

Are you interested in volunteering? If so, Engineers Geoscientists Manitoba is looking for volunteers to assist with the annual Provincial Engineering and Geoscience Week (PEGW) events.

**PROVINCIAL ENGINEERING AND GEOSCIENCE WEEK (PEGW)**

Provincial Engineering and Geoscience Week is held across Canada during National Engineering Month, which is recognized for the month of March. In Manitoba, PEGW is held to promote engineering and geoscience as career choices, celebrate engineering and geoscience within our province, and to draw attention to the vital role that engineering and geoscience play in our daily lives. This year, PEGW will be recognized from March 3 to March 10 with events taking place on Sunday March 3 and Wednesday, March 6 - Sunday March 10 at Amber Trails Community School, Bruce Middle School, and Kildonan Place Mall.

General Duties and Responsibilities:

**Spaghetti Bridge Competition – Wednesday, March 6 to Saturday, March 9 (various locations)**

- Welcome participants to competition, handle registration, hand out items to participants and/or help with crowd control. Volunteers needed:
  - Wed, March 6 – Amber Trails Community School (Maples area) - 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.\*
  - Thursday, March 7 – Bruce Middle School (St James area) - 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.\*
  - Friday, March 8 – Kildonan Place Mall - 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.\*
  - Saturday, March 9 – Kildonan Place Mall - 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

*\*Weekday shifts are from 8:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. or 12 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. (Can also do whole day)*

**Engineers Geoscientists Manitoba Booth – Sunday March 3, Friday March 8, Saturday March 9, and Sunday March 10.**

- Promote the professions of engineering and geoscience to shoppers at Kildonan Place Mall during event hours. Give away balloons and goodies to children. Volunteers needed:
  - Sunday March 3 – 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.\*
  - Friday March 8 - 9.30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.\*
  - Saturday March 9 - 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.\*
  - Sunday March 10 - 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.\*

*\* Shorter shifts (2-4 hours) available*

**Children’s Activities – Sunday, March 3 and Sunday, March 10**

- Help children participate in engineering and geoscience related activities: gumdrop towers, snap circuits, straw bridges, geological digs, spaghetti bridges etc. Hand out goodies to children. Volunteers are needed from 11:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. each day.

Specific Skills and Qualifications

- Enjoy working with children
- Work well with others
- Ability to have fun
- Good, clear verbal communication skills

How to Apply:

If you are interested in volunteering for this fun event or want more information please contact Diana Vander Aa, Volunteer Coordinator at [Volunteer@EngGeoMB.ca](mailto:Volunteer@EngGeoMB.ca).