

Ending homelessness. Rebuilding lives.

Art Group Volunteer

As an Art Group Volunteer, you will be supporting clients to take part in activities and develop their artistic skills as well as their confidence. Activities are often someone's first step towards thinking about their aspirations and going on to access services for employment and learning and so by doing this simple role, you will be making a really big difference in people's lives.

What will I be doing?

In this role, you will be supporting us with all or some of the following tasks:

- Facilitating art sessions with groups of clients in a creative way.
- Providing a safe space for client to learn new skills and develop existing ones ensuring your sessions are welcoming, inclusive and empowering.
- Designing the art sessions to meet the needs of the participants and listening to their feedback.
- Adhering to St Mungo's Policies and Procedures at all times.

Where/ When will I be volunteering?

See this role's advert for more information on location and time commitment.

★☐ Too I need to have any specific skills?

- Experience of, or an interest in, leading art groups.
- Confidence in leading a group with staff present.
- Having a person-centred approach.
- A friendly personality, good interpersonal skills, enthusiasm and motivation.
- Collaborative with good communication skills.
- An understanding of the causes of homelessness and its impact.
- Genuine interest in and commitment to St Mungo's work and client group.
- An understanding of and commitment to diversity & equality.

We particularly welcome applicants with lived experience.

What support will I receive in return?

We have a dedicated team to support you in your volunteer journey with us. You can find out more about what you'll gain from being a St. Mungo's volunteer on our volunteering webpages.

We are also committed to progression at all levels and <u>we support and develop our volunteers</u> to ensure that they are best placed to make progress in their careers.

How do I get started?

Apply online. Or, contact us at volunteer@mungos.org or on 0203 856 6160 for further support.