**Junction 12**

**Female Project Worker (Temporary)**

**Job Description**

**Job Title: Project Worker**

**Responsible to: Project Leader**

**Job Purpose:**

* To work with children and young people in a holistic way, taking their physical, emotional, spiritual and social needs into account.
* To point children and young people, especially girls, to positive ways of living and to enable them to make safe and healthy choices.
* To model a Christian lifestyle and attitude enabling the girls and young women to see and experience a positive role model in their lives.
* To support children and young people in their spiritual development in accordance with Junction 12’s Ethos Statement.

**Main Duties:**

Working with project staff, volunteers and appropriate school staff to:

* Prepare, facilitate and evaluate small group work to address the social, emotional and behavioural needs of those referred to the project.
* To take a lead in facilitating support work for teenage girls
* Provide one-to-one support and mentoring to enable girls to deal with difficult life experiences.
* Keep up-to-date written records of work.
* Effectively communicate with school staff, families, other professionals and agencies as appropriate.
* Lead lunchtime and after school clubs which will include:
	+ Scripture Union groups
	+ Informal drop-ins
	+ Detached work
* To participate in social and residential activities, including Scripture Union holidays and weekends.

**Other Duties**

* Undertake personal development through active participation in supervision and identified training (internal or external) as required.
* Take part in other Junction 12 activities where appropriate.
* Any other task required for the contingency of this service as directed by the Project Leader.

**Occupational Requirement**

For this post, it is important that you have an active Christian faith and are committed to Junction 12’s ethos, working principles and vision. To ensure effective support and role modelling for girls in Junction 12, we are also seeking to appoint a female candidate for this role. These are both Occupational Requirements, Equality Act 2010, part 1, schedule 9.

Appointment will be subject to a satisfactory PVG Scheme Disclosure.

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