



Position Title: Marker FV

Purpose:

The Marker FV is a competition paper marker - 300+ papers to be marked by 20+ volunteers

The Canadian Math Challengers Fraser Valley Regional competition is a sequence of written tests and one-on-one verbal competition running from **8:00 am to 2:30 pm hosted by the University of the Fraser Valley**. It is one of five regional competitions across B.C. The other regionals are held in the Lower Mainland, the Okanagan, the Central Interior, and Victoria.

Date, Location and Time of Volunteering for Markers:

- **Fraser Valley Regional Competition:** 9am to 3pm **Thursday** February 20, 2020 at the **University of the Fraser Valley Abbotsford Campus**
- Earlier (setup) or later duties (cleanup) may be added depending on the volunteer's availability and eagerness.

Volunteer Duties and Expectations:

- Good concentration in a noisy & busy environment
- Ability to follow verbal direction
- Ability to have fun and work closely 20+ other association members, EIC's ,GIT's, and university & high school students
- Volunteers are expected to appear promptly on the competition day and will be trained onsite

Skills and Qualifications:

- Ability to read mathematical answer key and compare to competitors' answers
- Ability to do simple arithmetic ($1+2+6$), and to add and compile scores repetitively, flawlessly, and quickly
- Failure to do above will result in volunteer buying the entire marking team beer since it will embarrass all of us if $2+3$ is added to 4 on the would-have-been-winning paper. We have a 3 times verification process to prevent this problem!

- Validation: since there may be work with children, volunteers will be validated as members of APEGBC or BCAMT, as students enrolled in a host campus, or as having previous volunteer experience on record.
- Pre printed ID badges will be issued at volunteer registration at each event.

Eligibility and impartiality

- Markers, Invigilators and MCs must be Engineers and Geoscientists BC or BCAMT members, University and College Faculty or staff, or be enrolled at a University or College and must have no affiliation with a team that they are marking or invigilating.
- Completion of the Engineers and Geoscientists of BC volunteer agreement is desirable. Regardless of the above, the same standard of conduct will be required of all volunteers.
- Material Distribution / runners must be over age 14 unless accompanied by a parent

Average Time Commitment for UFV Markers:

- 6 hours onsite
- 1 hour home review of the web site at <http://www.mathchallengers.ca/index.html>

Benefits:

- Opportunity to advance the profession by sharing your knowledge and experience
 - Learn new skills and expand your business network with peers and engineering students, profs and CEO's
- Earn credits for CPD and APEGBC service awards. CPD certificates will be issued after by email.
- Coffee, snacks and pizza will be supplied.

Registration Email: volunteer@mathchallengers.ca

Parking directions and preparation email will be sent out. Most information will be available at <http://www.mathchallengers.ca/index.html>

Quantity required: 20

Volunteers are needed in other positions

- Early setup start time 7:15am
- Food and snack organization: day prior and early morning to 1:00 pm
- Markers 9:00 to 3:00 pm
- Invigilators 8:30 to 1:00 pm
- Face off MC's and judges 11:30 to 3:00 pm
- Pack up team 12:00-3:00 pm