

Community Volunteer

Volunteer Role Profile



At Home-Start Suffolk we believe that everything begins with family. And that Suffolk should be a place where families never have to struggle in silence behind closed doors.

**Family support is just
a small step away**

About Home-Start Suffolk

Home-Start Suffolk is an independent charity, providing critical support to families of all kinds that are struggling in silence behind closed doors. We help open those doors, enabling Suffolk children and families to find their self-belief and the confidence to take those first small steps back towards the future they deserve.

We carefully match hundreds of children and families every year with over 250 exceptionally well trained volunteers, giving valuable time and opening the door to real understanding. Home-Start Suffolk help them to navigate the support they need and get back to the future they deserve - because everything begins with family.

Location:

Across Suffolk, with opportunities to support at events and activities within your local community.

Responsible to:

Fundraising & Marketing Team

Purpose of the role:

As a Community Volunteer, you will help raise awareness of Home-Start Suffolk within the local community and support fundraising activities that help us reach more families across Suffolk.

This is a flexible and rewarding volunteer opportunity for someone who enjoys meeting people, supporting local events and making a positive difference in their community.

What you could be doing:

Tasks may include:

- Supporting existing fundraising events, including the Moonlight Ball, Suffolk Sports Day and the Home-Start Hike.
- Organise your own fundraising events and initiatives.
- Helping set up and pack down at events.
- Welcoming and engaging with attendees at events.
- Sharing information about Home-Start Suffolk and the support we provide.
- Helping distribute promotional materials within the community.
- Assisting with raffle sales, registration desks or donation collections.
- Encouraging support for campaigns and fundraising initiatives.

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What we are looking for:

We are looking for volunteers who are:

- Friendly, approachable and enthusiastic.
- Passionate about supporting families in Suffolk.
- Confident communicating with members of the public.
- Reliable and willing to work as part of a team.
- Flexible and happy to support occasional evenings or weekends.
- Keen to represent Home-Start Suffolk positively within the community.

No previous experience is required, just enthusiasm and a willingness to get involved.

What you will gain:

Volunteering with Home-Start Suffolk is a great way to:

- Meet new people and be part of a welcoming team.
- Gain experience in events and community engagement.
- Build confidence and develop new skills.
- Support an important local charity.
- Make a real difference to families across Suffolk.

Time commitment:

This role is flexible and can fit around your existing commitments. Volunteers can support as little or as often as they are able, depending on upcoming events and activities.

Training & support

You will receive an induction and ongoing support from the Home-Start Suffolk team. We will ensure you feel confident and supported in your role.

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