

## Schools and Community Outreach Worker

Towerview Free Methodist Church is seeking to appoint a full-time (37 hours per week) **Schools and Community Outreach Worker** to pioneer, develop and run the church's schools and community outreach program in Towerview and adjacent neighbourhoods. The successful candidate will develop and deliver programming to local schools and in the church to help children, teenagers and families experience the love of Jesus Christ.

We welcome applications from dedicated Christians legally able to work in the United Kingdom who can envision and pioneer this new adventure, inspire volunteers, and serve the church and community in both practical and spiritual ways.

For more information, please see the **Job Description** and **Ideal Candidate Profile** below.  
Application Process

**Salary range:** £21,000-£24,000 per annum. Overtime is not paid, but the successful candidate may claim reasonable time in lieu.

### **Application Deadline. 28 February 2022**

Applicants should submit the following **THREE** documents to Dr. Ivan Filby (Trustee) at [admin@towerviewchurch.co.uk](mailto:admin@towerviewchurch.co.uk).

1. An up-to-date CV or resume.
2. A cover letter explaining your motivation for applying for this position and how you believe your experience to date makes you a strong candidate.
3. Your Christian testimony.

### **PLEASE NOTE:**

This is a high-profile job, with direct contact with young people and the public. It is therefore an ongoing condition of employment that the successful applicant maintains the highest standards of integrity and Biblical morality in both public and private.

It is a genuine occupational requirement that the role holder is a committed Christian. If not already a member or attendee, the successful applicant will be expected to attend Towerview Free Methodist Church for the duration of the contract.

The successful candidate will be required to undertake an AccessNI Enhanced Check, including a check of the DBS Barred Lists.

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**Job Description:**

The Schools and Community Outreach Worker is a 24-month contract position, with a six month's probationary period to assess performance and institutional fit. The contract may be renewed on an annual basis subject to evaluation and funding.

The exact details of the job will be determined collaboratively between the successful candidate, the pastor, and the church leadership team.

**Main duties:**

1. Develop, coordinate, and run Towerview Free Methodist Church's *Schools and Community Outreach* program.
2. Promote Christian Unity by fostering positive relationships between local churches, schools, and the community.
3. Ensure Schools and Community Outreach programming is developed and delivered in accordance with the vision and aims of Towerview Free Methodist Church and the Free Methodist Church UK & Ireland.

**Ideal Candidate Profile**

1. The ideal candidate must be a committed Christian who can support the vision of Towerview Free Methodist Church, the Free Methodist Church in UK & Ireland and be able to report to a female lead pastor.
2. The ideal candidate will have experience in schools and community outreach, youth work, children's work or will have worked in local schools/ churches in a related capacity.
3. The ideal candidate must be outgoing, a self-starter, able to attract and motivate a volunteer team, and have the computer, social media, and communication skills necessary to effectively administer the program.

**Towerview Free Methodist Church**

Towerview Free Methodist Church sits in the heart of the Towerview community in Bangor, Northern Ireland. It is a Spirit-filled church focused on making Jesus known in Towerview, Bangor and North Down in Northern Ireland. The church focuses on helping people experience the transformational love of Jesus Christ through the power of the Holy Spirit. The church desires all people to experience God's love firsthand and encourages all to be disciples of Jesus. The church has always been focused on outreach to the community and a generous grant has enabled the church to dream how it can care for our schools and communities in more proactive ways.