

Volunteer Role Description

Role

Education volunteer

Report to

Pam Walker/Canon Steven Harvey

Objectives

- To assist with the running of learning sessions for school visits.
- To work as part of a team to support vacation sessions for groups of children, young people and families as well as supporting activities at special events

Person specification

Essential

- Must be able to relate to children and young people
- Ability to develop and maintain good relationships with visitors
- Ability to develop and design sessions as appropriate
- Ability to maintain good working relationships with paid and unpaid staff
- Ability to follow the health and safety policy at all times
- Ability to lead or assist with sessions
- Ability to use and look after resources and equipment
- To have, or to have the ability to develop, knowledge of the Cathedral (and also its partner sites) in order to bring its role and history to life for younger visitors
- A positive attitude

Desirable

- Art, craft, acting and story-telling skills
- Experience of research, in particular historical research
- Knowledge of art, architecture, history, church architecture, etc

This post requires an enhanced DBS disclosure

Volunteers are responsible and accountable for

- Compliance with workplace policies and procedures for risk identification, risk assessment and risk control
- Active participation in activities associated with the management of workplace health and safety
- Identification and reporting of health and safety risks, accidents, incidents, injuries and property damage in the workplace
- Correct utilisation of appropriate personal protective equipment

Equal opportunities

It is the policy of this organisation to provide equal opportunities without regard to gender, disability, race, religion, country of origin, age, sexual orientation or status