Ability to act as a positive role-model and a caring adult presence;
- Maintain student confidentiality;
- Ability to communicate effectively;
- Have a genuine interest in building meaningful and productive relationships;

Commitment:

- The program runs during the academic term and operates from 5:00PM – 8:00PM on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 121 Humber Boulevard South. Volunteers are expected to commit to a full academic year of tutoring (September to June).

Benefits of Tutoring:

- Attend orientation and training session;
- Attend ongoing training opportunities such as workshops and presentations;
- Gain valuable teaching / tutoring experience;
- Gain experience working with youth;
- Develop student-centered agendas and individualized lessons plans in collaboration with your partner;
- Benefit from continuous support provided by Program Coordinator.

Volunteers Make a Difference By:

- Promoting confidence, interest, enjoyment, and learning;
- Helping student understand and organize their homework leading to the goal of independent completion;
- Being part of a positive environment where active learning and student involvement is promoted;
- Increasing awareness and use of academic resources;
- Helping to build self-esteem and confidence in a young person.

If you are interested in becoming a tutor and helping to make positive changes in the life of a student, please contact:

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St. Alban's Boys' and Girls' Club encourages applications from the local community and from equity-seeking groups. We thank all applicants for applying, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted. The successful candidates for these positions must undergo a Criminal Reference Check.