

Role profile – Youth Programmes Volunteer

Location	Age requirement
JET currently operates in 15 counties across the UK, divided into South, Central and North	Minimum age 18 years

About the Jon Egging Trust

The Jon Egging Trust ('JET') is a dynamic and innovative youth engagement charity. Each academic year we aim to improve the life-chances of over 10,000 young people.

The Trust was set up in honour of Flt Lt Jon Egging, who lost his life following a display at the Bournemouth Air Festival in 2011. He was coming to the end of his first year with the world-famous Royal Air Force Aerobatic Team 'The Red Arrows' flying in the position of Red 4. The Jon Egging Trust realises Jon's dream of inspiring young people through his love of aviation, teamwork and leadership, helping them to overcome adversity, identify their strengths and work towards their ambitions.

Mission

- To support young people from disadvantaged backgrounds, to overcome adversity and achieve their full potential
- To deliver accredited learning programmes to develop work and life skills by providing young people with access to inspirational role models and life-changing opportunities linked to aviation, engineering and science
- To raise young people's aspirations, confidence and self-esteem and to help them re-engage with education and so make informed choices about their futures

JET Youth Programmes

JET offers two youth engagement initiatives: Blue Skies and Inspirational Outreach, in conjunction with our partners from the worlds of aviation and STEM.

Blue Skies (BS) is an intensive, targeted, early intervention programme offered through two delivery routes: Blue Skies three-year syllabus and Blue Skies Inspire Packages. Working in partnership with a particular school in each region alongside our military and civilian partners, we provide a set and standardised curriculum for young people from 10+ years old, based on the core values of Teamwork, Leadership and Inspiration. Schools

can choose between our flagship three-year syllabus, and a bespoke series of sessions over a shorter timeframe, depending on their specific learning objectives and the needs of the young people.

Inspirational Outreach (IO) provides bespoke impact days or a short series of sessions for children and young people from key stage 2 through to school leavers according to the needs specified by schools.

Role purpose

To support Regional Youth Programmes staff to deliver JET Programmes. Be a positive role model to our young people in line with our mission statement. Work within the aims and values of JET.

The post will be managed by the Regional Manager/JETLO and accountable to the Area Director.

Duties and responsibilities

Main duties and responsibilities may include:

- Develop and deliver key inspirational presentations/talks to young people
- Support the development of the partnerships JET has with its schools and external partners
- Assist Youth Programmes staff to build inspirational sessions for young people
- Together with Youth Programmes staff ensure that sessions are delivered safely and in line with JET safeguarding policy. This includes completion of risk assessment as appropriate.

General

In addition to the specific duties and responsibilities outlined in this role profile, all JET volunteers should be aware of their specific responsibilities towards the following:

- Adhere to all health and safety regulations and to co-operate with JET in maintaining good standards of health and safety
- Adhere to all legislative requirements and JET policies and procedures with regards to data protection
- Uphold ethical and professional standards and not behave in a manner that is likely to bring JET into disrepute
- Promote and sustain a responsible attitude towards equal opportunities and diversity within JET
- Demonstrate a commitment to on-going learning and development and to participate in any training relevant to the role, specifically safeguarding.

Person specification

Criteria	Essential	Desirable
Good interpersonal skills	X	
Ability to form good working relationships with other team members and professionals	X	
Ability to relate to and engage with young people	X	
An enthusiastic 'can do' approach	X	
Commitment to the safeguarding and wellbeing of young people	X	
Experience of working with young people		X

Other information

Working arrangements

A driver's licence and access to a vehicle with business car insurance is essential for this role due to the rural/remote location of RAF bases and schools.

DBS check

Some roles may require DBS check, this will be confirmed after interview depending on the level of commitment offered.

Expenses

Volunteers are entitled to be reimbursed by JET for reasonable expenses incurred whilst carrying out their duties.

Private vehicles: Mileage for individual journeys in a private car will be calculated at 45p per mile

Public transport: Reimbursed at face value where proof is provided (ticket, booking email etc.)