

The Bridge Project Leader: Person Specification

We are looking for a courageous and strategic leader who has the following qualities:

ESSENTIAL:

1. An entrepreneur for the Kingdom of God with great faith in Jesus Christ who is prepared to take risks for His Kingdom's sake.
2. An ongoing commitment to being a follower of Jesus and a lover of prayer, who lives out their faith in word and action and is passionate about sharing this faith with children, young people and their families.
3. Experience of project management with the proven ability to develop and lead a project.
4. Experience of youth work and a passion to see young people reach their full potential.
5. A pioneering person and a strategic thinker who can create and implement new initiatives, enable others and monitor and evaluate the ongoing work.
6. Good levels of self-awareness and the ability to manage their time and resources well, including rest and reflection.
7. The ability to relate to and have fun with young people from 4 -18 and develop relationships of trust and respect with them and their families.
8. Excellent written and verbal communication skills with both children and adults.
9. A good team leader who is both reliable and flexible.
10. The ability to work under authority and accept direction as well as lovingly lead others, showing commitment to their personal development.
11. An active and committed member of their church, but someone who respects and can work with a diversity of styles and traditions and with people from all walks of life.
12. IT competence, particularly with Microsoft Office.
13. Confident understanding of financial management, planning and budgeting.
14. Experience with and understanding of social media.
15. *There is a genuine occupational requirement that the postholder have a professed, demonstrated and committed Christian faith. Parts 7(2 a&b) of the Employment Equality (Religion & Belief) Regulations, 2003, apply.*

DESIRABLE

1. Driving Licence
2. Experience of supervising volunteers and staff
3. Experience of fundraising
4. Musical skills
5. Appropriate qualifications in teaching/children's work/youth work etc.
6. Familiarity with the workings of the charitable sector.

Appointment is subject to a suitable enhanced disclosure from the DBS.