

Playworker Job Description

Job summary: Line manager: Responsible for: Working relationships:

Help with day to day management of the club Garath Plow/Fiona Townsend Organising the arts and craft activities at clubs Children attending the club and their parents or carers Club management, club staff and volunteers Schools and registering authorities

Hours:

Main duties include:

- To work collaboratively with the Active8 Minds team onsite.
- To ensure all the creative activities have been appropriately planned and all resources are available
- To ensure all children have fun and are engaged with the activities
- Ensure all activities are risk assessed and adhere to company policies and procedures
- Ensure children have access to regular refreshments and ensure that hygiene, health and safety standards are met.
- Administering first aid when necessary.
- Facilitating good communication with all members of the organisation, parents, schools and childcare and play related agencies.
- Undertaking appropriate and relevant training.
- Keeping the work environment healthy, safe and secure.
- Working within the framework of the club's policies and procedures

Person specification

Essential qualities	Desirable qualities
 Experience of working with 4 to 11 year olds Experience of administration Understanding the varied needs of children To be inclusive and understand equal opportunities Provide and facilitate safe and creative activities Good communication skills Ability to work as a team member and demonstrate leadership skills Sound judgement and common sense Sufficient understanding and use of English to ensure the well-being of the children* 	 Experience of working within a play-based setting or school environment Childcare level 2 or 3 or similar qualification Competent in using IT to support play and club administration Ability to work on own initiative Appropriate child protection training Current 12-hour Paediatric First Aid Certificate Food Hygiene Certificate Full drivers licence and access to a vehicle

* Para 3.26 of the Statutory Framework for the Early Years Foundation Stage 2017