

# Volunteer Role Profile:

Campaign Assistant February – April 2017

### Basic details:

The Communications team works to raise awareness of The Sick Children's Trust. You will support the Communications Officer in preparing for our Big Chocolate Tea Campaign. This will include researching and sourcing prizes, contacting regional bakers and businesses to ask for their support and preparing our wonderful Big Chocolate Tea packs to send out to supporters. There will also be opportunities to assist with social media.

Volunteer role:	Campaign Assistant	Date/period:	From 13 February until 21 April. A longer term volunteering role will also be available.
Department:	Communications	Location:	The Sick Children's Trust, 75 King William Street, London, EC4N 7BE
Salary: UNPAID	- Up to £10 per day travel expenses on production of tickets / receipts - Up to £5 per day food/lunch expenses on production of receipts	Hours per day and days per week:	Days and hours in the office are to be agreed prior to starting.
Name of employer:	The Sick Children's Trust		

## **Reporting structure**

**Reports to:** Ruby Limbrick, Communications Officer

#### Role

This role involves supporting the Communications Officer with The Sick Children's Trust's biggest annual fundraising campaign. Your main opportunities will include:

- Researching and sourcing competition prizes
- Researching and contacting local bakers/chefs/businesses to gain support for the campaign
- Preparing and sending out the Big Chocolate Tea packs
- Drafting content for social media
- Researching and contacting London based bakers to donate goodies for our stall Borough Market

Person specification requirements for the job:		
Experience: (desired, not essential)	Previously worked as part of a team	
Knowledge:	Social media networks	
(desired, not essential)	<ul> <li>An awareness of the charity sector and fundraising</li> </ul>	
Skills:	■ IT Skills: Microsoft Word, Excel, Powerpoint, Outlook	
(desired, not essential)	<ul> <li>Excellent communication skills (oral and written)</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Confidence in talking to a range of individuals in person and on the phone</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Interpersonal skills</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Desire to learn</li> </ul>	

On successful completion of the volunteering opportunity, you will leave with the following:

Skills	<ul> <li>Researching and securing prizes</li> </ul>		
e.g.	<ul> <li>Contacting and engaging businesses and local bakers</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Recording data and information on Excel</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Drafting creative and concise content for social media</li> </ul>		
Experience	Working for a charity		
e.g.	<ul> <li>Insight into charity fundraising campaigns</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Administrative tasks</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Working to tight deadlines</li> </ul>		

## To apply:

Please email <u>stephanie@sickchildrenstrust.org</u> with a paragraph explaining why you want to volunteer for us and how you are suitable for this role.