



# **VOLUNTEER WELLBEING/INCLUSION YOUTH WORKER**

**LOCATION:** HideOut Youth Zone, Gorton

**SUGGESTED TIME COMMITMENT:** 4 hours per week (although there is flexibility in this)

**WHEN:** Wednesday evenings, Friday evenings, Saturday evenings or Sunday AM/PM

## **ABOUT THE ROLE**

Our Volunteer Wellbeing/Inclusion Youth Workers help us deliver a range of specialist sessions that provide young people with additional needs the opportunity to engage in fun and inclusive activities; helping build confidence, social skills and overall wellbeing. Opening an inclusion offer helps create a supportive environment for young people with additional needs, as well as their families or guardians to connect.

## **WHAT CAN YOU EXPECT TO BE DOING?**

- Supporting young people with additional supports needs whilst they participate in activities around the youth zone
- Actively engaging with and spending time with young people with additional support needs and their families/guardians
- Motivating young people to participate and enjoy sessions
- Building positive relationships with young people and their families/guardians across the Youth Zone
- Providing 1-2-1 support where needed
- Acting as a positive role model for young people
- Promoting an inclusive culture where all young people are listened to, valued and cared for.

## **WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS TO YOU AND OUR YOUNG PEOPLE?**

You will gain new skills and develop existing ones whilst making a significant contribution to the lives of the young people. You will become part of our team and our young people will have a great time. You will enhance your CV whilst also being there as a positive role model to many of our young people. After 3 months of committed volunteering, a reference can be provided. The benefits really are endless!

## **WE'RE LOOKING FOR SOMEONE WHO:**

- Interest or experience in supporting young people with additional needs would be great but if not, a willingness to learn and passion to get involved
- Enjoys meeting and engaging with people from a wide range of backgrounds
- Is organised and efficient
- Shares the same values of HideOut
- Is committed to making a positive impact on the lives of young people.

Please note that for this role you need to be at least 18 years of age and be prepared to undergo an enhanced DBS check.

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