

Job Description

Post Title:	Sessional Youth Activity Worker
Location:	Oasis North Bristol. Lawrence Weston, Shirehampton, Avonmouth.
Reports to:	Youth and Community Lead
Hours:	0 hours flexible contract. Sessional hours as needed. Various dates over the holiday periods, plus occasional term time hours available.
Salary:	Grade F - £12.73 per hour.

Purpose of the job:

As part of a team be responsible for organising engaging, high-quality provision that builds confidence and wellbeing; enables young people to engage in fun activities and make positive choices. To provide supervision of the children and young people during sessions, and on trips, and maintain a safe environment for those involved. You will represent the North Bristol Youth and Community Team, welcome the community and be responsible for ensuring the safe and successful delivery of a range of activities related to various themes across the days.

Duties:

1. To provide a high standard of activity and personal support for children and young people alongside the guidance of the Youth and Community Leader (or delegated leader).
2. As part of the team, help prepare and deliver session activities as determined by the Youth and Community Leader (or delegated leader).
3. As part of the team, ensure the space is set out (and cleared) of activity materials and equipment to ensure a welcoming, safe environment.
4. Ensure a high standard of hygiene, safety and cleanliness is maintained at all times regarding the space, equipment and food preparation.
5. To be fully aware of the Youth and Community Team's child protection policy and record any concerns regarding the physical and emotional well-being of a child in accordance to the policy.
6. Under the guide of the supervisor, follow all necessary health and safety procedures.
7. To promote and advocate for the wider work of Oasis in the local community.
8. To carry out any other duties as may be reasonably required within the role.

General activities / Tasks

1. Run various activities (cooking sessions, arts & crafts, games, physical activity and sports) alongside Youth + Community Team staff that engage children and families.
2. Assist parents, children, young people and community members who attend the sessions to feel welcomed, join in and build relationships.
3. Set up and clear away activities at each event.
4. Assist with undertaking evaluation and data collection.
5. Actively engage in the learning and professional development courses provided as part of this employment.

Relationships/Partners:

Internal:

- Youth and Community Team Staff

External:

- Community members attending the various events and community organisations we are delivering in partnership with.

Safeguarding children and young people

Oasis is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people. We expect all staff to share this commitment and to undergo appropriate checks, which may include an enhanced DBS check.

The duties of this post may vary from time to time without changing the general character of the post or level of responsibility entailed.

Signed:

Employee:		Line Manager:	
Print Name		Print Name	
Date		Date	

Person Specification

Sessional Workers

Oasis North Bristol Holiday Activity Programme (plus, occasional term time hours available)

	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications/ Job Knowledge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge of current legislation and good practice for the operation and delivery of a holistic support service for children, young people and families 	
Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proven previous experience of working with children from 8-18 years old (up to 25yrs with SEN) • Ability to plan & deliver activities • Ability to work well in a team & support other team members. • Ability to undertake physical tasks necessary (activity with children, some clearing/tidying/cleaning, sport & games) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Experience of working in a community/school/youth centre setting
Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ability to follow instructions carefully • Ability to take initiative • Ability to engage with children of mixed ages, and lead activities • Ability to remain calm and ordered in a busy environment • Ability to communicate clearly and effectively, with children and adults • Sufficient understanding and use of English to ensure the well-being of the children 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proven experience of delivery in previous employment/voluntary work
Other attributes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge and understanding of working with children and young people from diverse cultural backgrounds and provision for disabled children and those with additional needs • Commitment to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people. • Willingness to undergo appropriate checks, including enhanced DBS checks. • Have a willingness to demonstrate commitment to the values and behaviours which flow from the Oasis ethos. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ability to drive, car ownership to travel across North Bristol for session delivery.

Email your CV including a short Supporting Statement telling us why you would like the role to north.bristol@oasisuk.org

If you have any questions about the role, please contact Nicole Emmanuel 07502745275 or nicole.emmanuel@oasisuk.org

We will review applications on a rolling basis and reserve the right to close the advert if we identify suitable candidates. To avoid disappointment, please submit your application as soon as possible.

The successful candidate will need to provide proof of the right to work in the UK. Oasis cannot assist with sponsorship or visas. We actively encourage applications from people of all ethnic backgrounds and minority and underrepresented groups.