Finding Work Experience in Your Community

Skills and experience can be gained in a number of ways. Customer service and other industries can be through work experience, co-ops, and volunteering. Experience in areas like manufacturing and carpentry can be gained through opportunities like apprenticeships and co-ops.

How to Find Jobs in Your Community!

There are plenty of online job search engines. If you can't access the links below, google the name of the search engine. For example: *Newcomers Job Bank, or even the city/town's website.* You can also ask people you know and go visit workplaces in person.

Where to Find Jobs Online	Links
Government of Canada Job Banks Job Bank Youth Job Bank Newcomers Job Bank Job Bank App	https://www.jobbank.gc.ca/jobsearch/ https://www.jobbank.gc.ca/youth https://www.jobbank.gc.ca/findajob/newcomers https://www.jobbank.gc.ca/mobileapp
Youth Digital Gateway	https://youth-jeunesse.service.canada.ca/en

Where to Find Job Information?	Links
In Nova Scotia:	
Nova Scotia Works	https://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/services/services_renderer.17576.Job_Bank_for_Job_Seekers.html
Explore Careers Nova Scotia	https://www.nbjobs.ca/
Nova Scotia Immigration	https://www.workingnb.ca/
In New Brunswick:	
Job Bank for Job Seekers	https://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/services/services_renderer.17576.Job_Bank_for_Job_Seekers.html
NB Jobs	https://www.nbjobs.ca/
Working NB Travail	https://www.workingnb.ca/
In Newfoundland:	
Government of Newfoundland and Labrador Website	https://www.findnewfoundlandlabrador.com/live/working-in-nl/opportunities/
	https://www.gov.nl.ca/ipgs/youth/
In Prince Edward Island:	
Government of Prince Edward Island Website	https://www.princeedwardisland.ca/en/topic/jobs

How to Find Volunteer Opportunities in Your Community

Volunteering is a great way to gain experience and build skills. Volunteering is a way to help out the community, but you will not get paid. Some volunteer opportunities could lead to jobs. You can find opportunities by:

- Asking your school
- Searching for nearby non-profit organizations
- Finding upcoming events
- Asking friends and contacts if they know of volunteer opportunities
- Searching online

Where to Find Volunteering Online	Link

Youth Digital Gateway	https://youth-jeunesse.service.canada.ca/en
Canada Service Corps for Youth	https://www.canada.ca/en/services/youth/canada-service-corps/youth-volunteer.html
Volunteer Canada	https://volunteer.ca/

Where to Find Volunteering Experience?	Link
In Nova Scotia: Resources for Non-Profit Organizations and Volunteers	https://youth-jeunesse.service.canada.ca/en
In New Brunswick: Government of New Brunswick Website – Search on GNB.ca: Volunteer Opportunities	https://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/search.html?q=volunteer+opportunities&cx=004686105439310941724%3A3leejyo91sk&as_sitesearch=&cof=FORID%3A11&ie=UTF-8&x=0&y=0
In Newfoundland: Volunteer NL	https://volunteernl.ca/
In Prince Edward Island: Government of Prince Edward Island - Volunteer Opportunities	https://www.princeedwardisland.ca/en/topic/volunteer-opportunities

How to Find Internships, Apprenticeships, Grants and Co-ops

Internships, Apprenticeships, Grants, and Co-ops can help gain specific experience in a certain timeframe.

- Asking your school if they have a co-op program (For senior grades)

Online resources	Links
Youth Digital Gateway	https://youth-jeunesse.service.canada.ca/en

Where to Find Internships, Apprenticeships, Grants and Co-ops?	Links
In Nova Scotia	
Government of Nova Scotia Website - Apprenticeship Training	https://novascotia.ca/lae/apprenticeship.training/
Government of Nova Scotia Website - Post-Secondary Accessibility Services	https://novascotia.ca/post-secondary-accessibility-services/
In New Brunswick	
Government of New Brunswick Website - Post-Secondary Education, Training and Labour	https://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/departments/post-secondary_education_training_and_labour.html
Skills Compétences Canada	https://www.skillscanadanb.com/

In Newfoundland	
Government of Newfoundland - Student Aid	https://www.gov.nl.ca/education/studentaid/
Government of Newfoundland - Youth, Students, and Graduates	https://www.gov.nl.ca/atcd/apprentices-youth/
In Prince Edward Island	
Government of Prince Edward Island Website – Skills PEI	https://www.princeedwardisland.ca/en/topic/skills-pei
Government of Prince Edward Island Website - Student Loans, Bursaries, Grants and Awards	https://www.princeedwardisland.ca/en/topic/student-loans-bursaries-grants-and-awards?utm_source=redirect&utm_medium=url&utm_campaign=studentloans