



Volunteer Opportunities with Salt Spring Literacy

Volunteer Tutor Opportunities:

One on one tutors: A variety of adult learners come to the Elma Rubright Literacy Centre for assistance. Some tutors are working with people who are learning English as a Second Language, upgrading their basic math and English skills and acquiring basic computer literacy. We have a few Special Needs clients as well. The Literacy Office provides training, help with assessment, ongoing support and teaching resources.

Small group tutors: We are searching for volunteers who may be interested in supporting an ESL conversation group. Other small group needs will be determined at a later date. For example, there is a possibility of implementing a homework club in cooperation with the Library.

Volunteer Outreach volunteers:

Travelling Book Box Program: We are looking for volunteers who are interested in supporting community literacy and meeting potential clients in the community through our Travelling Book Box program. We will be piloting this program at Soups On this fall with plans to extend it to Copper Kettle, the Food Bank and In From the Cold. The Literacy office plans to provide specialized training for this volunteer work and ongoing volunteer support.

Special Events: Salt Spring Literacy is looking for volunteers who are interested in organizing and/or participating in special events promoting literacy in our community.

Volunteer Office Receptionists

The Elma Rubright Literacy Centre would like to be open six days a week through the support of volunteer receptionists. Training for this work will orient volunteers to the office procedures and the resources available to clients and tutors.

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Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world. Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has.

Margaret Mead