

What The Action Group looks for in an applicant?



SUPPORT WORKER

Children Services



We are looking for a person to join our team who has a genuine interest in working with children and families providing support in a variety of settings including family homes, schools and community locations and providing support either individually or with groups of children, young people and parents/carers. The service support includes working with children who have a disability and their families.



Our aim is to support children and families using a person-centred/outcome approach, focusing on strengths, building on assets and interests to support them to achieve the best possible outcomes and to feel included and supported within their communities.



The service is **designed and tailored** to the families and the child so we can work towards their desired outcome.



Applicants should be **committed, enthusiastic, motivated** and have excellent communication skills and able to work in a collaborative manner, evidencing a respectful and inclusive approach. You will be creative, innovative, adaptable and dynamic and able to deliver a person-centred and robust service to children and their families.



Applicants should be able to evidence that they wish to develop personally and professionally in the role of working with Children. Applicants who have experience working with children with a disability are preferable but **not essential**.



A **flexible approach** is essential to providing support when families need it which will include early morning, evenings and weekends.



The role includes effective time management balancing direct support to children and families needs with the administrative requirements of the post.

