

# CHRIST CHURCH BAPTIST, KINGS LANGLEY

## Job Description

Post title: Youth Work Leader  
Employed by Christ Church Baptist  
Hours: 20 hours per week  
Salary: £10-£12k  
Work base: Home  
Line Manager: Church Minister

## Purpose of appointment

To lead, facilitate and enable the church to fulfil its vision to see young people become disciples of Jesus, serving Him in the church and the world. (With particular responsibility for the 14+ age group.)

## Primary Relationships

- To lead the team of volunteer youth workers within the church
- To be a member of the church and actively champion the place and role of young people at CCB.
- To be an example and role model to the Young People as a Christian and church member.
- To build positive working relationships with external youth organisations such as schools, youth centres etc.

## Primary Tasks

- To share in the pastoral care of Young People including:
  - To help young people to recognise and use their gifts.
  - To suggest and provide opportunities for service.
  - To grow young people into leadership roles.
- To encourage participation by young people in the life and worship of the church.
- To keep the church updated on the developments within the youth work on a regular basis
- To plan, co-ordinate and facilitate the delivery of biblical teaching and envision the young people within Christ Church.
- To create opportunities for response to the gospel and spiritual growth.
- To develop outreach opportunities to Young People in the local community.
- To be regular in attendance at Sunday Morning Services

## Person Specification

### Essential

- A strong and living Christian faith underpinned by an active prayer life
- An ability to relate well to young people and parents / carers.
- A passion to see young people come to Christ and fulfil their calling in the church and the world.
- An ability both lead and work as part of a team.
- Good communication skills, both verbal and written
- An ability to lead, encourage and enable volunteers in youth work.
- Knowledge of issues concerning young people.
- Self motivated with excellent listening skills and ability to empathise with young people
- A clear grasp of the gospel and a willingness to work within Baptist Principles.
- Effective record keeping skills
- IT literate – word, email and internet.
- Awareness of safe guarding issues and ability to work within 'Safe to grow' guidelines
- A commitment to keep up to date with national secular and Christian Youth Work developments.
- Ability to work flexible hours including evenings and weekends.
- Relevant training, qualification & experience.

### Desirable

- A Full Driving Licence and access to own transport

**This post will be offered subject to satisfactory references and enhanced CRB disclosure.**

There is a Genuine Occupational Requirement, (GOR), that the post-holder is a Christian.