

VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

Thank you for your interest in joining our team!

Resident volunteers are given a single room, three vegetarian meals a day and two days off a week as thanks for offering service 5 hours a day, five days a week.

Please complete this form and we will consider your application in due course.

Please be aware it's your responsibility to ensure you are eligible to enter the UK if you are not a UK National. Please also note that if you need a tourist visa, as a 'visitor' you can volunteer for up to 30 days with a registered charity.

Name:

Address:

Email:

Phone number:

Citizenship:

Please note that you will ask for a copy of your passport and visa (if necessary) and a DBS check (or equivalent from your country).

1. Why would you like to volunteer at The Abbey?

2. When would you like to come? (The minimum residential volunteering period is 1 month and the maximum is 3 months)

Arrival date: _____

Departure date: _____

During the initial month our Safeguarding Trustee will meet with all volunteers wishing to stay for more than one month.

3. What practical skills do you have?

4. English fluency (as you will have interactions with guests):

5. Hobbies / How do you like spending your free time?

6. Tell us a bit about yourself

7. What do you hope to gain from volunteering with us?

8. Do you have a medical/psychological or special need that we should be aware of?

9. Could you specify what you have been doing before applying as a volunteer? And what are your plans after your stay at the Abbey?

10. Who should we contact in case of an emergency?

Please note that if your application is accepted, we will need full details for your next of kin. We will also need you to confirm that they know they are named as the next of kin.

11. Please provide at least two references supporting your application. These people should not be friends or family members.

In concordance with the EU General Data Protection Regulation of 2018, we will not, in any circumstances, share your personal information with other individuals or organizations, except when applicable by law.

All of the information being requested of you is required on the basis of Legal Obligations and Vital Interests. If you are unsuccessful, we will not hold your data for longer than six months.