

CHICKEN FEEDING / PLANT CARE (WESTCLIFF) VOLUNTEER

Role Description

Trust Links is an organisation committed to the safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and vulnerable adults and expects all staff, Trustees and volunteers to share this commitment.

Trust Links aims to create a culture that respects and values each others' differences, that promotes dignity, equality and diversity, and that encourages individuals to develop and maximise their true potential.

Hours required: **Weekends and Bank holidays**

Location: **Growing Together Westcliff**

Reports to: Growing Together Team

PURPOSE OF THE ROLE:

To clean, feed and water our pet therapy chicken and to water all plants in the garden using a large hose and smaller watering cans.

This role is weekend and bank holidays only. The times are flexible but a commitment to the dates you pick to volunteer is essential.

We will mainly consider applicants who live within walking distance to our Westcliff Garden.

MAIN DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE ROLE:

Support with caring for and feeding the chickens and watering plants, when necessary, at the Growing Together Westcliff community garden project.

Please note; for this role we will mainly consider applicants who live within walking or cycling distance of our Westcliff gardens.

- Report back on any issues or concerns to project staff
- Undergo initial training in respect of duties
- Liaise with the Growing Together staff to arrange rota days and duties to be undertaken on those days
- Clean out, feed and get to know the chickens
- Water plants (during the growing season) using watering cans and/or a hose
- Notify staff as soon as possible if you are unable to attend your allocated slot on the rota
- Ensure Health and Safety regulations are adhered to in line with Trust Links Health and Safety policy
- Participate in volunteer meetings

- This role is for volunteers who are 18+

Volunteers will need

- **Live within walking or cycling distance of our Westcliff gardens.**
- Commitment to the role
- An interest in animals
- Good level of fitness is necessary as you will be carrying watering cans that can be heavy once filled with water.