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# BIOLOGY?






### Skills:

-  Biology students develop concrete skills to work in professional careers, which are related to science.
-  You will develop a scientific approach to thinking, so that you can resolve problems effectively.
-  Take on leadership roles, and be able to work in a team environment.
-  Collect data and be able to record your ideas in lab reports.
-  Enhance your ability to interpret scientific data and theories that you can apply professionally.

### Sample Occupations

Occupation	Strategies for building experience
<b>Acupuncturists</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Become a member of UFV's Biology and Chemistry Student Association.</li> <li> Speak to an Acupuncturist.</li> <li> Look at The Canadian Society of Chinese Medicine and Acupuncture website.</li> <li> Look into co-op and/or work study positions.</li> </ul>
<b>Chiropractor</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Become a member of UFV's Biology and Chemistry Student Association.</li> <li> Speak to a Chiropractor.</li> <li> Look at the Canadian Chiropractic Association website.</li> <li> Volunteer at the Abbotsford Regional Hospital or the Canadian Cancer Society.</li> <li> Look into co-op and/or work study positions.</li> </ul>
<b>Agronomist</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Volunteer at your local agricultural farm.</li> <li> Become a member of UFV's Agriculture Student Society.</li> <li> Look into co-op and/or work study positions.</li> </ul>
<b>Conservation Officer</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Join UFV Students for Sustainability Club.</li> <li> Become a volunteer at the Greater Vancouver Zoo.</li> <li> Look into co-op and/or work study positions.</li> </ul>
<b>Dietitians</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Become a member of UFV's Biology and Chemistry Student Association.</li> <li> Speak to a Dietitian.</li> <li> Look at the Dietitians of Canada Website.</li> <li> Look into co-op and/or work study positions.</li> </ul>
<b>Ecologist</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Become a member of the Canadian Society of Environmental Biologists.</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>🌱 Look at the Society for Canadian Women in Science and Technology website.</li> <li>🌱 Join UFV Students for Sustainability Club.</li> <li>🌱 Volunteer at Abbotsford Parks and Recreation.</li> <li>🌱 Look into co-op and/or work study positions.</li> </ul>
<b>Environmental Scientist</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>🌱 Become a member of the BC Environment Industry Association.</li> <li>🌱 Look at the Society for Canadian Women in Science and Technology website.</li> <li>🌱 Look at Environment Canada's website for volunteer opportunities.</li> <li>🌱 Become a member of Students for Sustainability Club.</li> <li>🌱 Look into co-op and/or work study positions.</li> </ul>
<b>Fish Health Specialist</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>🌱 Become a member of UFV's Biology and Chemistry Student Association.</li> <li>🌱 Look at the BC Salmon Farms Association website.</li> <li>🌱 Become a member of Students for Sustainability Club.</li> <li>🌱 Look into co-op and/or work study positions.</li> </ul>
<b>Forensic Scientist</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>🌱 Become a member of UFV's Biology and Chemistry Student Association.</li> <li>🌱 Volunteer at the Abbotsford Police Department.</li> <li>🌱 Look at the Canadian Society of Forensic Science.</li> <li>🌱 Look into co-op and/or work study positions.</li> </ul>
<b>Horticulturalist</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>🌱 Become a member of the BC Landscape and Nursery Association.</li> <li>🌱 Volunteer at your local Nurseries, and/or Abbotsford Parks and Recreation.</li> <li>🌱 Become a member of UFV's Agriculture Student Society.</li> <li>🌱 Look into co-op and/or work study positions.</li> </ul>
<b>Interpretive Naturalist</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>🌱 Become a volunteer at the Greater Vancouver Zoo.</li> <li>🌱 Become a member of Students for Sustainability Club.</li> <li>🌱 Look into co-op and/or work study positions.</li> </ul>
<b>Naturopathic Doctor</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>🌱 Become a member of UFV's Biology and Chemistry Student Association.</li> <li>🌱 Speak to a Naturopathic Doctor.</li> <li>🌱 Look at the Canadian Association of Naturopathic Doctors' website.</li> <li>🌱 Look into co-op and/or work study positions.</li> </ul>
<b>Pharmacy</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>🌱 Become a member of UFV's Biology and Chemistry Student Association.</li> <li>🌱 Speak to a Pharmacist.</li> <li>🌱 Look at the British Columbia Pharmacy Association website.</li> <li>🌱 Look into co-op and/or work study positions.</li> </ul>
<b>Research Assistant</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>🌱 Become a member of UFV's Biology and Chemistry Student Association.</li> <li>🌱 Volunteer at your local hospital or the Canadian Cancer Research Society.</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Look at the Society for Canadian Women in Science and Technology website.</li> <li> Look into and/or work study co-op positions.</li> </ul>
<b>Science Writing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Become a member of UFV's Biology and Chemistry Students Association.</li> <li> Look at The Canadian Science Writers Association.</li> <li> Look into co-op and/or work study positions.</li> </ul>

## University Links:

Biology Department:

Biology and Chemistry Student Association:

Students for Sustainability:

UFV Agriculture Student Society:

<http://www.ufv.ca/biology.htm>

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## Association Links:

Association of Professional Biologists of British Columbia

BC Landscape and Nursery Association

BC Salmon Farms Association

British Columbia Pharmacy Association

Canadian Association of Naturopathic Doctors

Canadian Chiropractic Association

Canadian Federation of Biological Societies

Canadian Science Writers Association

Canadian Society of Environmental Biologists

Canadian Society of Forensic Science

College of Applied Biology

Dietitians of Canada

The Canadian Society of Chinese Medicine and Acupuncture

Society for Canadian Women in Science and Technology

[www.apbbc.bc.ca](http://www.apbbc.bc.ca)

[www.bcina.com](http://www.bcina.com)

[www.salmonfarmers.org](http://www.salmonfarmers.org)

[www.bcpharmacy.ca](http://www.bcpharmacy.ca)

[www.cand.ca](http://www.cand.ca)

[www.chiropracticcanada.ca](http://www.chiropracticcanada.ca)

[www.cfb.org/aboutus.html](http://www.cfb.org/aboutus.html)

[www.sciencewriters.ca](http://www.sciencewriters.ca)

[www.cseb-scbe.org](http://www.cseb-scbe.org)

[www.csfs.ca](http://www.csfs.ca)

[www.cab-bc.org/index.php](http://www.cab-bc.org/index.php)

[www.dietitians.ca](http://www.dietitians.ca)

[www.tcmcanada.org](http://www.tcmcanada.org)

[www.scwist.ca](http://www.scwist.ca)

## Volunteer Links:

Abbotsford Police Department

Abbotsford Regional Hospital

Canadian Cancer Research Society

Greater Vancouver Zoo

Environment Canada

Abbotsford Parks and Recreation

<http://abbypd.ca>

[www.fraserhealth.ca](http://www.fraserhealth.ca)

[www.cancer.ca](http://www.cancer.ca)

[www.gvzoo.com](http://www.gvzoo.com)

[www.ec.gc.ca](http://www.ec.gc.ca)

[www.abbotsford.ca](http://www.abbotsford.ca)