# Become a Parent Ambassador

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- Support your community.
- Get a qualification for free and improve your Curriculum Vitae (CV).
- Gain confidence and improve your communication skills.
- Meet other people and learn about different cultures.



Alongside the face-to-face sessions you will need to complete 30 hours volunteer placement in a school setting during the autumn term.

At the end of the course, you will have gained the experience and skills to work as a Parent Ambassador in schools.

Applications will be completed in your school and enrollment will take place in September 2023.

You will need to have a good use of English, Maths and some digital skills.

An ability to speak, read or write in another language would be helpful.

Upon successful completion you will be awarded a Becoming a Parent Ambassador Level 2 qualification.

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#### Course Summary -

Want to work in a school but you do not have the qualifications or experience? This could be the course for you.

Study for a Level 2 Become a Parent Ambassador course with Adult Education Wolverhampton.

This course is a 11-week programme of study (3 hours per week) accredited by AIM. Understand the role of Parent Ambassador in schools and how this role relates to safeguarding, removing barriers to learning and communicating with parents and school staff.

#### Subjects you will study on this course include:

- Understand the roles and responsibilities of school staff.
- Understand policies and procedures relevant to a school.
- Understand the types of information required by parents and school staff.
- Know how to communicate with parents and school staff.
- Understand barriers to learning for adults and children.
- Understand the safeguarding requirements within school.
- Improve your confidence in dealing with everyday money matters with a Multiply course Shop smart, fuel poverty, debt health.

The course requires 30 hours volunteer placement in a school setting during the autumn term.

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#### **Course Requirements**

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#### What are the benefits of this course?

- · Learn the skills to work in a school environment
- · Support your community
- · Get a qualification for free and improve your Curriculum Vitae (CV)
- · Gain confidence and improve your communication skills
- · Meet other people and learn about different cultures
- If you are unemployed and live in a West Midlands Combined Authority (WMCA) post-coded area the course will be free.

#### How will I learn?

There will be 11, face-to-face sessions at Adult Education and 30 hours voluntary work in a school setting.

## How will my progress be monitored and assessed?

Assessment takes place throughout your study to ensure you are able to complete and achieve the course requirements.

Regular monitoring of progress will help to identify any support you might need.

Teachers internally assess your work and then AIM will externally verify our assessments.

# Are there any additional costs?

You will need to supply your own writing materials such as pens, paper and folders but you may be able to borrow a laptop and Wi-Fi to enable you to learn at home.

### What qualification will I get?

On successful completion and achievement of the course, you will be awarded the: Becoming a Parent Ambassador Level 2.

#### What will I be able to do after this course?

Work as Parent Ambassador in a School setting (Primary or Secondary).

For further information, careers or educational advice please contact our Student Services team in the Student Gateway based in the Foyer Building, City Learning Quarter:

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