

Young Ambassador Role Description

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| Your title would be: | Stand Up! RASASH Young Ambassador |
| Your main contact person would be: | Melody McIndoe, our Prevention and Campaigns Worker |
| Location: | Rape and Sexual Abuse Service Highland (RASASH) is based in Inverness but we can work with volunteers based anywhere in the Highlands. |
| Time commitment: | In order to be an Ambassador you must attend a training day . We also need you to commit to volunteering at least 10 hours per month and we would prefer that you know you'll be around until at least May 2017. |
| Role description: | RASASH is a service that supports people aged 13+ who have been affected by sexual violence; we also work to change attitudes in order to stop sexual violence from happening. We are looking for committed young volunteers between the ages of 13-25 who are interested in standing up against sexual violence. Ambassadors will do this by getting involved in RASASH's prevention, campaigning and fundraising work. If you would like to learn how to make a positive difference in your community, all while gaining great experience that will open up loads of extra doors in your future, the Young Ambassador program may be for you! |
| Main tasks: | After training, the things you might get involved in as a Young Ambassador will vary depending on your skills, comfort levels and where you live, but may include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coming up with ideas for RASASH campaigns, fundraising events or to give us ideas about how we can better support young survivors of sexual violence. • Thinking about what can be done to prevent sexual violence in your community and coming up with plans to implement those ideas. This can be done as a team with other Ambassadors. • Helping to deliver our prevention workshops to other young people. |



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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Helping to run our social media pages (Facebook, Twitter, blog etc) • Producing artwork or designs for our campaign posters and materials. • Speaking on behalf of young people preventing sexual violence at partnership events and talking to people in your community about RASASH's work and campaigns. • Training professionals in sexual violence issues affecting young people |
| <p>Required skills & qualities:</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The ability to commit to the training and then to volunteering a minimum of 10 hours per month. • A responsible approach to representing RASASH and working as a team • Enthusiasm: to get involved and to make a real difference in putting an end to sexual violence in your community and the ability to think creatively about how this can be done. • You must be between the ages of 13-25 and living in the Highland Council area. |
| <p>How you'll be supported and rewarded:</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regular contact with your volunteer coordinator, Melody • Access to the Stand Up! Ambassador Facebook group where you can keep up-to-date and discuss things that come to mind with other Young Ambassadors from different areas of the Highlands. • RASASH will reimburse any agreed travel costs you incur as a result of taking part in the project. • At the end of your time with us you will receive a RASASH Volunteering Certificate, and if you volunteer 50, 100 or 200 hours you will be eligible for a Saltire Award too! |
| <p>Recruitment process:</p> | <p>If you're interested in becoming a Young Ambassador please complete our short application form, which can be found at rasash.org.uk and send it to prevention@rasash.org.uk. You can also email this address or call 01463 257653 if you have any questions.</p> |



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