

Student Leader Role Profile

Languages PAL Leader



Facilitate regular study session to help students develop language skills and develop intercultural awareness.

Duties and Responsibilities

- Facilitate regular PAL sessions using interactive facilitation techniques and encourage discussions.
- Facilitate occasional Language Cafes to promote the PAL scheme and intercultural awareness.
- Take attendance lists to monitor the impact of the scheme.
- Work collaboratively with other PAL Leaders to plan and run sessions.
- Debrief sessions and raise concerns to the Peer Support Team.
- Promote PAL and encourage attendance.

Useful Previous Experience/Skills

- ✓ Native or near native speaker of the language.
- ✓ Commitment to lead weekly study sessions.
- ✓ Enthusiasm for learning languages and sharing your culture with others.
- ✓ Ability to be a team player, friendly and non-judgemental.

Why become a PAL Leader?

- ✓ Access to tailored training and workshops in a wide range of topics.
- ✓ Enhance your CV by developing transferable skills (see below).
- ✓ Improve your confidence through facilitating sessions and helping others.
- ✓ Gain LinkedIn endorsements.
- ✓ Meet new people and build your network.
- ✓ Share your culture with others at University.
- ✓ Opportunity to go to conferences and awards ceremonies.

Key Time Commitments

- Training Requirements – 1 hour training programme before starting the role.
- 1 hour weekly PAL session.
- 0.5-1 hour planning sessions per week.
- 2 x debrief with a Senior PAL Leader throughout the time (online or face to face) .

We are here to help in your role:

- Email: peersupport@bath.ac.uk
- Office: Peer Support Office, SU, Bar level.
- Website: thesubath.com/languages

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Skills you will develop in this role:

Commercial Awareness		Creativity	✓
Decision Making	✓	Delegation	✓
Financial Management		I.T. Skills	✓
Initiative	✓	Leadership	✓
Marketing	✓	Negotiation	✓
Organisation/ Planning	✓	People Management	✓
Problem Solving	✓	Public Speaking	✓
Teamwork	✓	Time Management	✓
Verbal Communication	✓	Written Communication	✓