

**Youth Worker – Sports Development**

**Reports to:** Senior Youth Worker

**Location:** Britwell Youth & Community Project

**Hours:** 9 hours per week

**Salary:** £5095.44

**Job Purpose:**

Deliver a structured and comprehensive multi-sports programme focusing on activities that young people have requested to include football, cricket basketball & rounders.

**Main Duties:**

* To make contact and build relationships with young people in a professional, positive and caring manner to support young people
* To support young people to enhance their personal and social development
* To gain feedback from young people and develop activities based on that
* To work co-operatively with colleagues in their respective teams
* To assist in the planning, monitoring and evaluation process in relation to Britwell Youth and Community Project
* Run activity sessions for young people
* To think ‘outside the box’ to engage young people to try activities
* Drive an activity to gain participation from young people
* Complete risk assessments for activities
* To be involved in regular supervision

**Person Specification**

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| **Key Criteria** | **Essential** | **Desirable** |
| Qualifications and Training | Educated to GCSE/NVQ level 2 or equivalent | Part time youth qualification |
| Competence Summary (knowledge, abilities, skills, experience) | * Ability to work closely with individuals and groups of young people * Ability to listen and communicate with young people from diverse backgrounds * Ability to work as a member of a team and work co-operatively with colleagues within the project * A broad understanding and commitment to equality of opportunity in relation to youth and community work * An interest in sport | * Current driving license and own transport * An understanding of issues affecting young people in the community of slough * Experience of working with a multi-cultural community * Able to plan, monitor and evaluate sessions * Experience of working with young people 8 -19 yrs |

