

JOIN THE FOOD SQUAD

STUDENT AMBASSADOR PROGRAM



Food Squad Ambassadors have a critical role in the **TRU Food Security Initiative** by supporting our holistic efforts to combat food insecurity on campus.

BENEFITS

- Gain hands-on experience in community organizing, social media content creation, peer mentoring, and working on a project in the start-up phase.
- Develop leadership and communication and peer support skills with a focus on diversity, equity and inclusion
- Receive comprehensive training and ongoing support
- Build meaningful relationships with fellow students, staff, and community members

TO APPLY

- We will only accept online applications that are submitted by **Sunday, March 19, 2023 at midnight.**
- Apply online at: www.tru.ca/foodsquad
- Email Inquiries to: foodsecurity@tru.ca
- For more information about the TRU Food Security Initiative, please visit: www.tru.ca/foodsecurity

WORK YOU CAN ENGAGE IN

- Coordinate and maintain an on-campus community fridge and freezer program.
 - stocking and organizing fridge/freezer
 - tracking inventory
 - ensuring food safety standards are met
- Conduct student food security outreach initiatives including tabling, flyers, and other marketing efforts
- Develop social media and marketing content to provide students with educational and awareness content
- Provide peer support to students who require assistance connecting with food access resources and support
- Program planning and implementation support
- Assist at program events and workshops
- Participate in bi-weekly meetings to plan and coordinate program activities

WHAT WE ARE LOOKING FOR

- Passion for community service and helping others
- Interest in social justice, food justice, food security, nutrition, and related topics
- Organizational and communication skills
- Flexibility to adapt to changing program needs and priorities
- Time management to ensure successful completion of tasks
- Comfort with technology and social media platforms
 - Programs & Social Media Platforms used: Canva, Notion, Creator Studio and MS Office, Instagram and Facebook

TIME COMMITMENT

- 7 hours per week with flexibility to attend training, events and workshops

MANDATORY TRAINING SESSIONS

- You must be available for a few days at the end of August 2023 for Training. (dates TBD)