



Children and Young Families Missioner

Parish of Christ Church with St Mary's, Swindon

Person Specification

Essential:

- a) A mature Christian faith and respect for the ethos and values of the Church of England.
- b) A heart for evangelism, discipleship and pastoral care among children and young families.
- c) Confidence leading children's and family's ministry within a church setting
- d) The ability to inspire confidence, cooperation and enthusiasm in others.
- e) Experience leading a team of volunteers.
- f) An ability to work as part of a team
- g) A positive role model and example to children and their families.
- h) Good presentation and communication skills
- i) Awareness of and a commitment to the requirements of good Safeguarding policy and practice.
- j) Good administration, planning and time management skills

Desirable

- a) Experience of outreach events in the community in a non-church setting.
- b) Holds a professional qualification in children's work or ministry (or related area)
- c) Experience of working in schools
- d) Competent ICT and audio-visual presentation skills
- e) Musical ability
- f) Awareness of wider issues affecting children's ministry today

Attitudes

This person will be someone who:

- Loves children, and understands their way of thinking;
- Is approachable, fun and energetic;
- Relates well and builds rapport with parents and volunteers;
- Is flexible and creative;
- Is confident, caring and humble;
- Is responsible and safety conscious;
- Is a godly role model;
- Is teachable and keen to learn.