

CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF NOTTINGHAM

JOB DESCRIPTION

Title: Helper - children and young people.

Purpose: To provide general assistance to those working with children and young people in the parish.

Age range: Up to 16 years

Responsible to: Parish Priest

Main Responsibilities

- To provide support to the designated worker in the area, for example communion or confirmation catechists.
- To support the development of the faith of young people in their care.
- To provide a safe and supportive environment in which young people can freely share their experiences, opinions and questions.
- To maintain appropriate boundaries.
- To help ensure that all sessions are conducted in accordance with Diocesan Child Protection Procedures.

Person Specification

- Commitment to the teachings of the Catholic Church and the development of the parish community.
- Ability to relate with respect and ease to young people and to communicate clearly.
- Willingness to share your own faith experience with others, to be open to challenge and to grow in your own faith.
- Willingness to give your time to support of sessions involving young people and children.
- All volunteers should be over 18 years of age.