

Volunteer Role Description	
Role	Learning
Commitment	Flexible, Tuesdays and some weekends
Supervisor	Michelle Graabek, Activities & Interpretation Officer
Organisation Information	<p>Turner's House, Sandycombe Lodge, was built by 1813 to the designs of England's great landscape painter, J.M.W. Turner, working here as his own architect to create a quiet retreat for himself, away from the pressures of the London art world.</p> <p>Opening to the public this summer, Turner's House is committed to extending access to the house and engaging people with both the heritage of the site and the wider story of Turner and his relationship to the local area, which influenced many of his paintings, through a high quality programme of learning and participation for people of all ages.</p>
Purpose of role	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide high quality, informative and accessible engagement for both primary and secondary school pupils • To advance the education of arts in schools through engagement with Sandycombe Lodge • To provide high quality, friendly and accessible engagement to families with children of all ages
Tasks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assist in the delivery of school workshops • Assist in the set-up and clearing-up for school workshops • Assist in the delivery of activities on family weekends
Skills, Attitudes & Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interest in heritage • Willingness to learn • Good communication skills • Friendly and proactive character • Reliable • Experience working with children/youth helpful, but not required
Support & Training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Induction day • Full training on all aspects on the role • Regular volunteer meetings • Regular update on organisation activities • Advice and guidance from activities and interpretation officer • Opportunities for further mentoring and training
Benefits to volunteer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Become part of a friendly and dedicated team • Opportunity to develop new and existing skills • Opportunity to meet new people • Contribute to the valuable work of making Turner's House available to the public and developing heritage in Twickenham • Gain experience working in the heritage industry
Application Procedure	<p>Application Form Informal Interview DBS check</p>
Any Questions	Michelle Graabek, Activities & Interpretation Officer, mgraabektht@gmail.com

