

Police Support Volunteer (PSV) Role Profile

Role Title:	Police Cadet Volunteer Leader (PCVL)
BCU/Dept:	Devon & Cornwall (Various Locations)
Hours	Flexible but to include Cadet sessions
	The Volunteer Police Cadets (VPC) are a recognised Police uniformed youth group

Scheme

Description

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.

- 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 co-ordinate a cadet unit with support from other volunteers and • police staff

Role Description

- Safeguarding of the cadets
- To work collaboratively with the Youth Engagement Officer to deliver the corporate VPC training programme
- 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	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	\checkmark	
Afternoon	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	\checkmark	\checkmark
Evening	\checkmark						

Community Volunteer

There may be occasions when there is an immediate need for volunteers to support the community. This could be as a result of a pandemic, or environmental issues such as flooding. Most of our volunteers are vetted, which provides reassurance to agencies and communities and are therefore in a good position to support local areas and provide additional resilience. If you are willing to duo role as a Community Volunteer and respond to a call to action you will be invited to sign a form that will provide more detail at your induction.

Requirements	Benefits
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Basic computer skills	 Opportunity to be part of a team
 Good oral and writing skills 	 A reference if required
 Happy to work on their own or as part of a team 	 A regular 'Feel-Good' factor about volunteering for the Police
 Some social media knowledge (not essential) 	 Additional training provided where needed
Great at working with young people	 Learning new skills
 Understanding and adherence to Equality 	 Additional leadership training
and Diversity	 Safeguarding training
 Flexibility on evenings and weekends 	Being a role model
Adhering to the police code of ethics	

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

Training

- Ncalt Training as per matrix
- Safeguarding level 2
- Cadet leader induction and training
- Please note that there may be a requirement to attend additional training across the year.

Time Frame

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

Contact Information

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