



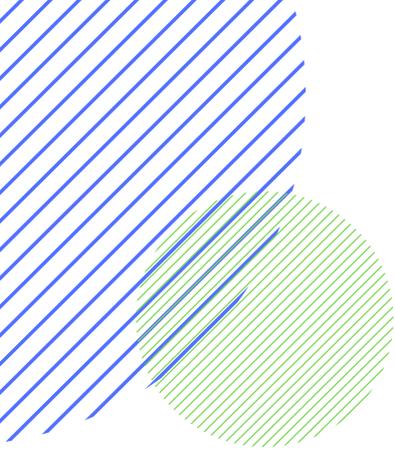
UNDER ONE SKY

VOLUNTEER

ABOUT US

A new charity 'Under One Sky' is seeking Trustees for a project that will work with children (5-11 years old) from asylum seeking and refugee backgrounds. Initially the project will operate in south London with scope to expand. The project was inspired by the Founder (Sai Raza's) work with families in refugee camps in Greece and extensive experience working with vulnerable people and environmental charities for the past 10 years. The idea is to help these children engage in outdoor learning, using nature trails, forest schools and outdoor play to help them learn as well as facilitating better mental health. South London has an abundance of green spaces, this would be great way to get marginalised children outdoors and explore nature. We are also in the process of developing a community Campaigners group and a Migration Education Initiative.

We are seeking supporters who have a desire to make a difference to these marginalised children's lives and help to have some semblance of a childhood. We're currently a team of four with varied experience across the third sector, we are seeking friendly, approachable people who will take initiative and like to actively get involved. Applicants from refugee/asylum seeking backgrounds are encouraged to apply.



LEARNING LEADER

ROLE DESCRIPTION

We are seeking a friendly and approachable individual who enjoys working with children aged 5-11. A collaborative self-starter who can flexible about work hours (although we will draw up a timetable of volunteers and hours per week).

- **Strong communication skills, written and oral**
- **Excellent organisational skills**
- **Experience in an educational setting (desirable)**
- **Comfortable leading 2/3 volunteers (during sessions only)**
- **Understands that learners have differing needs and supports individuals sensitively**
- **Ability to engage and inspire children from diverse backgrounds including those deemed vulnerable**
- **Ability to sustain good working relations partner organisations, local communities and individuals including occasional outreach**
- **Understanding of the primary school curriculum and developing materials accordingly (desirable)**
- **Understanding of well-being techniques and scales (desirable)**

All volunteers will be made aware of procedures regarding child protection and safeguarding and expect all interaction with children to be in a sensitive and responsive manner. An outdoor learning qualification such (e.g. Forest School Practitioner) would be an asset.

Under One Sky is all about collaboration, we believe in sharing ideas and involvement from volunteers. It is a small team and we value dialogue and working together to bring learning to life for children who may not have had any formal education.

Practical Considerations

We will do our best to support you by:

- **Providing you with a point of contact and thorough induction including safeguarding training**
- **Providing relevant equipment including lesson plans**
- **Plenty of opportunity to help shape and develop projects**
- **Help you access training for personal and organisational development**
- **Completing a DBS Check**

If you're intersted or would like to know more about the role, we'd love to hear from you on underoneskystory@gmail.com

