

# A102CSU - VOLUNTEERING IN PRIMARY SCHOOLS: LITERACY SKILLS SUPPORT

## 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 a DBS clearance (a legal requirement for anyone working with young people under 18 yrs, or vulnerable adults, on a one-to-one basis). Students will need to provide specific information & produce forms of identity to complete this process.

Information will be provided at the start of the module by the Module Leader. Due to the specialist nature of this module a personal reference from someone in a position of responsibility who has known you for 1 year or more is required.

## PROGRESSION

There is no specific progression pathway for this module.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT:

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

## SKILL BUILDER

Empathy, time management, communication

## ASSESSMENT

Coursework (100%) - a portfolio that includes evidence of learning and development undertaken during the volunteering/teaching experience.

## EXCLUDED COMBINATIONS

None.

TESTIMONY