

## 2022/2023 WORK STUDY PROGRAM

### JOB POSTING

**JOB TITLE:** ED CD3 - Grad Research Assistant

**DEPARTMENT NAME:** ED CD Curriculum and Instruction

**CONTACT NAME:** Dr. Jennifer S. Thom

#### JOB DESCRIPTION:

In combination of the four research SSHRC-funded projects: *Investigating the Mathematics of Mainstream Deaf and Hard of Hearing (D/HH) Elementary Students: An (Em)bodied Approach*; *Spatial Reasoning and Projective Geometry in the Primary Years*; *Advancing Research Methodology in Mathematics Education for Collective Learning Systems*; and *Mathematics Education for STEM as Place*, one or more grad research assistants (GRA) will be hired for a minimum 100 hours each (see below for hourly rate).

Each GRA will play an integral role in these mathematics education studies with Thom and her colleagues and participate in various phases of the projects which include:

- searching and reviewing literature
- preparing presentations and manuscripts for review, workshops, conferences, and/or publication
- coordinating and facilitating data storage and security
- creating and maintaining the research team online worksite, website and/or blog
- working alongside elementary teachers
- preparing learning materials
- co-teaching and videotaping mathematics lessons
- interviewing students
- video and/or literature-based analyses

#### QUALIFICATIONS:

Each position requires the GRA to have experience and/or be knowledgeable in as many of the following areas:

- knowledge and experience using The American Psychological Association (APA) 7 style manual
- conducting literature searches/reviews for both conceptual and empirical research
- knowledge and technical skills for creating and managing online platforms to facilitate the research teams' ongoing communication and collaborative work
- qualitative methodologies involving video-based research
- working with elementary children
- mathematics teaching
- (em)bodied cognition
- deafness, deaf education, and/or American Sign Language

APPLICANTS MUST BE ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE WORK STUDY PROGRAM

For details go to: <http://www.uvic.ca/registrar/safa/work-study/index.php>

**JOB LOCATION ON-CAMPUS:** This job entails the GRA to carry out the described tasks when possible, remotely, and when not, tasks will be carried out either on-campus or off-campus with the work study supervisor and doctoral fellow. All on-campus and off-campus work follow COVID-19 protocol.

**WORK STUDY WAGE:** \$16.50/hour (including 4% vacation pay)

**DEPARTMENT TOP UP:** \$10.00 /hour (or equivalent to meet minimum UVic GRA hourly rate) (includes 4% vacation pay) (PI Thom)

**HOURS AVAILABLE:** 100 hours from September 13 to April 29, 2023

**HOW TO APPLY:** Please submit your CV, letter of interest, and letter of acceptance to participate in the work study program to Dr. Jennifer Thom via email: [jethom@uvic.ca](mailto:jethom@uvic.ca)