

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

WHERE HAVE PEOPLE ENDED UP AFTER TAKING A GAP YEAR?
OF COURSE WE HAVE INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE BECOME TEACHERS OR
CHAPLAINS BUT PEOPLE HAVE ALSO GONE ON TO BE A POLICE OFFICER,
NURSE, PARAMEDIC, BEAUTICIAN, LAWYER, JOURNALIST AND MANY
OTHER CAREERS.

WHAT IS THE APPLICATION PROCESS?

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED THEN YOU CAN VISIT OUR WEBSITE AND DOWNLOAD AN APPLICATION FORM. OUR DIRECTOR WILL BE IN CONTACT AND HAVE AN INFORMAL CHAT WITH YOU.

DO YOU HAVE TO BE A CATHOLIC?

NO. WE ARE A CATHOLIC YOUTH MINISTRY TEAM. HOWEVER, WE HAVE HAD MEMBERS OF OTHER CHRISTIAN DENOMINATIONS JOIN US IN THE PAST.

WHEN CAN I GO HOME OR SEE MY MATES?

WE USUALLY HAVE WEEKDAY EVENINGS AND WEEKENDS FREE.

AM I COMMITTED FOR A FULL YEAR?

WE WOULD HOPE SO. THE YEAR BEGINS IN SEPTEMBER AND ENDS IN JULY. WE HOPE YOU WOULD BE PART OF THE TEAM FOR THE FULL YEAR BUT UNDERSTAND THAT OCCASIONALLY PEOPLE MAY NEED TO LEAVE THROUGH THE YEAR.

HOW TO GET IN CONTACT

OUR WEBSITE- WWW.ANIMATEYOUTH.ORG E-MAIL US- ADMIN@ANIMATEYOUTH.CO.UK









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Studio

We can use our own studio to Live Stream and Publish Videos

WORK

We mainly work with ages 11 - 18 on Retreats and **Missions**

Events

We take part in national events such as Flame: and Diocesan events such as the Lourdes Pilgrimage and Faith in Action Awards

COMMUNITY

We live and work as a community

Retreats and **Missions**

We host retreats for up to 70 young people a day and go into schools for mission days and weeks when we work with whole year groups

New Resources

We create new resources to use on retreats and missions such as dramas. workshops and games and activities

Day Trips

We like to get out of the house when we can and do different activities as a community at Blackpool Illuminations, Escape Rooms, Manchester Christmas Markets, Liverpool, Trafford Centre

Evenings

After we finish for the day we are able to have the evenings to ourselves and can spend time in the garden, round the firepit, go on the rooftop, have a games night or even go to the pub

Pilgrimage

Each year we have the opportunity to go on pilgrimage to learn more about culture and faith in other countries.

We have visited: Rome, Malta, Naples, Krakow, Munich, Florence

Primary Schools

In the summer term we work with Year 6 for their end of year retreats

Salary

You will get a weekly allowance and your accommodation and food is included

Life Skills

Money: How to budget Household: How to cook and clean DIY: How to work on projects around the house Yourself: How to look after yourself when away from

home

LIFE You are able to learn life skills for your life

Work Life Balance

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We usually work Monday - Friday, 9 - 5 We usually have weekends and school holidays free when you have the chance to go home

Faith is at the centre of everything we do

This doesn't mean all we do is pray. But faith is what helps us develop and brings us together

Personal Development

-1 on 1 Work Meetings -Spiritual Development

Training

-Educare / Safeguarding -Mental Health -First Aid -Faith in the World Today

DEVELOPMENT

We can help you develop as a person

Work Skills

-Public Speaking -Computer and Tech Skills -Working with Others -Planning, Leading and Delivering Sessions

Own Gifts

- -Drama
- -Music
- -Sport
- -Graphic Design -Video Editing
- -Justice Issues

WHAT CAN WE OFFER YOU?