



## Youth Advisor

Passionate about education and community? Join York Region Educational Services (YRES) and help empower individuals with affordable, accessible learning. Together, let's shape a brighter future through education.

### **About York Region Educational Services:**

YRES is a non-profit organization committed to delivering affordable educational resources to the York Region community and beyond. We create a nurturing environment that encourages personal growth, motivation, and inspiration, laying the groundwork for our learners' success.

### **About this opportunity:**

We are looking for Youth Advisors who are passionate about their community, committed to making an impact and creating positive change, and can make YRES more youth friendly.

### Key responsibilities are as follows:

- **Assess Community Needs:** Conduct surveys to understand community needs and adjust programs to meet those needs.
- **Engage Youth:** Organize events and develop strategies to engage youth and encourage their ongoing participation.
- **Ensure Program Relevance:** Act as a liaison, ensuring programs are relevant and impactful, and provide coaching and mentorship to youth, including personalized skill development.
- **Build Community Connections:** Attend school fairs and networking events to promote programs and foster connections with youth.



Position requirements:

- Experience working with teens and young adults.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills to handle communications and build rapport with internal and external stakeholders.
- Familiarity with Canva and Google Workspace.
- Project management skills, organizational skills, and the ability to manage timelines and priorities.
- Ability to travel to meetings and conferences; some evenings and weekends may also be required.
- A valid G2/G Driving license.
- A satisfactory Vulnerable Sector Check is required from successful candidates.

Assets:

- Fluency in multiple languages.
- Strong cultural sensitivity.
- Strong problem-solving and counselling skills.

**\*\*This is a full-time position requiring in-person availability.\*\***

**\*\*The salary for this position is \$26-30 per hour.\*\***