



## **PALZ+ Play and Learn Zone Plus**

**Project Worker 16 - 30 hours per week FTE £18,618 pa pro rata  
Fixed Term March 2018 (subject to future funding)**

If you are looking for a meaningful job, a caring, progressive work environment and an opportunity to reach your fullest potential, consider a career with the YMCA.

We are seeking individuals who are inspired by playing an important role in changing people's lives and therefore communities. We are all about creating inspirational pathways and opportunities, opening doors and welcoming all to get involved and make a positive difference. Working with us means helping children, youth, adults and seniors at all levels of ability, from all walks of life, to develop their self esteem and potential in new ways.

**Play and Learn Zone Plus** is an Early Help referral provision providing one to one mentoring support and developmental activities for vulnerable children and young people aged 8-13 to achieve the following outcomes:

- Prevent, reduce or stop instances of Children and Young People displaying challenging behaviour in a variety of settings.
- Through engaging in constructive activities, Children and Young people have improved social and emotional wellbeing.
- Children and Young people are supported to become resilient with improved knowledge and safety and therefore reducing risk.

### **Job purpose:**

- To work with a case load of children and young people who have been appropriately identified as in need of the service.
- To develop, with each child on caseload, a personal support plan that will include short term milestones and medium term targets. The support plan will be tailored to each child and focus on work to change those behaviours that are detrimental to the child's future well-being as identified through assessment.
- Undertake activities, including home visits, outreach, one2one mentoring and small group work to enable children and young people to develop and meet their support plan targets.
- Work in line with organisational safeguarding and health and safety policies.

As a Project Worker you will be expected to support a case load of 6 - 12 young people delivering the service after school and early evenings. You will need to hold a current UK driving licence and have access to your own vehicle.

To the successful candidate we offer:

- Flexible working environment
- Opportunities to apply for other internal roles
- An opportunity to work for a company who offer on-going development within your role
- The post holder must be aware of equal opportunity principles and comply with the YMCA's equal opportunity procedures.
- Job Share will also be considered

For an application pack on the above role, please email [bradfordrecruitment@fyldecoastymca.org](mailto:bradfordrecruitment@fyldecoastymca.org)

**Closing date for the role is Monday 31st July 2017, by 9:00am.**