

Part time Schools Worker

Accountability

The Schools Worker will be accountable directly to the SYM Team Leader and indirectly to the SYM Management Board.

Hours of work

The post is for 16 hours per week. Working hours will be flexible in order to work around school activities, but will involve attendance on at least three days per week. Occasional evenings and weekends will be required.

Key Activities

To help run and manage the e-merge programme

- Supporting Christian Union groups
- Providing guidance, direction and support to young leaders
- To plan and lead Christian Union meetings
- Help plan and run joint Christian Union events

To mentor, in conjunction with school pastoral teams, individual students

To support volunteers involved in the mentoring programme

To build relationships with pupils and staff within local secondary schools

Plan and deliver RE and Citizenship lessons

Plan and deliver assemblies

Personal expectations

The worker will:

Be supportive of the mission, vision and work of SYM, being fully committed to its values and beliefs

Have a thorough working knowledge of the bible

Be confident and able to communicate effectively and enthusiastically with young people (specifically between the ages of 11-18)

Have experience of pastoral work with young people

Be able to use own initiative and be a team player

Be flexible and adaptable

Have some experience in the use of Microsoft Office products

In addition it would be helpful if the candidate possessed:

- Qualifications in (or willingness to work towards) youth work/education or theology
- Teaching/classroom experience
- Clean driving licence and own car
- An understanding of social media

As much of the work will involve one to one work with male students a male candidate is preferred but not essential

Remuneration

- Salary in line with Unqualified Teacher rates
- Pension scheme.

Please contact Lynsey Crisp (info@symchelmsford.org) for an application form.
Closing date for applications is 25th May 2017