



## Musqueam Community Newsletter

Friday January 22, 2022

TOLL FREE: 1-866-282-3261, FAX: 604-263-4212

SAFETY & SECURITY PATROL: 604-968-8058

# Important Notice: Bus Service Resumed,

## Tuesday January 18th

Children boarding the bus will be asked to sanitize their hands, they will also be asked Covid-19 health screening questions.

If your child is unwell or is a close contact with someone with Covid-19 or suspected Covid-19 please keep them home and isolate.

Children are required to wear a mask at all times on the bus and to practice social distancing.



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KEEP CALM



AND  
BE KIND

### ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH

Please come and join us  
Every Sunday for Mass.

TIME: 1:00 P.M.





## MUSQUEAM HEALTH UPDATE:

# COVID TESTS

### WHO TO CONTACT FOR A (Take Home) COVID TEST:

Call the COVID19 LIAISON

**Call: 236-688-4821** 7days/wk.

Or

**Email: covid@musqueam.bc.ca**

**Be advised MIB Health is following the Updated BC Centre for Disease Control Guidelines with regard to Covid tests.**

We are running low on all Covid Tests (nasal swab, gargle, and rapid tests) due to a recent surge in testing requests; more have been ordered but we are unsure of exact timeline on when we will receive more.

SYMPTOMS		WHAT TO DO
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Fever (above 38° C)</li><li>• Chills</li><li>• Cough</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Loss of sense of smell or taste</li><li>• Difficulty breathing</li></ul>	<b>1 or more of these symptoms:</b> Get tested and stay home.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Sore throat</li><li>• Loss of appetite</li><li>• Headache</li><li>• Body aches</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Extreme fatigue or tiredness</li><li>• Nausea or vomiting</li><li>• Diarrhea</li></ul>	<b>If you have 1 symptom:</b> Stay home until you feel better.  <b>2 or more of these symptoms:</b> Stay home and wait 24 hours to see if you feel better. Get tested if not better after 24 hours.

### WHAT NEXT AFTER YOU'VE DONE YOUR TEST?

If you receive a take home testing kit from MIB Health, it is helpful to us to self report to the CHN or Covid Liaison to help you navigate through next steps based off of your test result. If you or someone in your household tests positive, the Covid Liaison can assist with supports (like grocery orders) if needed.

- The Community Health Nurse is available to assist with questions, concerns around Covid testing, and/or results.
- The Covid Liaison is also available for additional information and/or supports during self-isolation.

**Please [be kind](#) to our staff in these difficult times.**

**[We are working hard to look after you.](#)**

**We have reassigned various health staff to support the current COVID crisis.**

## RAPID TESTS

If you live in community, if you feel sick & are experiencing any symptoms & would like a rapid test;



- If you have a vehicle and can drive,
- Proceed to the nearest testing sites to receive a rapid test kit.
- Local Testing sites: St.Vincent Drive-up 4875 Heather St., YVR 5911 N.Services Rd.,Richmond.

\*Due to limited numbers of available rapid tests, we are making this request to our community. If you need assistance call the Musqueam COVID-19 Liaison: 236-688-4821.

**[IF YOU HAVE TESTED POSITIVE](#)** for COVID-19 Please call the COVID-19 Liaison for assistance and further supports and supplies such as masks. Call: 236-688-4821 7days/wk.

**[GROCERY ORDERS:](#)** Please be advised our local grocery stores are experiencing shortages and some grocery orders are missing requested items- please note that we are doing the best we can with what we have access to.

## **[CONTACT TRACING & SELF ISOLATE:](#)**

- Notify your household members and or your close contacts that you have tested positive so that they may monitor their symptoms, and their loved ones.
- Self-isolate. Stay, and sleep in separate room from other family members, use separate bathroom.
- If you must share kitchen/bathroom, wear a mask.
- STAY HOME, do not visit house to house. This is an added precaution for our community to take extra care for our Elder's and community and to ensure everyone in community is supported and stays safe.



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MUSQUEAM HEALTH DEPARTMENT NEWSLETTER ~ JANUARY 21, 2022



**WE CAN HELP.**

**MEDICATION SUPPORT FOR  
ADDICTION**

### **Health Department - Programs and Services - Musqueam Indian Band**

The Musqueam Primary Care Clinic offers Musqueam community and band members addiction support through the issuance of prescribed medications.

We offer support for opioid addiction (i.e. methadone, suboxone), and for alcohol addiction (i.e. naltrexone), and for overdose prevention (i.e. naloxone).

**CALL THE PRIMARY CARE CLINIC TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT WITH THE NURSE PRACTITIONER OR DOCTOR REGARDING MEDICATION SUPPORT FOR ADDICTION.**

**PLEASE CALL TO BOOK AN APPOINTMENT AT 604-266-0043.**

**HOURS OF OPERATION: MON-FRI, 9:30AM-3:30PM (CLOSED 12:00PM-1:00PM FOR LUNCH)**





## COVID-19 VACCINES

### Musqueam Community COVID-19 VACCINE Clinic

**Date:** February 4, 2022      **Drop in Time:** 2-4:30pm      **Location:** Musqueam Gym

- **Children's Vaccines and boosters**
- **Adult Vaccines & Boosters**

**Registration:** Walk-in Registration, no need to make an appointment.

**What to Bring:** Your CARECARD, and previous yellow slip, and or white & blue card with the date of last COVID19 Vaccine(s) received.

*\*Watch for any changing or updated information in future Health Dept. Notices.*

### COMMUNITY HEALTH PROGRAM

*Crystal Point, RN, CHN*

#### MUSQUEAM PRE- AND POST-NATAL GROUP

Are you pregnant or have you recently had a baby?

The Musqueam Health Department offers some valuable incentives to pre-natal and post-natal families:

From the onset of pregnancy, until 3 months postpartum we offer weekly \$25.00 Save-on Foods Gift cards for nutritious foods such as – **milk, eggs, cheese, fruits & vegetables** to support healthy nutrition during pregnancy and breastfeeding.

- Nursing pads, as needed
- A one-time gift of an Electric Breast pump.      **One per family**
- Welcome gift for your new baby

To register for the Program, call the Community Health Nurse, Crystal Point, RN in the Health Department.

**Due to Public Health Guidelines**, the Pre-Natal program is currently not meeting in person. The Community Health Nurse is available to assist with maternal child health supports (electronically, virtually and/or home visit).

**Crystal Point, CHN:** Ph: 604-362-9200 | Email: [chn@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:chn@musqueam.bc.ca)

**Arlene Haldane, Assist:** Ph: 604-655-0580 | Email: [nurseassist@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:nurseassist@musqueam.bc.ca)

#### **NEED HELP REGISTERING BABY FOR MSP/FNHA HEALTH BENEFITS? GIVE US A CALL!**

For assistance with registering your Newborn you may call Candice Sparkes: 604-269-3312.

For questions or concerns about your Health Benefits or assistance with the PBC website or APP? You may contact: Ashlee Point 604-269-3395

**\*\* Please stay tuned for updates on Musqueam's Pre- and Post-Natal Luncheons – coming soon! 😊 .**



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MUSQUEAM NATIONAL NATIVE ALCOHOL & DRUG ABUSE PROGRAM

**NNADAP**

**DEPARTMENT**

**January 20, 2022**

**we CAN HELP  
YOU ~  
your LOVED  
ONE~  
or a FRIEND...**

We can help with Addiction supports & Education, resources are available to you or a loved one: such as Detox or assist you with getting at home medicated detox, treatment centers, family support, meetings for Alcohol, drugs, co dependency, al-anon, Indigenous meetings, family Interventions, one-on-one counselling.

**Brad 604-652-1368**

**W, TH, F 6-9 pm**

**Sat & Sun 1-5 pm**

**Nicolette 236-558-8482**

**M, T, W & F 8:30—4:30 pm**

**Thursday 1-8 pm**



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## HEALTH PATIENT NAVIGATOR

*Lisa Mitchell*

Lisa Mitchell is the Patient Navigator in the Musqueam Health Department. I am available to assist and support community members on their healthcare journeys.

If you have any questions regarding your health care coverage, FNHA Benefits, or need assistance filling out medical forms please do not hesitate to contact me.

I am available Monday to Friday from 8:30am to 4:30pm by phone: 604-764-5349 or email:

[navigator@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:navigator@musqueam.bc.ca)

## BREAKFAST CLUB

Breakfast Club is open we do the sandwiches first thing in the morning we'd like you to pick them up between 730-8:00am

If your Child Is **younger than 7** they must have a guardian who is **older than 14** with them at all times who will care for them. **Children 0-6 without a parent or guardian will be sent home.**

**Breakfast Club phone number: 604-269-3465**

## SAFE DRINKING WATER MONITORING PROGRAM

*Charlene Campbell-Wood*

### Water Talk - Drinking Water Quality in Canada

In nature, water is never "pure". It picks up bits and pieces of everything it comes into contact with, including minerals, silt, vegetation, fertilizers, and agricultural run-off. Canada's diverse physical geography--from its coastal regions to the mountains and the prairies, the northern tundra and the Canadian Shield--means that the characteristics of water vary greatly across the country. Even in relatively pristine areas, water in its natural state will likely require some type of treatment before it is safe to drink.

Drinking water in Canada comes either from underground sources (commonly called groundwater) such as aquifers, or from surface waters such as lakes and rivers. Most Canadians get their drinking water from public water systems that have to meet quality requirements set by provincial and territorial governments. In rural and remote areas, people may get their drinking water from wells or from surface water sources located on their own private property and are individually responsible for the safety of the drinking water.

## ART THERAPY FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH & ADULTS

*Janice Carroll, RCAT*

I am available Monday to Thursday from 830-430, for phone calls, emails or text conversations, and also, I can hold sessions via Zoom.



I can be reached on my **cell at:** 778-829-0242 or my **email is** [jcarroll@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:jcarroll@musqueam.bc.ca)

## MUSQUEAM MENTAL HEALTH AND WELLNESS PROGRAM

*Janice Cross*

This confidential counseling services are available Monday-Friday: 8:30- 4:00pm to our Musqueam people via phone or virtually. Call or email to and set up a time to talk to Janice Cross.

**Email:** [mentalwellness@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:mentalwellness@musqueam.bc.ca)

**For Private Counseling Call: 236-558-9977**



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## MUSQUEAM PRIMARY CARE CLINIC



Musqueam Elders Centre, 4010 Si Lu Drive, Vancouver BC V6N 4K7

Located in the Primary Care Trailer

*(Clinic closed 12:00pm – 1:00pm for lunch)*

Monday Jan. 24	Tuesday Jan. 25	Wednesday Jan. 26	Thursday Jan. 27	Friday Jan. 28
Karen Chandra, NP 9:30am - 3:30pm	Dr. Dumont, GP 9:30am - 3:30pm	Karen Chandra, NP 9:30am - 3:30pm  Traditional Healing and Song (Facebook Live)	Karen Chandra, NP 9:30am - 3:30pm	Karen Chandra, NP 9:30am - 3:30pm

**Call 604-266-0043 to book an appointment**

Please leave a voicemail if you cannot get through - we will return your call as soon as possible.



**Missed your telehealth or in-person appointment?** Call us to rebook for the next available date.

Please be available 15 minutes before and after your scheduled appointment call.



**Naloxone kits available.** (Injectable or Nasal Spray)  
Please check to see if your current kit has expired.  
Naloxone training on Wednesdays by appointment only.



**Prescription running low?** Please book an appointment a few days in advance. Or, ask your pharmacy to send us a refill request.

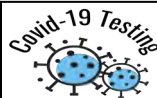


Influenza vaccines available, call the clinic to schedule an appointment

The MIB Primary Care Clinic

**will not** be testing for Covid-19

Please call COVID Liaison 236-688-4821



**Testing Site @ St. Vincent's**

Entrance off West 33rd Avenue by Heather Street, Vancouver.

Open daily 8:00am – 7:00pm (drop-in only)

Ages 4+

Nasopharyngeal and saline gargle available.

\*Community members must identify that they are from Musqueam First Nation.





*Supporting the **Fighters**,  
Admiring the **Survivors**, Honouring the **Taken** &  
Never Giving Up **Hope!***



## WHAT?

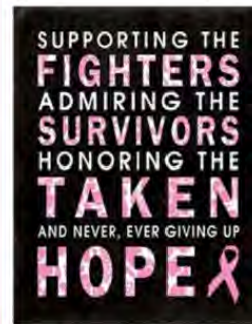
**Mobile Mammography Bus** is returning to Musqueam, have your mammogram right on site, a 10 minute procedure!

**WHEN?** January 24th 2022

10:10am—12:40pm | 2pm—4:20pm

## WHAT NEXT?

1. See **attached** registration form for eligibility!
  2. If you answer **NO** to ALL questions—you can:
  3. Fill out registration form, send to **Arlene** in the Health Department: [nurseassist@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:nurseassist@musqueam.bc.ca)
  4. Questions contact **Crystal**, CHN: 604 362 9200
- ⇒ Covid Protocols are in place (masks required; **DO NOT** attend your appointment if you have **ANY** symptoms of illness)



## HOME & COMMUNITY CARE PROGRAM

The Home Care Program is available to our community members to assist with hospital discharges, home care aides, all medical supplies & equipment.

Home care services & medical equipment require a note from your doctor with your needs specified.

- **Romeo's Office Hours:** Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday from 8:30-5:30 Tuesdays - Off
- **Phone:** 604-269-3463
- **email:** [homecare@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:homecare@musqueam.bc.ca)
- **or** [nurseassist@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:nurseassist@musqueam.bc.ca)

**HOME CARE CLIENTS:** If you will not be home during your scheduled HCA visit, please contact the Nurse Assistant, Arlene Haldane – 604 269 3354 or 604 655 0580.

If there is no answer please leave a message. **\*For Emergencies Call 911 \***



## First Nations Health Benefits (Plan W)

Plan W is designed to meet the unique needs of B.C. First Nations.

Plan W covers 100 percent of:

- Eligible prescription costs
- Certain medical supplies
- Certain over-the-counter drugs
- Some natural health products
- Pharmacy services

Plan W is funded by the [First Nations Health Authority \(FNHA\)](#).

## Who is eligible for Plan W?

You do not need to apply for Plan W.

Your pharmacist submits your prescription claim online, and your BC PharmaCare coverage is applied immediately.

## Over-the-counter medications

To be eligible for coverage for many [over-the counter \(OTC\) medications](#) you will need a prescription from your:

- Physician, Nurse practitioner, or Midwife

**OR**

- **A recommendation from your pharmacist**

For all covered OTCs, your pharmacist must submit a claim to PharmaCare at the time of purchase.

Contact the First Nations Health Authority if you have questions about your coverage. See [general coverage policies](#) for information about PharmaCare plans, including Plan W.

Note that FNHA clients are eligible for other [PharmaCare plans](#) if they meet the criteria for the plan(s).

**Call FNHA Health Benefits Support Line Toll Free: 1-855-550-5454**

Email the FNHA: [HealthBenefits@fnha.ca](mailto:HealthBenefits@fnha.ca)

FNHA website: <https://www.fnha.ca/benefits>

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/health/health-drug-coverage/pharmacare-for-bc-residents/who-we-cover/first-nations-health-authority-clients#contact>



## MUSQUEAM HEALTH 2SLGBTQ+ SUPPORT

*Dawn Marie, Trans Care Program Coordinator*

Happy January Everyone!

Here are a few noteworthy items from the 2SLGBTQIA+ community.

British Columbians are now able to **change their gender designations on the BC Services Card, BC Driver's License, BCID and BC Birth Certificates without the confirmation of a physician or psychologist.** (News Release: <https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2022HLTH0002-000056>)

The Government recognize that this requirement created a barrier to accessing gender-affirming identification and, in too many cases, created situations that may expose gender-diverse people to unsafe and potentially traumatizing situations.

**"Each individual knows their gender and we as government do not need a physician or psychologist to confirm what they tell us about who they are."**

### Changing/Correcting a Name, Birthdate, or Gender

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/health/health-drug-coverage/msp/bc-residents/managing-your-msp-account/changing-your-name>

### New Peer Support Group!

### Parents of Trans Kids

Parents of Trans Kids is a group of open, loving, and supportive allies whose grown-up offspring are trans, non-binary, or questioning. The group is launching next week and having its first meeting on January 26th, 2022.

**Facilitators contact:** [parents.of.trans@qmunity.ca](mailto:parents.of.trans@qmunity.ca)

### You Are Made of Medicine

A Mental Health Peer Support Manual for Indigiqueer, Two-Spirit, LGBTQ+, and Gender Non-Conforming Indigenous youth

<https://www.nativeyouthsexualhealth.com/peersupportmanual>

Dawn-Marie's office hours are Thursday 10am – 3pm. PH: 1-236-558-9948 email: [LGBTQ@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:LGBTQ@musqueam.bc.ca)

Dawn-Marie our 2SLGBTQIA+ Coordinator can be reached at [LGBTQ@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:LGBTQ@musqueam.bc.ca)

<https://bc.thrive.health/covid19/en>



**SCHOOL CHEQUES**

February high school cheques will be mailed, if we don't have your address on file the cheque will be available for pick up at the office. Post-secondary will remain direct deposit.

**2022 Graduates**

Grade 12 Musqueam band members are eligible to receive support for graduation costs including dinner tickets, outfits, and photos. Please contact the Education Department for more information.

**Planning for Post-Secondary in Grade 12**

- Check that the Grade 12 courses you are taking meet the admission requirements of the program/institution you want to attend
- Make sure you have the following information available to you: SIN, PEN, transcripts
- Check the admission and documentation deadlines for the institutions you plan on applying to on their website; for most institutions the deadline is between Jan-Mar
- The Education Dept will cover the cost of post-secondary application fees for band members in grade 12, submit receipts for reimbursement

**Tutoring**

If students require tutoring for the upcoming school year please contact the Education Department so that we may offer assistance.



**Education Department:**

Faye Mitchell, Education Manager:

[fmitchell@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:fmitchell@musqueam.bc.ca)

April Campbell, Learning Facilitator:

[learningfacilitator@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:learningfacilitator@musqueam.bc.ca)

Cary Campbell, School Bus Driver

Dona Grant, School Bus Supervisor

Ph. # 604 - 263 - 3261 Fax # 604 - 263- 4212

Toll free: 1-866-282-3261



# The Children's House

## Hours of Operation:

Preschool Program Hours: Monday—Friday 9:00 am—3:00pm.

Daycare Hours: Monday—Friday 7:45—5:00pm

The Children's House phone # 604 269-3302

Renee Stogan Manager email: [childcaresup@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:childcaresup@musqueam.bc.ca)

## The Children's House Staff

Renee Stogan Manager: 604 269-3302 email: [childcaresup@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:childcaresup@musqueam.bc.ca)

Infant/Toddler Staff: Christy Friesen, Kelly Herman, Alice Stogan

Preschool Staff: Ernestine Herman, Sherry Point, Stacy George

Kindergarten Registration is open November 1, 2021 - January 31, 2022.

Go to: [govsb.ca/kindergarten](https://govsb.ca/kindergarten) to register your child for Kindergarten.



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# Weekly Student Check-In Challenge with PRIZES!!

*Are you a student?*

**What to bring:** Blank white piece of paper and a black marker

**When:** Tuesday January 25th, 2022 5:30-6:00pm

**Where:** Register in advance for this meeting:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZltd-6grDgpGdwNKsMgAKi4YknGrqc3ob9v>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

**Who:** All Musqueam Elementary & High School Students

*Please remember to be Respectful and participate if you join.*

The more students we have, the more ideas, and sharing with our learning will create stronger community connections for all.

I hope to see you all there!

Sara Louie



# YVRART

FOUNDATION

## 2022 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

**FROM BC & YUKON INDIGENOUS ARTISTS**

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: JANUARY 27, 2022**



### EMERGING ARTIST SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Up to seven Emerging Artist (age 17-29) Scholarships for \$5,000 each will be awarded to emerging visual artists of BC or Yukon First Nations ancestry to study with an artist mentor or attend a school of art or art training program.

### MID-CAREER ARTIST SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Up to three Mid-Career Artist (age 30+) Scholarships for \$5,000 each will be awarded to visual artists of BC or Yukon First Nations ancestry to study with a master artist, attend a school of art or work on a special project that is of cultural significance to their community.

**For details on eligibility requirements and to apply for a scholarship,  
go to: [www.yvraf.com/programs](http://www.yvraf.com/programs)**

Artworks pictured by Shoshannah Greene (detail), Sage Nowak and Jade Hanuse (detail); Photography by Rachel Topham Photography

**For more information:**  
**[www.yvraf.com](http://www.yvraf.com) | [info@yvraf.com](mailto:info@yvraf.com) | T: 604.276.6261 |**





# Kindergarten Registration Deadline is Monday January 24th, 2022



Please register for your neighborhood catchment school, even if you plan on applying for private schools or cross boundary. The catchment school for Musqueam is Southlands Elementary.

Registration is a two-part process:

<https://www.vsb.bc.ca/School/School-Registration/Pages/Default.aspx>

Step 1. Complete online application:

<https://vsbapplynow.vsb.bc.ca>

Step 2. Verify documentation: contact catchment school and bring supporting documentation. Proof of residency, child's birth certificate, immunization records.

Catchment school info:

Southlands Elementary  
5351 Camosun St  
Vancouver, V6N 2C4  
Phone: 604-713-5414  
Email: [southlands@vsb.bc.ca](mailto:southlands@vsb.bc.ca)

## KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION TIMELINE

- NOV 1-JAN 31**  
**PRIORITY KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION**  
Children born in 2017 are eligible to register
- JAN 10-FEB 3**  
**DISTRICT CHOICE PROGRAM REGISTRATION**  
Optional programs offered by the District.  
Includes: French Immersion, Mandarin Bilingual,  
Fine Arts, Indigenous Focus and Montessori
- FEB 1-FEB 28**  
**CROSS-BOUNDARY REGISTRATION**  
For families who wish to attend a school  
outside of their catchment area
- MID FEBRUARY**  
**WAITLIST NOTIFICATION**  
Only families registered in identified  
full schools and district choice pro-  
grams will be notified
- LATE APRIL**  
★ **KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENT CONFIRMED**





# Vancouver School Board

## Student Registration Information & Check List

- ✓ If possible, please bring your child to the school during registration

### DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR REGISTRATION OF ALL SCHOOL AGE STUDENTS

In accordance with the School Act Section 82, Ministry of Education policy, and school district AP's 300, a student is eligible for a provincially funded education if Custodial Parent(s) or Legal Guardian(s) meet residency requirements. Students who are ordinarily resident in BC and whose Custodial Parent or Legal Guardian is ordinarily resident in BC and are enrolled in a program in School District No. 39 (Vancouver) are eligible for Ministry funding.

- ✓ **STATUS IN CANADA** required by **Custodial Parent or Legal Guardian and Child:**

#### CUSTODIAL PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN:

##### One of:

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Canadian birth certificate               | <input type="checkbox"/> Status Card   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Canadian passport                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Nexus Card with Citizen listed as CAN (Canadian)                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Canadian Citizenship card                | <input type="checkbox"/> Confirmation of Landed Immigrant or Permanent Residence (8-1/2 x 14" sheet) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent Resident Card (front and back) |  |

#### CHILD:

##### One of:

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Canadian Birth certificate | <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent Resident Card (front and back)                                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Canadian Passport          | <input type="checkbox"/> Status Card   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Canadian Citizenship card  | <input type="checkbox"/> Confirmation of Landed Immigrant or Permanent Residence (8-1/2 x 14" sheet) |

- ✓ **RESIDENCY** required by **Custodial Parent or Legal Guardian** - Custodial Parent or Legal Guardian must be ordinarily resident in British Columbia with a sufficient degree of continuity to ensure that there is a settled purpose other than to obtain free public education:

##### One of:

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Long-term Tenancy agreement - showing name and address        | <input type="checkbox"/> Property tax statement - showing name and address                                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Property purchase agreement - showing name and address        | <input type="checkbox"/> Proof of employment within the community (For Canadians and Permanent Residents only) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Income Tax statement - showing name and province of residency |  |

##### And Two of:

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Utility bill  | <input type="checkbox"/> Canadian bank account statement - showing name and address      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> BC Driver's Licence or Enhanced BC Driver's Licence | <input type="checkbox"/> Canadian credit card statement - showing name and address       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> BC ID   | <input type="checkbox"/> Proof of current school year membership in a local organization |
| <input type="checkbox"/> BC vehicle registration                             |  |

- ✓ **GUARDIANSHIP** required by **Custodial Parent or Legal Guardian:**

##### One of:

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Paper Birth Certificate - parents are named  | <input type="checkbox"/> If not the parent, the legal guardianship must be by <u>will</u> in accordance with the Infants Act or <u>court order</u> in accordance with the Family Law Act in British Columbia |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Income Tax statement - children are declared   | <input type="checkbox"/> Child in Care   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parent's Confirmation of Permanent Residency or Record of Landing or valid Immigration Canada documents - children named on document |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> If parents live separately, court order or written agreement granting care to accompanying parent                                    |  |

- ✓ **OTHER RECORDS** required by **Child:**

##### One EACH:

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Original School Report Cards with certified translation in English if needed. (Report cards from two most recent school years. | <input type="checkbox"/> Child's immunization records since birth and, if necessary, any other important health documents. |
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## POSITION SUMMARY

The *Community Health Representative and Liaison* (CHR/L) is responsible for participating in the delivery of high quality health education to the Musqueam community, supporting the Musqueam Health Department staff in the implementation and coordination of health programs on reserve, and liaising between patients, families, the community, and health care authorities to ensure a high quality of care. The CHR/L also provides resources and support to the Musqueam community regarding COVID-19, through coordinating with the regional health authority (RHA) contact tracers to ensure culturally safe practices. This role provides vital prevention and public health related support, specifically in relation to COVID-19 pandemic.

## PRINCIPAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Supports the coordination and implementation of Health Department programs affected by the pandemic and works with CHN, Primary Care Clinic, and health staff to promote health updates and services (i.e. COVID restriction updates, vaccine distribution, mental health services, NNADAP, etc.)
- Demonstrates a healthy lifestyle and is a role model for the community.
- Monitors the community for general health, including during epidemics and emergencies, by supporting CHN, Home Care, etc.
- Works collaboratively with Musqueam community, families, and RHA COVID-19 contact tracers to support culturally safe contact tracing services:
  - Supports contact tracing process by monitoring designated community members via phone to ensure that holistic needs are being met and isolation plans are being maintained.
  - Problem solves community specific barriers to support contact tracers – e.g. uses alternative methods of contacting individuals when one may not have a phone, etc.
- Ensures individuals and families understand COVID-19 precautions, developing specific procedures for the community with the CHN and sharing information on basic infection control practices to prevent any future transmission of the virus;
- Develops and maintains strong working partnerships with communities, health care providers, health system partners and relevant organizations to support coordinated care.
- Acts as a direct resource to community – answering or responding to questions of citizens directly.
- Connects to the communities' away-from-home population/families in event of an outbreak.
- Assists in identifying accommodations in community that could be used, modified if needed, for self-isolation, and/or surge capacity.
- Assists community in ordering, receiving and distributing personal protective equipment.
- Provides regular reporting on services provided.
- Performs other related duties as assigned.

## JOB SPECIFICATIONS

- Grade 12 or equivalent
- Demonstrated ability to maintain confidentiality of sensitive information
- Ability to organize and plan own work
- Ability to be flexible and meet changing priorities
- Good verbal and written skills
- Strong ability to collaborate with others and work well in a team
- Ability to keep clear notes and provide professional reports when requested

To apply, please submit your resume to [hrgeneralist@musqueam.bc.ca](mailto:hrgeneralist@musqueam.bc.ca) or drop it off at the Band Office.

This is a three month term position of 35 hours a week, starting in February and ending in April.

**MUSQUEAM  
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## **SAFETY TRAINING**

**MINI EXCAVATOR DAY 1** Saturday,  
January 15, 2022

**MINI EXCAVATOR DAY 2** Sunday, January  
16, 2022

**TELEHANDLER DAY 1** Saturday, January  
22, 2022

**TELEHANDLER DAY 2** Sunday, January 23,  
2022

**INTRO TO APPRENTICESHIP** Sunday,  
January 30, 2022

### **Requirements:**

- Completed PIF
- Direct Deposit Info
- Proof of Vaccination

### **Training Includes:**

- Breakfast & Lunch
- Completion bonus

**Please contact E&T staff to register**







Musqueam Employment & Training

# COMPUTERS 101

**Start Date:** Monday, January 17, 2022

**End Date:** Thursday, March 24, 2022

**When:** Monday and Thursday Nights

**Time:** 2-hour class, times TBD (between 4pm - 8pm)

**Location:** Musqueam Computer Lab

- Catering included

## Computer Basics

- Basic computer terminology
- Navigating the different operating systems (Google, Internet Explorer, etc.)
- Keyboarding techniques
- Email basics (etiquette)
- Introduction to Microsoft Office (Word, Outlook, etc.)

## Requirements

- Completed E&T Paperwork
- Proof of Vaccination
- Direct Deposit Info

**\*A Microsoft Office Administrative computer course will follow in late March of 2022\***

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# **SAW OPERATOR TRAINING COURSE**

**Interested in a career in urban forestry and arboriculture? Inlailawatash is a local First Nations tree company offering a saw operating course, with career opportunities available upon successful completion!**

## **Course Contents:**

- **Basic Saw Operator Training**
  - Mechanics of the saw
  - Correct ergonomics
  - Techniques for cutting, limbing, bucking
  - Saw maintenance
- **First Aid Level 1**
- **Basic Fire Suppression (\$100)**
- **Bear and Wildlife Awareness**
- **BC Hydro Utility Tree Workers Certification**

**Date:** February 14–18, 2022  
**Location:** North Vancouver  
(venue to be confirmed)  
**Time:** 8.30am to 4.30pm  
**Cost:** Free (bring your own lunch)

## **TO APPLY FOR THE COURSE CONTACT:**

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# Roots & Shoots

## Internship Program

**Feb 22 – July 22, 2022 | Tuesday - Saturday | 10:00am - 4:00pm | \$15.20/hour**

*Land-based job training: Feb 22 - April 30 / Work placement: May 2 - July 22*

- Gain job skills in environmental stewardship
- Learn about native plant horticulture, habitat restoration & plant medicine
- Improve your digital and communication skills
- Explore environmental education and facilitation
- Connect with Indigenous Elders and Knowledge Keepers

**For youth ages 18 - 25 who identify as BIPOC or living with a disability**

Lunch and bus passes provided

Based at Strathcona Community Gardens (759 Malkin Ave) and  
Renfrew Ravine (3998 Renfrew St)

### Learn more and apply at:

[www.eya.ca/internship](http://www.eya.ca/internship) (deadline Jan 23<sup>rd</sup>)

Phone us at 604-689-4446 or

email [sonia@eya.ca](mailto:sonia@eya.ca) with any questions.

This program takes place on xʷməθkʷəyəm (Musqueam),  
Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish), and səliłwətaʔ (Tsleil-Waututh) territory.



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*Due to Covid-19, activities will be a  
combination of online and in-person  
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regulations of the BC Health Authority.*







## Roots & Shoots Internship:

**Paid Environmental Career Development Opportunity  
(Feb 2022 - July 2022)**

**Job Title:** Roots & Shoots Internship, Roots & Shoots Program

**Hours:** 30 hrs/wk, 10am - 4pm

**Dates:** Feb 22, 2022 - July 22, 2022 (Tuesday - Saturday weekly)  
(10 - Week Land-based Program Feb 22 - April 30;  
12-Week Work Placement May 2 - July 22)

**Wage:** \$15.20 per hour

### What we do

The Environmental Youth Alliance (EYA) supports youth living in the Downtown Eastside to connect with nature, grow new skills, and build community. Our programs empower youth to connect with the land, grow native plants and rewild green spaces in Vancouver's urban neighbourhoods. To find out more visit <http://www.eya.ca>

**[COVID-19 UPDATE]** EYA continues to adhere to the guidelines and regulations of the BC Health Authority. To ensure the safety of all participants, staff, and guests, this program requires participants to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19 due to the high number of contact hours in both an indoor & outdoor setting. For outdoor programming, participants must be masked or maintain 2-metre physical distancing; for indoor programming masks must be worn at all times. Furthermore, we follow EYA's COVID-19 health and safety protocols including no sharing of gloves, mass sanitation of tools, and frequent hand-washing. Please reach out if you have any questions about this or visit <https://eya.ca/covid19/> to learn more.

### Position Overview

Do you enjoy working outside and learning from the land? Would you like to connect with community experts and knowledge keepers to deepen your learning? Want to increase your employability skills and find work in the environmental field? Apply to join EYA's Roots & Shoots Program!

We're looking for five young adults to join this fully-paid job skills program, which includes:

- **10-week land-based training (Feb 22 - April 30):** Spend 10 weeks learning and working on the land at EYA's outdoor sites in East Vancouver. Build your environmental job skills in areas such as native plant horticulture, ecological restoration, Indigenous plant knowledge, and environmental education. Grow your employability skills in areas such as digital skills, communication, personal management, teamwork, and career navigation through remote and in-person workshops.
- **12-week supported work placement (May 2 - July 22):** Spend 12 weeks in an internship position with a local environmental organization. EYA staff will help you find a

well-suited work placement that aligns with your values and career goals. You'll build a community of other youth, community partners and EYA staff and receive one-on-one support throughout the work placement, as well as continued career navigation support.

### **Key Responsibilities and Program Highlights**

As a Roots & Shoots intern, you will

- Develop employability skills like written and verbal communication, teamwork, problem solving, project management, event planning and digital literacy
- Develop environmental job skills like native plant horticulture, Indigenous plant knowledge, ecological restoration, and environmental education
- Learn to improve your resume and cover letter, prepare for interviews, set goals, and navigate your career
- Learn about and participate in cultural ceremonies and practices led by Indigenous knowledge keepers and Elders
- Restore & maintain urban wild spaces like medicinal plant gardens and wildlife habitat through weeding, watering, removal of invasive species and planting native species
- Get your Occupational First Aid Level 1 and Food Safe certifications
- Gain practical experience in website, social media, and other marketing tasks
- Gain valuable work experience for your resume
- Participate in other activities related to your personal and professional goals

### ***Skills & requirements***

- Available to participate in full 22-week program (Tues-Sat from 10am-4pm)
- Interested in self-growth and learning new employability skills, both through hands-on workshops and computer-based training
- Interested in exploring job options and building skills in the environmental field
- Able to do physical work in an outdoor setting in all weather conditions
- Reliable and able to show up on time
- Willingness to learn communication skills and how to work on a team and individually
- Excited to learn more about plants and wildlife
- Familiar with the Downtown Eastside neighbourhood
- Able to work responsibly and safely in urban parks and gardens
- Able to follow EYA's safe work practices - e.g. safe use of landscaping tools, rakes, shovels, hammer, saw, etc.
- Able to follow EYA's COVID-19 safety rules including full vaccination, physical distancing, mask wearing, frequent hand-washing, and no sharing of tools or gloves
- Satisfactory criminal record check, including vulnerable sector check

**This program is open to all youth age 18-25** who identify as Indigenous, racialized minorities, and/or living with a disability. We strongly encourage past EYA participants to apply!

**How to apply:** If interested, please fill out the [Roots & Shoots Internship application form](#). If you have any questions, please email [sonia@eya.ca](mailto:sonia@eya.ca).

**Applications will close on Sunday January 23, 2021.**

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## An afternoon with *Sankofa* artists at MOA

Join MOA this Saturday for artist talks by Vancouver-based artists Chase Keetley and Chantal Gibson, whose powerful works are featured in MOA's current feature exhibition—*Sankofa: African Routes, Canadian Roots*.

The afternoon starts with multi-disciplinary artist and founder of Black Arts Vancouver, Chase Keetley, whose multimedia altar installation, *We Lost People: Diasporic Departure* (2021), created with artist Berlynn Beam, is featured in *Sankofa*. Keetley will discuss his work and the ideas and process behind his artistic practice.

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display in *Sankofa*. Gibson will read from her two recent books of poetry, *How She Read* and *with/holding* (available for purchase at the MOA Shop). Gibson will be available for book signings.

**January 22 | 1 – 2:30 pm**

**Free with museum admission**

Space is limited; arrive early to avoid disappointment.

COVID-19 safety protocols for events are in effect. Read full protocols [here](#).

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## Upcoming Sankofa Events



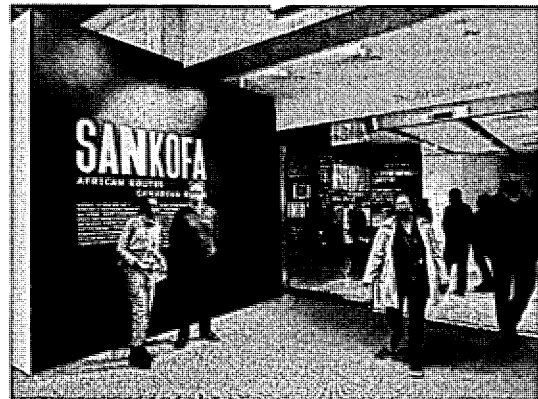
### Sankofa Film Festival

Presented in conjunction with MOA's new feature exhibition *Sankofa: African Routes, Canadian Roots* (which runs until March 27, 2022), this mini film festival features a series of short and feature-length documentaries about the African diaspora throughout the Americas.

**February 12 | 11 am – 3 pm**

**Free with museum admission**

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### Sankofa Exhibition Tours

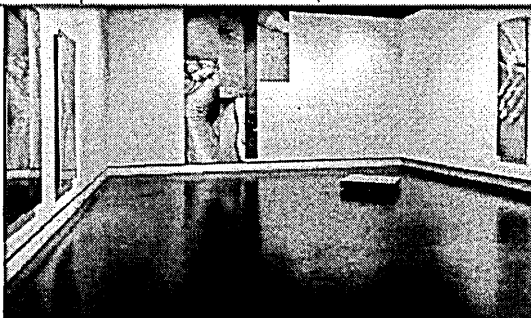
Join a selection of curators, artists and community leaders for special exhibition tours of *Sankofa: African Routes, Canadian Roots*, with a focus on sharing perspectives about African and Black history, political affirmation and cultural identity.

**Select Saturdays | 3 – 4 pm**

**Free with museum admission**

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## MOA's Visual + Material Cultural Seminar Series

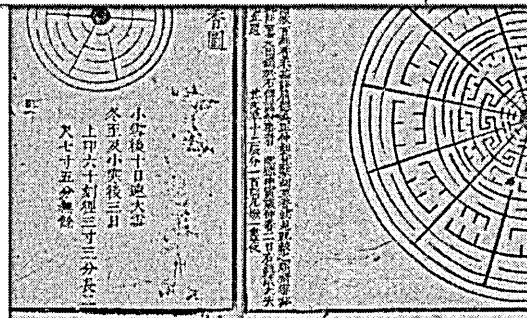
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## **1b, black legs, 52" with Karice Mitchell**

While allowing space to acknowledge the historical legacy of racism in an effort to subvert it, Karice Mitchell's work strives to re-imagine new possibilities of Black womanhood detached from white supremacy and patriarchy.

**January 20 | 4 – 5 pm**  
Online via Zoom

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## **From the Clock to the Maze with Haoyue Li**

Haoyue Li's seminar situates Robert van Gulik's fictional work, *The Chinese Maze Murders* (1956), into the broader socio-cultural context of the recording of "incense-seal pictures" in medieval/late imperial Chinese scent manuals.

**February 3 | 4 – 5 pm**  
Online via Zoom

[Register Now](#)

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