

## Volunteer Role Description

<b>Role Title</b>	Gardener
<b>Department</b>	Families/facilities
<b>Reporting to</b>	Alan Griffiths
<b>Hours</b>	Any weekday Flexible hours Full or half day
<b>Location</b>	Cotton Hall, Chester
<b>Purpose/Summary of Role</b>	To help complete the gardening/grounds maintenance on site
<b>Description of Tasks</b>	Liaise with staff and complete any gardening maintenance tasks, eg repair broken fence/gates in the garden area, strim overgrown areas, remove weeds from paths and garden, sow seeds and tend seedlings, plant out vegetables and flowers in the kitchen garden, tend to the sensory garden, level and repair garden paths, all the above will involve some manual handling.
<b>Skills and abilities/Qualifications</b>	Must show you have completed some training if you are to be using any tools and/or machinery. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Good working knowledge of Health &amp; Safety including manual handling</li><li>• Physically fit</li><li>• Ability to work alone or with others</li><li>• Ability to communicate with and relate to others who might have limited knowledge and/or experience in gardening</li><li>• Friendly outgoing personality</li><li>• Good sense of humour, calm and level headed</li><li>• Knowledge of safeguarding</li><li>• Patient, reliable, resilient, organised</li><li>• Can commit to at least 6 months volunteering in the role of gardener</li></ul>