

Job Description & Person Specification

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| Job Title: | Outdoor Education Assistant (Land Based Course) |
| Reporting to: | Head of Alternative Provision |
| Location: | Coombe Abbey Country Park (Coventry) |
| Hours: | 30 hrs per week, Mon - Fri 9.00 am – 3.00 pm. Term time only |
| Salary: | £11,000 - £13,500 pa (dependent on qualifications and experience) |

The person and the role

You will be responsible for supporting the teaching and learning of an outdoor land based qualification alongside the course tutor. This role requires experience of working with children/young people and experience of Autism, “BESD”, working with children with challenging behaviours. You need to have experience of working outside, ideally have teaching skills/qualifications.

You will care passionately about each child as an individual, be able to observe and listen and then respond to advice. You will be able to implement strategies for raising achievement. You will be supportive, resilient and unconditionally accepting. You will be confident and happy to work in an outdoor environment using your own initiative to support the young person on the land based programme.

The Dare2Dream Foundation is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, young people and vulnerable adults. All positions will require an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check, together with all other relevant recruitment checks including obtaining references.

This post includes engaging in regulated activity relevant to children and is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act, 1974 and the amendments to the Exceptions Order 1975, 2013 and 2020. Further information about filtering offences can be found in the DBS filtering guide: DBS filtering guide - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk). It is an offence to apply for this role if you are barred from engaging in regulated activity relevant to children.

Referees will be asked to assess suitability of candidates to work with vulnerable adults, children or young people and will be verbally verified.

Job related Experience, Qualifications and Skills

- Experience of working with children/young people and
- Experience of Autism, “BESD”, working with children with challenging behaviors.
- Experience of working outside; ideally have teaching skills/qualifications.

Additional Information

- 21 days’ holiday plus bank holidays
- Stakeholder pension scheme
- Thorough induction and ongoing training, committing to continued professional development
- Friendly and supportive organisation

For more information, please contact **Cheryl Monaghan** on **07706 327703** or

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