

Volunteer Role Description

Education Sewing Group

Description of Activity:

Production of schools and interpretational costume and accessories for Cathedral events. Representing the Cathedral and the Church of England to the public.

Location:

Lincoln Cathedral Connected Office

Supervision and Support:

Day to day supervision – Education Outreach Officer
Cathedral staff contact – Volunteer & HR Officer

Benefits of the Role:

Application of a range of sewing and craft techniques that will ultimately benefit the engagement and enjoyment of visitors to Lincoln Cathedral. Working as part of a small and enthusiastic team.

Key Tasks:

- To design and make replica ‘wash and wear’ vestments for children
- To design and make various fabric/embroidered items for use in school workshops and family backpacks
- To be aware of matters of Health & Safety and to help ensure a safe working environment for all
- To be aware of, and to correctly follow evacuation procedures when necessary
- To be aware of what to do in case of an accident in the workroom and the appropriate reporting procedures

Personal qualities and requirements:

Good technical skills in hand embroidery and use of a sewing machine. The ability to work in a small team is essential.

There are no requirements for a Disclosure and Barring Service Check for this role.

Support and training required (if any):

Full induction and training provided. Undertake Basic Safeguarding Awareness Training, including refresher training as required.

Undertake other training as and when appropriate at volunteers own cost.

Availability:

Fortnightly - Friday mornings