



## High School Homework Club Tutor Description

### Overview of Role

High school students with strength in any subject (science, math, English, history, etc), join other high school students to support them in subjects that they are struggling with. This is a peer to peer program that is informal, relaxed and a lot of fun! Meet other high school youth within Peterborough, enjoy some snacks, help a new Canadian youth with school work, and join in some activities at the end!

### Availability of Role

Roles available from September to June according to secondary school start and end dates

### Time Commitment

Weekly from 3:30-5:00pm every Monday at the New Canadians Centre during the school year

### Responsibilities

- Be a welcoming face
- Create a safe learning environment free of judgement
- Follow confidentiality procedures and keep individual's struggles to yourself and NCC staff

### What to expect

- New Canadians Centre staff will facilitate each session and be present at all times to guide the group and answer any questions
- During the first 15 minutes, snacks will be provided
- Volunteers will determine the topics they are able to help with (do you like math? English? Etc.)
- Newcomer students in need of homework support will bring their homework, assignments, tests, projects that they need help with
  - If you are able to help, you will be paired up one-on-one based on your strengths
  - If you aren't able to help that week – don't worry! Everyone else will enjoy activities and sports in the gym together
- The last 30 minutes everyone plays an activity or sport together

### Qualifications

- Friendly, welcoming and willing to help newcomers
- Able to be a friend to others
- Confident in a certain subject – science, math or fluent English
- Create a positive space free of bullying, judgement, gossip

### What you will receive:

- Community service/high school volunteer hours while having fun
- A chance to gain experience and add it to your resume
- An opportunity to learn about other cultures and languages from around the world
- Many new friends

