

Our Mission

The Centre works with homeless young people, badly housed families, refugees, asylum seekers and migrants; helping them to obtain employment and break out of the cycle of homelessness and exclusion.

Homework Club

In response to requests from parents, the Centre provides an after-school homework club in school term time only, providing a quiet place for children and their parent to receive help with the child's studies. On a busy club, there can be 20 children!

Summary of Role

Volunteers sit on a table with 1/2 children and provide help with their homework, maths and English work mostly, and some reading. Volunteers commit to one session a week on a Monday or Friday for the academic term.

Who will I be helping?

The club is attended by local primary aged children and a parent.

How does this role make a difference?

Homework Club is part of our delivery of child and family support services, in order that low income and vulnerable families have improved access to services, employment opportunities and life chances.

Quote from a volunteer:

I'll do

What will you be doing?

- Welcoming parents and children to the club.
- Helping children with homework questions, mostly English and maths.
- Helping to tidy up room at the end of the session.
- Setting up computer equipment (laptops) when needed.

What are we looking for?

- You have some experience of helping primary aged children learn.
- You are enthusiastic about children and education.
- You are friendly and patient.
- You are reliable.
- The ability to speak another language (Arabic) would be a bonus

What is the time commitment?

We would like one afternoon per week on a Monday or Friday, 3.30 – 5.30pm, for at least one academic term.

How will you be supported?

- You will be supported by the After School Worker.
- You will receive a Centre induction (1 hour).
- You will receive a half days training on safeguarding and professional boundaries.
- You will be reimbursed for reasonable and agreed 'out of pocket' expenses such as travel and for lunch if working a full day.

Recruitment Procedure

Application form> Informal interview> ideally two reference checks> DBS check> Trial period

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