

Role Profile | Events Support Assistant

Salary | Minimum wage

Office Location | Wentworth Woodhouse, Rotherham, South Yorkshire, S62 7TQ Hours of Work | Flexible – must be available in peak holiday times Responsible To | Chief Operating Officer / Head of Commercial

Role Purpose

Wentworth Woodhouse is a Grade I listed mansion in Rotherham, South Yorkshire. The Wentworth Woodhouse Preservation Trust (the Trust) is committed to delivering high-quality, creative and enjoyable visitor experiences.

The **Events Support Assistant** plays a crucial role in ensuring the successful setup, delivery, and take-down of a variety of events and activities within the House and Gardens. This position requires strong customer service skills, adaptability, and teamwork to enhance the overall visitor experience.

Role Duties

- Assist with the setup and dismantling of events and activities, including assembling gazebos, placing signage, setting up barriers, and general site preparation.
- Marshal and steward events, ensuring crowd management and visitor safety.
- Support event activities, engaging with visitors, answering inquiries, and guiding guests.
- Deliver exceptional customer service to provide a positive and memorable visitor experience.
- Follow health and safety procedures, adhering to all risk assessments and safeguarding policies.
- Act as an ambassador for the Trust, communicating its mission, ongoing projects, and vision to visitors.
- Support financial targets by promoting event offerings, admissions, and retail opportunities.
- Ensure compliance with the Trust's operational processes to minimize risks to visitors, staff, and volunteers.

Person Specification

Please see the criteria expected of the role below. Applications should demonstrate relevant experience, skills, and enthusiasm for the role.

Factor	Criteria	Essential or Desirable
RELEVANT EXPERIENCE	Experience supporting	Essential
	large events.	
	Experience in delivering	Desirable
	events at cultural or	
	heritage venues.	
	Experience working with and interacting with the	Essential
	public.	
JOB RELATED SKILLS	Strong interpersonal and	Essential
	communication skills.	
	Ability to work	Essential
	independently and as part	
	of a team.	
	Understanding of health	Essential
	and safety procedures,	
	including risk assessments	
	and safeguarding policies.	
PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES	Confidence in engaging	Essential
	with the public in a	
	professional and	
	welcoming manner.	
	A flexible and positive	Essential
	attitude with the ability to	
	adapt to different	
	situations.	
	Ability to perform well under	Essential
	pressure in a fast-paced	
	event environment.	
	Strong conversational skills	Essential
	and a friendly approach to	
	engaging with diverse	
	visitors.	
	Reliability, good	Essential
	timekeeping, and a well-	
	presented appearance.	
WORK CIRCUMSTANCES	Ability to work flexible hours,	Essential
	including evenings,	

weekends, school holidays,	
and Bank Holidays.	
Good level of physical	Essential
fitness, as the role involves	
manual handling and	
setting up event	
equipment.	

Why Join Wentworth Woodhouse Preservation Trust?

This is an exciting opportunity to contribute to the success of events at one of the UK's most historic and iconic locations. As an Events Support Assistant, you will play an active role in ensuring visitors have a seamless and enjoyable experience while supporting the preservation and promotion of Wentworth Woodhouse's heritage.