

Day Service Support Volunteer

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Our Organisation

Ferring Country Centre is a charity providing support to people with learning disabilities. Having started in 1986 with 12 beneficiaries we have expanded over the years and now provide services to around 130 beneficiaries each week.

Our organisational mission is:

"To create positive futures for our beneficiaries and to enable them to play a valued role in society."

In addition to our Day Service our Garden Centre, Ranger's Café, Gift Shop, Dales Farm, and Riding School are open to the general public, seven days per week. This allows evervone to share our beautiful site and excellent facilities and allow those we support the opportunity to develop social and customer service skills in a safe and supported environment

Line Management

Learning, Development and Volunteering Manager and Day Opportunities Manager.

Purpose of Role

We are looking for weekday volunteers over the age of 18, to help us with supporting our Day Service Customers whilst they undertake activities.

This is an exciting opportunity to work with the Ferring Country Centre Support Team to enable adults with learning disabilities to achieve their full potential.

Working alongside our permanent Support Workers, you will assist in supporting activities such as classroom work, horticulture, farm work, stable work and off-site visits

Key Responsibilities

 Working alongside permanent Support Workers to support Day Service Customers in a range of activities.

Key Information

Hours: Min 4 hours per week

Shifts: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,

Thursday and/or Friday Hours to be discussed

DBS: Subject to an enhanced DBS

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Contact Information

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Person Specification

Qualifications	Essential	Desirable
Relevant qualification		Y
Good general level of education, including basic reading and writing skills	Υ	
Commitment to undertake further training as required	Υ	

Experience	Essential	Desirable
Experience of working with people with learning disabilities		Υ

Knowledge and Skills	Essential	Desirable
Excellent time management	Υ	
Adaptability	Υ	

Personal Attributes	Essential	Desirable
Flexible, enthusiastic and committed	Υ	
Self-motivated and resourceful	Υ	
Respectful and understanding of diversity	Y	
Calm and resilient	Υ	