

CHRIST CHURCH WOODBURY

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- Job Title:** Children and Families Support Assistant
- Reports to:** Children and Families Lead (CFL) - Livi Ju
- Function:** Work alongside the CFL, supporting and leading our children and young people to grow in their faith.
- Job Type:** Initial 12-month contract, with a six month Probation period
Part time, 15-20 hours per week
- Salary:** £9,500 – £12,667 (£12.18 ph)
- Closes:** 30th August 2024

Overview:

As **Children and Families Support Assistant** you will be responsible for developing a key allocated group of our children and youth in discipleship. You will be a mentor, assist in running our weekly groups, and help with parent communication. The weekly groups are intended to draw the children and youth closer to Jesus and challenge them in their faith. You will also be involved in supporting our social media account and collaborate with our curriculum.

Job responsibilities:

- To help facilitate weekly outreach and discipleship groups.
- To mentor several of the youth and help challenge them in their faith.
- To help plan and lead teaching sessions.
- To facilitate the Sunday morning children/youth sessions.
- To engage with the children and youth of the church, getting to know them, actively praying for them, and encouraging them. Weekly prayer meetings with the **Children and Families Lead**.
- To run a discipleship course with an allocated group.
- Expected to have input on engagement strategy and vision with the youth.
- To work amongst the children and youth in Christ Church, developing and providing a sound and consistent biblical, experiential, and life-related programme to give a foundation of both knowledge and experience of who God is, what he has done for us through Jesus, and what a partnership with the Holy Spirit is like.
- To help organise 'special' events across the year (eg Easter holiday clubs, Light parties and the Christmas nativity).
- To actively encourage the children (8+) to take part in camps eg SPREE.
- To actively grow in your own faith daily through studying the scriptures, podcasts, reading, and praying. To be an effective Christian role model for the young people, showing by your life you love and serve Jesus.
- To help us set up and maintain a social media presence.

Essential qualities:

- Be a committed Christian with an active faith.
- Expected to be actively engaged in church community and life.

Desirable qualities:

- Biblical training (one or more years)
- A theology degree.
- To have good organisation skills.
- Someone who takes initiative and brings new ideas and vision.