

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

WHAT IS OVER THE EDGE?

Over The Edge is a special events company that provides signature events for non-profit organizations anywhere in North America and is currently expanding globally! Business leaders, individuals, and community members are invited to raise donations in exchange for the experience of going Over The Edge of a local building.

WHO IS BGC SOUTH COAST BC?

The mission of BGC is to provide a safe, supportive place where children and youth can experience new opportunities, overcome barriers, build positive relationships, and develop confidence and skills for life.

Is it safe??

Absolutely! Over the Edge has never had a single incident or accident at any event since their inception in 2003. Every Over the Edge event is set up as an industrial worksite and as a result is compliant with all WorkSafe BC laws.

How old do I need to be?

Anyone can participate! The only restriction is that anyone under the age of 18 requires a parent or guardian signature on the legal waiver.

How much do I need to weigh?

Over The Edge's equipment safety standards require that people be between 100 and 300 lbs in order to safely rappel.

Do I need experience to participate?

Not at all! Before the event day, you will receive a document outlining everything you need to know about the process!

Is there a minimum fundraising amount?

\$1,000! Anything after that initial goal, will provide more for our kids and you will get entered into draws to win awesome prizes!

How many stories will I be rappelling?

All 36 stories of the Hyatt Regency Vancouver!

When is the deadline to have all fundraising complete?

May 24, 2023 (but your supporters can continue to donate until May 25, 2023!)

What should I wear?

Dress comfortably! Do not wear overly loose or baggy clothing, or clothing with long drawstrings. Wear soft-soled, close-toed shoes or sneakers.

Can I wear a costume?

Costumes are allowed. Every attempt will be made to fit costumes around harnesses and helmets. It is ultimately the decision of the Site Safety Supervisor. Stringy, loose, excessive costumes must be avoided. Head pieces that will not accommodate a helmet or obscure the vision are not allowed.

