Student Leader Role Profile
Peer Mentor

Help new students adjust to University life by acting as a point of contact and making referrals to various support services that they can access.

Duties and Responsibilities

- Maintain contact with a small group of first year students
- Advise and/or signpost mentees to appropriate sources of advice and information when required
- Encourage mentees to make the most of opportunities to meet one another, become involved in campus life and develop their own support networks
- Be available to meet with mentees in a group or individual setting
- Attend mentor/mentee events during the year to meet with your mentees
- Maintain confidentiality where appropriate

Useful Previous Experience/Skills

- ✓ In second year of study
- ✓ Willing to be patient and empathetic in communications with students
- ✓ A strong desire to give back to the student body
- ✓ Willing to commit time and energy to the role

Why become a Peer Mentor?

- ✓ Develop key skills to boost your employability
- ✓ Enhance your CV and gain LinkedIn endorsements
- ✓ Network and build a sense of community in your department
- ✓ Opportunity to win "Volunteer of the Month"
- ✓ Celebration event at the end of the year

Key Time Commitments

- One academic year, with variable contact with mentees both on campus and online as required
- 2-hour training session prior to starting the role
- Attendance at a mentor/mentee at the start of the year

Student Leader Role Profile

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	✓

We are here to help in your role:

- Email: peersupport@bath.ac.uk
- Office: Peer Support Office, Level 3, The SU
- Website: thesubath.com/peer-support/