



Volunteer Translator

YMCA MK welcome young people from a variety of cultures and backgrounds, embracing what makes us unique and fostering a sense of community. We are looking for a team of bilingual volunteers to help young people with English as a second language, to receive vital information and be heard. As a Volunteer Translator, you'll contribute significantly to making information accessible, inclusive, and useful to people who need that information in their language.

They'll look to you for guidance about how to get the most out of YMCA support. This is a fantastic opportunity to provide comfort and reassurance to a young person, welcoming them to their new home and encouraging them to be a part of the YMCA community.

Volunteer Qualities:

Are you fluent in other languages?

Are you friendly and approachable?

Do you want to help a young person feel at home in Milton Keynes?

What you can expect from us:

- The opportunity to be a part of a supportive and friendly team.
- An induction training course, covering the practices used by the YMCA MK when working with young people.
- The opportunity to move into other volunteer roles and potentially paid work.

What we expect from you:

- We understand volunteering needs to fit around your life, so please get in touch to discuss the time you are able to commit.
- We need volunteers who can uphold professional boundaries at all times.
- You must be 18 or over to apply for this role.

Duties and Responsibilities:

We want to ensure those with English as a second language have a smooth and enjoyable experience at YMCA MK. As a volunteer translator, you will support them to communicate effectively in their meet and greet and keywork sessions. These will be arranged with the keyworker on a case by case basis, at a time that suits you!



**Here for young people
Here for communities
Here for you**

YMCA enables people to develop their full potential in mind, body and spirit. Inspired by, and faithful to, our Christian values, we create supportive, inclusive and energising communities, where young people can truly belong, contribute and thrive.