

Volunteer Opportunities for Refugee Claimants

Harvest Manitoba

Position: Warehouse Food Crew

- ❖ Location: 1085 Winnipeg Avenue
- ❖ Time Commitment: Flexible hours based on availability
- ❖ Language Requirements: **Basic communication skills (English or French)**
- ❖ Description of duties:
 - Sorting food, packing hampers, delivering food to food banks and more
- ❖ Apply here: <https://www.harvestmanitoba.ca/volunteer/>

Siloam Mission

Positions: Food services, drop-in, clothing store, and donation sorting

- ❖ Location: 300 Princess Street
 - ❖ Time Commitment: Varies depending on position
 - ❖ Language requirements: **Basic Communication skills to excellent communication skills** depending on the role
 - ❖ Description of duties:
 - Help in the Kitchen with meal preparation, and cleanup
 - Interact in a positive way with community members
 - Sorting through donation items
 - ❖ Apply here: <https://www.siloam.ca/action/group-volunteer-opportunities/>
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MCC Thrift Stores

Position: Organizer

* Other positions are available, hours and jobs may vary depending on location and language skills

- ❖ Location: Various locations across Winnipeg
- ❖ Time commitment: Flexible hours
- ❖ Language requirements: **Basic Communication skills (French or English)**
- ❖ Description of duties:
 - Sorting out donated clothes
- ❖ Apply here: <https://mccthrift.com/volunteer>

1JustCity - Pimicikamak Wellness Centre

Position: Drop-in Volunteer (closes Dec 22, 2024)

- ❖ Location: 621 Balmoral Street
 - ❖ Time commitment: Daytime, evening
 - ❖ Language requirement: **Basic Communication skills (French or English)**
 - ❖ Description of duties:
 - Support the community drop-in lunch and dinner programs, and other programs
 - Serve coffee, sandwiches, and other snacks
 - Clean up after guests, do dishes, and other tasks to keep the place running smoothly
 - Ensure that the drop-in is hospitable and welcoming to all, helping to build meaningful relationships with people
 - ❖ Apply here:
https://www.volunteermanitoba.ca/view_volunteer_opportunity_details.php?id=4391
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Grateful Friends Animal Rescue

Position: Casual Volunteer (closes Dec 31, 2024)

- ❖ Location: Remote Volunteering
- ❖ Time Commitment: Flexible Hours - daytime, evening, weekend
- ❖ Language Requirements: **Excellent communication skills required (English)**
- ❖ Description of duties:
 - Utilize Facebook and Facebook Messenger to communicate with our team and see volunteer opportunities
 - Work independently and as part of a team to support various rescue activities
 - Make a great first impression on behalf of Grateful Friends Animal Rescue
- ❖ Apply here:
https://www.volunteermanitoba.ca/view_volunteer_opportunity_details.php?id=5428

Position: Garden City Supply House (closes Dec 31, 2024)

- ❖ Location: Inkster, Winnipeg
 - ❖ Time Commitment: Flexible Hours - daytime, evening, weekend
 - ❖ Language Requirements: **Excellent communication skills required (English)**
 - ❖ Description of duties:
 - Store supplies including pet food, litter, litter boxes, kennels, etc.
 - Facilitate drop-offs of donations (a drop-off bin can be provided by GFAR)
 - Organize and facilitate the pick-up of supplies needed by foster families
 - ❖ Apply here:
https://www.volunteermanitoba.ca/view_volunteer_opportunity_details.php?id=5440
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Position: Furniture Repair (closes Dec 31, 2024)

- ❖ Location: 429 Dufferin Avenue
- ❖ Time Commitment: Flexible Hours - daytime
- ❖ Language Requirements: [Good Communication skills \(English\)](#)
- ❖ Description of duties:
 - Repairing and refurbishing damaged wood furniture that would otherwise be placed in the landfill for distribution to community members on our referral list
- ❖ Apply here:
https://www.volunteermanitoba.ca/view_volunteer_opportunity_details.php?id=4893

A & O: Support Services for Older Adults

Position: Language Buddy for Seniors Volunteer (closes Dec 31, 2024)

- ❖ Location: 200-207 Donald Street
 - ❖ Time Commitment: Daytime, evening, weekend - Approximately one hour per week
 - ❖ Language Requirements: [Ability to communicate in languages other than English](#)
 - ❖ Description of duties:
 - Help older adult newcomers feel less isolated and lonely during the COVID-19 pandemic by calling once or twice a week using their native languages
 - ❖ Apply here:
https://www.volunteermanitoba.ca/view_volunteer_opportunity_details.php?id=4037
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ACOMI: African Communities of Manitoba Inc.

Position: Events logistics volunteer, tour guide, etc.

- ❖ Location: 101-421 Kennedy Street (ACOMI Resource Center), and 200-301 Nassau Street (ACOMI Cultural Center)
- ❖ Time Commitment: Varies depending on position
- ❖ Language Requirements: **Basic Communication skills** to **excellent communication skills** depending on the role
- ❖ Apply here:
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeook2N5ry6jn7RgIFv_RR5EWcaez7KDte9Kn1VltrgyJmNOQ/viewform

Together For A Strong World Inc.

Position: Volunteer

- ❖ Location: 402 Notre Dame Ave
 - ❖ Time Commitment: Flexible hours
 - ❖ Language Requirements: **Basic Communication skills**
 - ❖ Description of duties:
 - Office maintenance and/or administration tasks
 - Organization and maintenance of Community Wardrobe Program
 - Other tasks as needed, or programs as they are funded
 - ❖ To apply, volunteers must contact the organization for an intake appointment (Mon-Fri, 8:00 am-4:30 pm). During intake, they will assess volunteers' skills and availability. Please note that identification (landing document, work permit, Manitoba health card, acknowledgement of claim, etc.) is required during the intake appointment.
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