

Library Volunteer, Jigsaw School

Role Description

Jigsaw Trust, an education and care provision for children and young adults on the autism spectrum have an exciting opportunity for a Library volunteer. This volunteer role involves supporting our school library helping to develop literacy amongst our pupils by running 'Story Time' activities and helping to maintain the provision to ensure a fun and enjoyable place for pupils to be.

Working alongside our friendly and supportive Teachers, the role supports Jigsaw Trust's aim to improve the lives of those affected by an autism spectrum disorder.

Main Activities:

- Reading to the children by running 'Story Time' activities
- Tidying the library by putting away books from previous sessions
- Helping to promote reading as a desired activity for our pupils

Desirable Qualities:

- A passion for helping others in their education journey
- An interest in books and reading
- A team player, happy to help with whatever needs doing
- Good literacy skills
- Desire to work with children with special educational needs (SEN)
- A passion to improve the lives of those affected by an autism spectrum disorder

The Benefits for you:

- Be part of an enthusiastic team
- Develop your knowledge of autism and related learning disabilities
- Gain experience of working in an educational setting to add to your CV
- Make a difference - Help support the work of Jigsaw Trust and improve the lives of our children
- Opportunity to participate in various training such as safeguarding

Additional Information:

- Flexibility around volunteering pattern
- Reasonable out of pocket expenses will be paid

Dunsfold Park, Stovolds Hill, Cranleigh, Surrey, GU6 8TB

To apply for this exciting volunteering opportunity, please submit an application form and return by email to careers@jigsawtrust.co.uk. If you would like to speak to a member of the HR Department about this opportunity then please email careers@jigsawtrust.co.uk or telephone 01483 277366.

We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, young people and vulnerable adults.

We expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. THE POST HOLDER WILL BE SUBJECT TO AN ENHANCED DISCLOSURE AND BARRING SERVICE (DBS) CHECK, of which costs will be covered by Jigsaw Trust.