



Fishery Officer Student Program

Summer 2027

Launch your career with the Fishery Officer Student Program !

Gain valuable paid, hands-on experience with Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO), develop practical skills, and explore exciting career opportunities while contributing to the conservation and protection of Canada's aquatic resources.



Full-time summer employment

From May to August 2027

Earn between \$17.75 and \$31.69 per hour

Various locations across Canada

What you will do

Students will assist fishery officers in:

- Participating in public education and outreach activities;
- Accompanying fishery officers on their routine patrols;
- Assisting with the management of fisheries related materials and maintaining inventories;
- Responding to public inquiries, and document preparation;
- Preparing and maintaining vehicles, vessels and equipment; and
- Performing general office administration and organizational duties.

If you have any questions, please email us at:
DFO.NATCPFOSP-PEAPCPNAT.MPO@dfo-mpo.gc.ca

How to apply

Apply through the specialized Fishery Officer Student Program (FOSP) inventory through the Federal Student Work Experience Program (FSWEP). Applications are open from September 2 to November 15, 2026.



About DFO

As one of Canada's largest federal departments, DFO offers rewarding opportunities to make a meaningful impact while developing valuable skills in a diverse and inclusive workplace. Within DFO, Conservation and Protection (C&P), Canada's oldest national law enforcement program, is committed to protecting fisheries and aquatic resources through education, partnerships, and compliance monitoring.

Come join our dynamic DFO team !

