

TRANSFORM YOUNG LIVES

♥ **Job Role:**
**Performing Arts
Co-ordinator**

♥ **Salary:** £25,000–
£28,000

♥ **Reports to:**
Playwork Manager

♥ This role will require
you to work flexible
including evenings
and weekends





FREE GYM ACCESS



FREE MEAL ON SESSION



33 DAYS LEAVE PRO RATA
(INCLUSIVE OF BANK HOLS)



TRAINING AND
DEVELOPMENT
OPPORTUNITIES



BIRTHDAY LEAVE



FREE MEMBERSHIP & HOLIDAY
CLUB FOR YOUR CHILDREN*

Lively, fun, 'sick'... these are some of the words our members use to describe Inspire.

Working with young people age 8-19 (25 with additional needs), we transform lives, helping them be the best they can be.

Opening in 2018, we're 7 years old this year, and in those years, we haven't stopped learning, and we haven't stopped developing. From a global pandemic to the cost of living crisis, we are there for young people when they need us and adapt to their ever-changing needs.

Open 7 days a week when schools are shut, at our most basic, we provide **somewhere to go, something to do, and someone to talk to.** Our 'see it to believe it' facilities give young people access to a range of activities, opens doors to a world of opportunities, and provides the perfect space to develop new relationships with both peers and positive role models.

Through our doors you'll find; a 3G pitch, gym, sports hall, climbing wall, dance studio, music room and much more.

Inspire isn't just be a place to go, it's a place to grow. And that's as much about young people as it our staff team.

There's so many perks to joining our staff team!

Our Culture



Committed



Supported



Ambitious



Present



Inspirational

THE ROLE

We are seeking a passionate and dedicated professional to develop and deliver a high-quality performance and creative arts programme for young people in Chorley, aged 7–19 years (up to 25 for those with additional needs). In this role, you will design and implement a comprehensive performing arts curriculum while providing direct line management, coaching, and development for sessional youth workers and volunteers. Your leadership will ensure that young people benefit from an engaging, inclusive, and high-standard programme. As the Programme Lead, you will oversee Inspire's Performing Arts Programme, optimizing the use of our state-of-the-art performing arts studio and music room. You will also take the lead on organizing performing arts events and delivering targeted, funded projects to enhance the programme's reach and impact. This role integrates performing arts into the broader youth work framework, supporting and inspiring young people to express themselves, develop new skills, and achieve personal growth. Responsibilities include programme planning, delivery, and collaboration with the wider team to ensure success.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

- To lead, plan, coordinate and deliver a comprehensive performing arts programme that also meets the needs of young people with additional needs
- To deliver performing arts sessions, 3.5 evenings per week (includes 1 weekend shift)
- To recruit, train, manage, develop, co-ordinate and maintain dance and music sessional staff and volunteers
- To promote and work within Inspires values
- To work with the DSL in safeguarding children and young people
- To monitor, record and evaluate the universal and funded programmes for reports
- To organise special performances and creative arts events on a regular basis
- To network with local providers and organisations to develop joint working programmes and events
- To give support across the whole Youth Zone offer (as required)

THE ESSENTIALS

- Proven experience **working with young people aged 12 to 19** (up to 25 those with additional needs) in a range of settings
- Strong ability to **work collaboratively** in a positive and inclusive team culture
- A background in **performing arts or music**
- Ability to **plan and lead** on performance and creative arts events, such as dance performances, showcases, and community events.
- Strong **leadership and management skills** ensuring you can lead a diverse team of staff and volunteers.
- **Work flexibly** including 3.5 evenings per week including weekends
- Able to **present reports, updates, and feedback** to senior management and other stakeholders.



POSITIVE AND
ENTHUSIASTIC



PUNCTUAL AND
RELIABLE



BELIEF IN YOUNG
PEOPLE



ENHANCED DBS
CLEARANCE



BE A POSITIVE ROLE MODEL
TO YOUNG PEOPLE



20 24 IN NUMBERS



DEALT WITH 433
CAUSE FOR
CONCERNS



OVER 54,000
VISITS FROM
YOUNG PEOPLE



DELIVERED
12,534
ACTIVITIES



PROVIDED
9,522
FREE MEALS

THE DESIRABLES

- A recognised qualification in performance, music or youth work
- A qualification in Leadership or Management
- Extensive experience working in a Youth work settings

THE OTHER STUFF

- To apply, send your **CV and cover letter** to ilona.ramm@inspireyouthzone.org
- Interviews will be ongoing and applications will close once an offer of employment is made

