



## About Your Volunteer Role

### Money Ready Mini Volunteer

Our 'Money Ready Mini' session is designed to prepare Year 6 pupils (10-11-year-olds) for independence ahead of starting secondary school. Split into small groups, learners complete a 10-15 min activity which helps them recognise text scams and know what to do if they receive one. We typically deliver the same activity to 5 or 6 sets of learners in one day.

Guided by our trainers, volunteers can observe before getting stuck in and delivering some or all of the text scam activity themselves. Our trainers adapt to each person's comfort zone and give you the confidence to give it a go. By the end of the day most volunteers deliver the whole activity.

#### Tasks may include:

- Introducing yourself
- Observing our trainer to understand the key learning messages and outcomes
- Using low tech resources, deliver some or all of the activity
- Helping learners complete predesigned activities
- Where appropriate, sharing your story to give real world examples
- Facilitating discussion by encouraging learners to give answers and share ideas
- Supporting our trainer during the session e.g. setting out resources, sticking work on display boards, reading out instructions etc .

#### Making a difference

This is a short activity with instant impact. By taking the lead and walking learners through our text scam activity you will ask pupils to think about keeping their money safe. You will have a direct impact at a transitional moment, when Year 6 pupils are preparing for more independence, which often means access to their own debit card/money and their own mobile phone. Your energy and enthusiasm will make a difference to how learners navigate the transition with knowledge and confidence.

#### We are looking for volunteers who are:

- Willing and able to get stuck in by helping learners complete the activity and facilitating answers
- Encouraging, non-judgemental and open minded
- Are able to bring energy and enthusiasm to the day
- Respectful of learners choice to interact or not engage

#### Preparing for your volunteering

This volunteer role requires a medium level of preparation.

It is essential all volunteers attend a Money Ready volunteer information sessions (45 mins).

