

A101CSU - VOLUNTEERING IN THE COMMUNITY

MODULE SUMMARY

This module provides students with an opportunity to gain practical experience and understanding of a local voluntary or community based agency. This is achieved by participating as a volunteer for a minimum of 20 mutually agreed hours and activity. This should enable students to develop a number of transferable skills such as problem-solving, initiative and teamwork. The module will also enable the student to analyse and reflect on their existing level of employability competencies, strengths and weaknesses, and to help them plan how to further develop these competencies from the learning experience.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Students must have DBS clearance (a legal requirement for anyone working with young people under 18 yrs of age, or vulnerable adults, on a one-to-one basis). Students will need to provide specific information and produce forms of identity to the University to complete this process. Information about this will be provided at the start of the module by the Module Leader.

ASSESSMENT

Coursework (100%) - 1,000 word assignment.

SKILL BUILDER

Teamwork, time management, communication

PROGRESSION

There is no specific progression pathway for this module.

EXCLUDED COMBINATIONS

None.

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT:

<https://students.coventry.ac.uk/mid>

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