



Canadian Food
Inspection Agency

Agence canadienne
d'inspection des aliments

Student Employment Opportunity – Plant Health

Employer: Canadian Food Inspection Agency (CFIA) (www.inspection.gc.ca)

Job Title: Summer Student

Locations: Stephenville, NL and Corner Brook, NL

Number of Positions to be filled: 1

State and End Dates: May 12 to August 29, 2025 (Final Dates TBD)

Hours per Week: 37.5

Rate of Pay: Range from \$17.36 – \$ 27.68 (Based on the student's current academic level and institution type)

Pay Frequency: Bi-weekly

Application Deadline: March 6, 2025

CFIA's Mission: Dedicated to safeguarding food, animals and plants, which enhances the health and well-being of Canada's people, environment and economy.

Duties: CFIA summer students work with inspection staff or individually to deploy, monitor and collect data for Plant Health Surveys. Generally, students are engaged in field work in parks, recreation areas, nurseries / greenhouses, or forested areas but may be involved with computer and office work as well.

Typical tasks include:

- The deployment and regular monitoring of the various traps to conduct insect collection and subsequent submission to the entomology lab for analysis.
- Use of survey and sample submission applications to collect, compile and review data.
- Other related duties as determined by the Supervisor.

Qualifications:

1. University or college student enrolled in Science, Environmental, Natural Resources, or Agricultural studies. Must be enrolled as a full time returning student in the Fall of 2025.
2. In your application/resume, please identify the legal status which entitles you to work in Canada – Canadian citizenship, permanent resident status or work permit.

Statement of Qualifications: The following Essential Competencies will be applied/assessed:

1. Working in a Team Environment
2. Planning/Organizing
3. Initiative
4. Communication (oral and written)

Conditions of Employment:

1. Must be willing to work irregular hours on occasion (days, nights, and weekends).
2. Must be willing to work overtime, as required.

3. Must possess a valid driver's license to drive CFIA fleet vehicles within NL (copy of valid driver's license to be provided at the interview).
 4. Mandatory use of all prescribed safety materials, equipment, devices and clothing.
 5. The successful candidate will be asked to undergo a security clearance check prior to any job offer.
 6. The successful candidate will be required to undergo pre-employment medical screening.
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CFIA Contact Information – Students are requested to send their resumes, cover letter, and confirmation of enrolment in the Fall of 2025 to:

Canadian Food Inspection Agency

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