



Voluntary and Personal Development Opportunities

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Opportunity & Ref. No.	Qualifications	Pay	Location	Organisation	How to apply
Office Volunteers 13970000	No formal qualifications	Reasonable travel expenses are met	Oxfordshire	Age Concern, Oxfordshire	This is an independent organisation working with & for all older people and their carers. Head Office is in Abingdon. Volunteers usually work between one and three mornings or afternoons per week. Contact Jennifer Woodrush 01235 849400 mdaniel@acoxon.fsbusiness.co.uk
Army Cadets 14224532		None	Oxfordshire	Army/Navy/RAF Careers Information	You will take part in a range of activities such as Military Activities - drills, fieldcraft, self-sufficiency in the field, Physical Activities, Musical Activities, Community Activities and gain qualifications - First Aid. Visit http://armycadets.com/ and sign up online.
Asian Youth Project 1525802	No formal qualifications	None	Oxford	Asian Youth Project	Telephone Shailen Popat to find out more details 01865 248521.
Wildlife Volunteers 13852000	No formal qualifications	None - Voluntary Positions	Oxfordshire	Berkshire,Buckinghamshire,Oxfordshire Wildlife Trust	You don't need to be an expert. If you'd like to help but don't have any experience, full training can be provided. To find out more visit the web site & see Volunteering, call or email. 01865 775476 www.bbwt.org.uk

Voluntary Work 1526102	No formal qualifications	None - Voluntary	Oxfordshire	British Red Cross Society	This Organisation also recycles old mobile phones and inkjet printer cartridges. Telephone or visit the web site for more information www.redcross.org.uk 01296 739 300
Volunteering 14223293	No formal qualifications	Up to £40 per week expenses paid (additional funds for child care)	Oxfordshire	British Youth Council	We also bring you campaigns supporting and promoting the rights, involvement and citizenship of young people, we provide training and consultancy services as well. Visit the website for lots more information and activities. volunteers@byc.org.uk / www.byc.org.uk
International Volunteer 14224713			Oxford - Worldwide	Christian Aid Platform2	Platform2 is a global scheme for people who wouldn't otherwise be able to visit a developing country and get involved with issues of global justice and poverty. For further information and application, see website and contact details. 0800 988 6828 www.myplatform2.com
Volunteer 14223291	No formal qualifications	Costs start from £360	Overseas	Coral Cay Conservation	Projects destinations include the Philippines, Tobago and Papua New Guinea. Please telephone for more information or visit the website 020 762 01411 recintern@coralcay.org / www.coralcay.org

Voluntary 14086000	No formal qualifications	None - Voluntary	Oxfordshire	Do-it.org.uk (YouthNet)	Visit the web site and register. www.Do-it.org.uk
Duke of Edinburgh Award 13892000	No formal qualifications	None	Oxfordshire	Duke of Edinburgh Award	This personal development opportunity is available to everyone from academic high flyers to under achievers. Volunteers with an offending background are accepted. Visit the website for more information. www.dofe.org 07584 581 201
Voluntary training opportunities in cafe and kitchen roles 14225941	Enthusiasm/willin g to learn.Previous experience useful not essential	None	Oxford, Barton	Eatwells Cafe	You will need to be: Reliable & responsible. Willing to help out and 'get stuck in' Able to work well with a range of people. If you are interested please contact: Hannah Wolstenholme 01865 766293 www.eatwellscafe.co.uk/Volunteerin g/
Voluntary Work - Environmental 1526202	No formal qualifications	None	Oxfordshire - Oxford and Bicester local groups	Friends of the Earth	Visit the web site or e mail the local group or telephone for more information. www.foe.co.uk 07967 369 601

Volunteer Chaperone 14224725	It would be useful if you could drive and have access to a car	Volunteer expenses available	Oxfordshire	Guideposts Trust	You should have good communication skills; patience; empathy with the needs of individuals and groups you'll support; commitment to equal opportunities and willingness to learn. Please telephone and complete a company application form. 01993 899980 www.matesndates.org.uk
Friendship Scheme 13865000	No formal qualifications	Your expenses will be met - cost of going & entry to the pictures	Witney	Guideposts Trust	You can make a significant difference to someone else's life, meet new people, make new friends, gain new skills, get involved in your local community and socialise. To find out more please contact by telephone, letter or e mail. 01993 772886 www.guidepoststrust.org.uk
Kiya Survivors Programme 14225025		Nil	Peru	Kiya Survivors	For further information about this programme and the fundraising, please see the website or contact the organiser. Andrew Murphy 01273 721092 www.kiyasurvivors.org

Games Maker - London 2012 14225541	No formal qualifications	Nil	Oxfordshire	London 2012	You will have an official uniform to wear during your shifts, which you can keep after the Games as a souvenir. You'll also have free meal vouchers to redeem during your shifts. Please visit the website 7 for more information. www.london2012.com 0845 267 2012
Lunch Time Cafe 14225883	No qualifications		Oxford	MAP Project	No referral needed just turn up or speak to Debbie Denton. 07827947336 Debbie.Denton@oxfordshire.gov.uk
Volunteers 14224125		nil	Oxfordshire, various locations	Mind in Oxfordshire	Please see website for lots of further information and specific contact details. www.oxfordshire-mind.org.uk / recruitment@oxfordshire-mind.org.uk 01865 263730
Youth Parliament 14224759	You must live in Oxfordshire	Nil	Oxfordshire	OCC CEF - Young, Engagement & Opportunities	If you are interested in representing young people in your area and would like information on how to make a REAL difference come to the open day or contact us. YOU COULD BE THE NEXT YOUNG MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT! www.ukyouthparliament.org.uk OR www.bigvoiceoxfordshire.com
Volunteer Opportunities Scheme 14083000	No Formal Qualifications	None - Voluntary	Oxford	Oxfam Head Office	For further details see website and apply on-line. www.oxfam.org.uk 01865 311311

Volunteering 14225525		Nil	Oxfordshire	Oxfordshire County Council Recruitment	You will build appropriate relationships with young people; assist in providing non-formal education opportunities; meeting the needs of young people; developing active participation and supporting of young people. jobs@oxfordshire.gov.uk http://jobs.oxfordshire.gov.uk
Positive Futures 14225615			Oxford	Positive Futures	Call or email for more information 01865 467331 /078100 58027 afrench@oxford.gov.uk
RDA Group Volunteer 13996000	No formal qualifications. Willing and able to work as part of a team	No pay	Oxfordshire	Riding For Disabled Association	Volunteers do not necessarily be horseriders. More importantly is patience, alertness, and showing an interest in the rider and allowing independence. A reasonable degree of fitness would be required. Visit the website for more information www.rda.org.uk 01865 874440
Roots Allotment Project 14225637	No formal qualifications	None	Faringdon	Roots Allotment	You will learn new skills, increase confidence, develop self-esteem, work as a team, understand and develop healthy eating habits, enjoy being outdoors and exercising without realising it ! 07754 490 393 www.rootsallotment.co.uk rootsallotment@aol.co.uk

Roots Allotment Project 14225636	No formal qualifications	None	Oxford, Cutteslowe	Roots Allotment	You will learn new skills, increase confidence, develop self-esteem, work as a team, understand and develop healthy eating habits, enjoy being outdoors and exercising without realising it ! 07754 490 393 www.rootsallotment.co.uk rootsallotment@aol.co.uk
Police Volunteer Support Team 13511000	No formal qualifications	Nil	Oxfordshire	Thames Valley Police (HQ, Kidlington)	For information and an application pack please visit www.thamesvalley.police.uk e-mail VolunteerSupportTeam@thamesvalley.pnn.police.uk or call 01865 846250. www.thamesvalley.police.uk
Volunteering Opportunities 13894000	No formal qualifications	Nil - Voluntary work	Oxfordshire	The National Centre for Volunteers	To apply please telephone or e mail. 01207 520 8900 volunteering@thecentre.org.uk www.volunteering.org.uk
YoungTimeBank 14222859	No formal qualifications	Nil	Oxfordshire	TimeBank	Visit the website for more information www.timebank.org.uk

TimeBank - Voluntary 14085000	No formal qualifications	Nil - Voluntary - Out of pocket expenses may be payable	Oxfordshire	TimeBank	Do you want a practical training that could help you get a job? Are you comfortable being in charge or would you rather be part of a team? Do you want to change the world? Time Giving works best if you feel happy with your work. Visit www.timebank.org.uk for details
Volunteer 14222917	No formal qualifications required	NIL	Oxfordshire	Voxinc	Please e mail to register your interest. www.voxinc.org/ enquiries@voxinc.freeonline.co.uk
Global XChange 14223306	No formal qualifications	An allowance will be provided.	Oxfordshire and Overseas	VSO	Live with a host home during the exchange, giving you a real experience of local culture and make new friends. Exchange country - Pakistan, Kazakhstan, Bahrain, Egypt, Syria, Ghana, Ethiopia, Malawi, Mozambique, Zambia and Mongolia. Visit www.vso.org.uk for more information
Volunteer workers 13888000	No formal qualifications	NIL	Oxfordshire	WRVS Women's Royal Voluntary Service	Contact company by email or phone, or use their website. enquiries@wrvs.org.uk / www.wrvs.org.uk / 0845 601 4670
Activity Support Worker 14225948		Voluntary basis	Abingdon	Abingdon Day Centre	Interview, references and CRB checks carried out before anyone can start volunteering. 07917 210 745

Community Gardens Volunteers 14226501	No qualifications required		Banbury	Banbury Council for Voluntary Service	For more information, please contact Ian Harper on 07855233585
ENRYCH Volunteers 14226954	No qualifications or experience needed	N/A	Various places across Oxfordshire (See website)	ENRYCH (Oxfordshire)	For more information, please visit www.rcv.org.uk , call 01235 817800 07518 300387 or email susan.linnett@rcv.org.uk
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Training and Employment 14226376			Oxfordshire	ESF LEAP Project	You must fit the eligibility criteria. Contact Connexions for further information. lucy.birmingham@connexionsoxfordshire.com 07827947338
International Citizen Service 14226769			Global	International Citizen Service	Places are also available for some team leaders who will mentor the other volunteers and contribute their skills and experience. You can apply online at www.dfid.gov.uk/ICS . Email Enquiry@ics-uk.org.uk , or phone the ICS team on 0208 780 7400

Foundation Learning programme 14226469			Caversham and Witney	Languages Training & Development	The work completed on the programmes can lead to a range of different qualifications. Call or email for more information on Foundation Learning programmes. Phone: 0118 946 3457 E-mail: info@ltd-oxford.com
Summer Challenge 2012 14226863		Voluntary	Around Oxfordshire at the Early Intervention Hubs	OCC (National Citizen Service)	See www.oxme.info for more information and to register your interest.
Youth Festival Theatre 14226650			Oxford - Playhouse and Magdalen College School	Oxford Playhouse	We are holding two open casting sessions to find our company of actors. To apply and more details email eliza.fraser@oxfordplayhouse.com . Rehearsals which take place between December 2011 and April 2012. www.nationaltheatre.org.uk/connections
Volunteer Stewards 14226392	No formal qualifications	No Wage	Oxford	Oxford Preservation Trust	To say thank you for helping, you will be invited to a special event in September. If you can help us, please phone 01865 242918 for a form and return it to: Jane Baldwin, OPT, 10 Turn Again Lane, Oxford OX1 1QL (or email: j.baldwin@oxfordpreservation.org.uk)

Hospital Fundraising - League of Friends 14227372		Assistance is given towards travel expenses.	Around Oxfordshire	Oxford Radcliffe Hospitals Nhs Trust	There are various locations around Oxfordshire where you can volunteer. To see where go to their webpage http://www.ouh.nhs.uk/get-involved/league-of-friends.aspx . You will also find her the contact details for the relevant locations.
Hospital Young Volunteers 14226621		None	Banbury - Horton	Oxford Radcliffe Hospitals Nhs Trust	PLEASE APPLY IN THE NEW YEAR. APPLICATIONS WILL ONLY BE PROCESSED IN 2012. Visit the website for more details www.oxfordradcliffe.nhs.uk Email or phone orh.volunteers@orh.nhs.uk 01865 220140 for an application form and you will also have an interview.
Hospital Young Person Volunteer 14226620		None	Oxford - John Radcliffe, Churchill, Nuffield Orthopaedic	Oxford Radcliffe Hospitals Nhs Trust	PLEASE APPLY IN THE NEW YEAR. APPLICATIONS WILL ONLY BE PROCESSED IN 2012. Visit the website for more details www.oxfordradcliffe.nhs.uk Email or phone orh.volunteers@orh.nhs.uk 01865 220140 for an application form and you will also have an interview.

Become a Sport Maker 14227045	No formal qualifications	Complete 10 hours of sport to enter draw to win 2012 Games tickets	Oxfordshire	Oxfordshire Sports Partnership	Henley River&Rowing Museum Henley Wed.18th April 6.30–9.30pm, Witney Late April 6.30–9.00pm, Cornerstone Arts Centre Didcot 14th May 6.30pm-9pm, Chipping Norton May 6.30-9pm, Abingdon June 6.30-9pm. If you'd like to find out more about Sport Makers ring 01865 252676
Club, Coach, Volunteer? 14226702		none	Headington Oxford	Oxfordshire Sports Partnership	Oxfordshire Sports Partnership is one of the 49 County Sports Partnerships within England, instigated and funded by Sport England. click on website or phone 01865 252676. www.oxfordshiresport.org
Cadet Force Adult Volunteer (CAV). 14227184	Outward bound and outside qualifications are welcomed	21 paid training days per annum at rank rate with extra for courses.	All over Oxfordshire	Oxfordshire (The Rifles) Battalion, Army Cadet Force	All necessary items of clothing, equipment are supplied by the ACF; uniform is worn for training; all members of the ACF are expected to comply with the values, standards of the British Armed Forces.Call 01869 259684 for details of nearest Detachment visit on parade night
Wood Collectors 14226819		None	Milton Park, Abingdon	Oxford Wood Recycling	Please contact Kate on 01235 861228 or at info@oxfordwoodrecycling.org.uk

Volunteers for RESTORE 14226442			East Oxford, Didcot and Banbury.	Restore	We are looking for people who have experience, skills/interest in supporting other people in Gardening, Woodworking, Admin, Ceramics, Arts & Crafts, Music, Sports, computing, Music, Catering. Please visit the website to download an application form. www.restore.org.uk
Reception & Trading Assistant Volunteer 14227175		Travel costs of up to £5 per day paid for volunteering over 4 hours	Woodstock	The Oxfordshire Museum Service	Two references from people you have known 2 years + needed. For questions and enquiries, contact the Volunteer Co-ordinator on 01993 811456 or email volunteer.museum@oxfordshire.gov.uk
Informal Learning Volunteer 14227174		Travel costs of up to £5 per day paid for volunteering over 4 hours	Woodstock	The Oxfordshire Museum Service	Two references from people you have known 2 years + needed. For questions and enquiries, contact the Volunteer Co-ordinator on 01993 811456 or email volunteer.museum@oxfordshire.gov.uk
Gallery Assistant Volunteer 14227173		Travel costs of up to £5 per day paid for volunteering over 4 hours	Woodstock	The Oxfordshire Museum Service	Two references from people you have known 2 years + needed. For questions and enquiries, contact the Volunteer Co-ordinator on 01993 811456 or email volunteer.museum@oxfordshire.gov.uk

Formal Learning Volunteer 14227172	Experience & aptitude for working with children, good verbal skills	Travel costs of up to £5 per day paid for volunteering over 4 hours	Woodstock	The Oxfordshire Museum Service	Two references from people you have known 2 years + needed. For questions and enquiries, contact the Volunteer Co-ordinator on 01993 811456 or email volunteer.museum@oxfordshire.gov.uk
Cafe Assistant Volunteer 14227171		Travel costs of up to £5 per day paid for volunteering over 4 hours	Woodstock	The Oxfordshire Museum Service	Two references from people you have known 2 years + needed. For questions and enquiries, contact the Volunteer Co-ordinator on 01993 811456 or email volunteer.museum@oxfordshire.gov.uk
Holiday Volunteer Helper 14227292	No experience of working with people with learning disabilities	We cover all expenses, and a CRB check at no cost to you.	Oxfordshire	Yellow Submarine Respite Holidays (Charity)	Help us provide people with learning disabilities with a much needed break/holiday to somewhere in Britain. Holidays coming up are to France, a music festival, Blackpool, the Paralympics and many other places! Email caroline@yellowsubmarine.org.uk or call 01865 249662
Holiday Volunteer Helper 14227291	No experience of working with people with learning disabilities	We cover all expenses, and a CRB check at no cost to you.	Witney	Yellow Submarine Respite Holidays (Charity)	Help us provide people with learning disabilities with a much needed break/holiday to somewhere in Britain. Holidays coming up are to France, a music festival, Blackpool, the Paralympics and many other places! Email caroline@yellowsubmarine.org.uk or call 01865 249662

<p>Holiday Volunteer Helper 14227290</p>	<p>No experience of working with people with learning disabilities</p>	<p>We cover all expenses, and a CRB check at no cost to you.</p>	<p>Oxfordshire</p>	<p>Yellow Submarine Respite Holidays (Charity)</p>	<p>Help us provide people with learning disabilities with a much needed break/holiday to somewhere in Britain. Holidays coming up are to France, a music festival, Blackpool, the Paralympics and many other places! Email caroline@yellowsubmarine.org.uk or call 01865 249662</p>
<p>Day Activity Volunteer Helper 14227289</p>	<p>No experience of working with people with learning disabilities</p>	<p>We cover all expenses, and a CRB check at no cost to you.</p>	<p>Witney area</p>	<p>Yellow Submarine Respite Holidays (Charity)</p>	<p>If you have ideas, or want to take charge of something eg monthly cinema trips and meeting people there, this would be great. We will support you all the way and look forward to meeting you!Please email caroline@yellowsubmarine.org.uk or call 01865 249662</p>
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