

Youth Choir Assistant Conductor Job Description

The Youth Choir Assistant Conductor will work with the Youth Choirs Director in the training and development of the Youth and Youth Chamber Choirs. The successful candidate will support the Director in the establishment and training of a new three part ensemble of developing and changing voices.

Role Description

The Assistant Conductor will be required to:

- Support the Youth Choir Director in choir training
- Prepare and conduct rehearsals as required
- Take part in Youth and Youth Chamber Choir concerts and recitals
- Be available on Wednesday evenings and other rehearsal and concert dates as required
- Work as part of the Musicianship team
- Understand the Kodaly philosophy and its use in choral training

Essential Criteria

- Degree in Music or Music Education
- At least 2 years' experience in choral direction of young people
- Proven knowledge of Kodaly Musicianship training
- Qualification or training in choral conducting

Desirable Criteria

- Two years' experience of working as part of a team in a choir or education setting
- Enthusiasm for working with children and young people

Terms and Conditions

This position is offered on a consultancy basis and with an annual Consultancy Agreement

Remuneration - £40 per hour for appropriately qualified people. The successful candidate will be responsible for their own tax and national insurance.

1 hour per week conducting initially with a possibility to increase. Some musicianship teaching may also be available.