



Police Support Volunteer (PSV) Role Profile

Role Title:	Police Cadet Volunteer Leader (PCVL)
BCU/Dept:	Devon & Cornwall (Various Locations)
Hours	Flexible but too include Cadet sessions

Scheme Description

The Volunteer Police Cadets (VPC) are a recognised Police uniformed youth group throughout the UK. The purpose of the VPC is not to recruit police officers of the future, but to encourage the spirit of adventure and good citizenship amongst its members. We believe that every young person deserves the opportunity to thrive regardless of his or her background. We encourage young people from all backgrounds to join VPC, including those who may be vulnerable to the influences of crime and social exclusion.

Role Description

- Share administration and office-based tasks with other cadet leaders
- Assist with social media outlets, newsletters, presentations, role plays and good news stories
- Assisting with local Police Cadet events
- Helping with the overall running and supervision of cadet evenings
- Deliver sessions if you are happy and comfortable to do so
- Opportunity to manage a cadet unit with support from other volunteers and police staff
- Safeguarding of the cadets
- Drive unmarked police vehicles for transportation of cadet equipment and cadets in line with force safeguarding requirements (see Cadet Manual of Guidance)

Police Support Volunteer shifts are commonly around 4 hours per week- are flexible and to be agreed locally with the applicant, and for this role may fall with the following time periods:

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
Morning	X	X	X	X	X	√	√
Afternoon	X	X	X	X	X	√	√
Evening	√	√	√	√	√	√	√

Requirements	Benefits
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic computer skills • Good oral and writing skills • Happy to work on their own or as part of a team • Some social media knowledge (not essential) • Great at working with young people • Understanding and adherence to Equality and Diversity • Flexibility on evenings and weekends • Adhering to the police code of ethics 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opportunity to be part of a team • A reference if required • A regular 'Feel-Good' factor about volunteering for the Police • Additional training provided where needed • Learning new skills • Additional leadership training • Safeguarding training • Being a role model

Additional Information	
Minimum age:	18
Maximum age:	N/A
Expenses:	Yes
Induction:	Yes
Insurance cover:	Yes
Training	Yes

Recruitment Method

- Application Form
- Full force check
- Informal Discussion
- Trial Period

Time Frame

Please note that this role is subject to force checks which may take up to six weeks

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