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Employer: Hexham Youth Initiative

Vacancy: Youth Support Assistant

Hours: 12HPW

Salary: £12.21ph

Working pattern: To be decided with the successful candidates

Number of vacancies: 1

Are you the kind of person who can switch from silly to professional conversations faster than a young person scrolling through social media? If the answer is yes – we would love, you to be part of the Hexham Youth Initiative team. We are a registered charity and we're on the hunt for a dynamic and compassionate individual who is looking to for a career starter role working with children.

This is more than a job, it's a chance to inspire and mentor the youths of our community whilst enjoying the sunshine on our activity days in the park, at the cinema or even bowling! We believe that every young person should have the opportunity to feel supported and valued in their lives.

Things you will be doing in the role

- Set up sessions as per instruction, including shopping and kitchen prep.
- Follow all Health and Safety.
- Report any issues with regard to safety to appropriate line manager.
- Keep project areas clean and tidy and to clear up after sessions.
- Help support a variety of youth sessions including Drop-in's, holiday activities, sports sessions, art and craft sessions and rural youth clubs.
- Assist with planning and admin jobs as directed.
- Always be aware of the safety of young people and to promptly report any safeguarding issues to Amber.
- To undertake any training necessary and to keep safeguarding training and DBS up to date.
- Take part in evaluations of the sessions as appropriate.
- Carry out any other jobs as requested by Amber or the Trustee on duty.

Don't worry if you have not done some or any of these tasks before, training will be provided to you as part of the New Start experience.

Essential skills, experience and qualifications	What do we expect to see from you? <p>This is a starting role, so we don't need qualifications or experience... that's what we're here for. But there are a few key behaviours and skills we want to see from our candidates; and these are ones that if you possess and can demonstrate; you will make this work placement a real success!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A commitment to own learning and development and ready to complete the training on offer.• Ability to work well as part of a small team.• Ability to demonstrate customer care and to be polite and courteous.• Able to follow instructions and health and safety guidelines.• Good communication skills.• Ability to confidently count, add and subtract.
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