



**Application Form for Volunteering with  
Nottinghamshire Children's Centre Service**

<b>Title:</b> (please circle)	Mr Mrs Miss Ms Dr Other				
<b>Full Name:</b>					
<b>Address and postcode:</b>					
<b>Telephone:</b>	Mobile:		Landline:		
<b>Email Address:</b>					
<b>Date of Birth:</b>					
<b>Gender:</b>					
Male	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Female	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Prefer not to Say	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Other (please describe)	<input type="checkbox"/>				
<b>Marital Status:</b>			<b>Religion:</b>		
Single	<input type="checkbox"/>	Buddhist	<input type="checkbox"/>	Christian	<input type="checkbox"/>
Married	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hindu	<input type="checkbox"/>	Jehovah Witness	<input type="checkbox"/>
Separated	<input type="checkbox"/>	Jewish	<input type="checkbox"/>	Muslim	<input type="checkbox"/>
Divorced	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sikh	<input type="checkbox"/>	Any Other Religion	<input type="checkbox"/>
Widowed	<input type="checkbox"/>	None	<input type="checkbox"/>	Information not yet obtained	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lives with Partner	<input type="checkbox"/>	Refused	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Civil Partnership	<input type="checkbox"/>				
<b>Ethnic Origin:</b>					
<u>White:</u> <input type="checkbox"/> English, Welsh, Scottish, Northern Irish, British <input type="checkbox"/> Irish <input type="checkbox"/> Gypsy or Irish Traveller <input type="checkbox"/> Any other White background			<u>Asian/Asian British:</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Indian <input type="checkbox"/> Pakistani <input type="checkbox"/> Bangladeshi <input type="checkbox"/> Chinese <input type="checkbox"/> Any other Asian background		
<u>Mixed/Multiple Ethnic Origin:</u> <input type="checkbox"/> White and Black Caribbean <input type="checkbox"/> White and Black African <input type="checkbox"/> White and Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Any other Mixed, multiple ethnic background			<u>Black/African/ Caribbean/ Black British:</u> <input type="checkbox"/> African <input type="checkbox"/> Caribbean <input type="checkbox"/> Any other Black, African, Caribbean background		
<u>Other ethnic group:</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Arab <input type="checkbox"/> Any other ethnic group					

**Do you have children?**

Yes  No

If yes, how many and what ages?

Do you currently use childcare for your child/ren?

Yes  No

<b>Current Employment status:</b>		<b>Where did you hear about Children's Centre Volunteering opportunities?</b>	
Maternity Leave	<input type="checkbox"/>	Children's Centre member of staff	<input type="checkbox"/>
Student	<input type="checkbox"/>	Children's Centre Facebook	<input type="checkbox"/>
Unemployed and claiming benefits	<input type="checkbox"/>	Nottinghamshire County Council Children's Centre Website	<input type="checkbox"/>
Full-time work	<input type="checkbox"/>	College / University	<input type="checkbox"/>
Part-time work	<input type="checkbox"/>	Healthy Family Team	<input type="checkbox"/>
Stay at home parent	<input type="checkbox"/>	Parent / friend	<input type="checkbox"/>
Care Leaver	<input type="checkbox"/>	Job Centre Plus	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other – please tell us	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other services (please tell us who)	<input type="checkbox"/>

**What type of volunteering are you interested in?**

Volunteering opportunities will be discussed with you in detail at your interview. More details about each of these volunteering roles is available at; <https://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/care/early-years-and-childcare/childrens-centre-service/volunteering>

Early Years Groups		Breastfeeding Peer Support (BABES)	
Admin		EPEC Leader (Empowering Parents, Empowering Communities)	
PHEW Group ( Parent's Health & Emotional Wellbeing)		Food Club	

**Please tell us about any special skills, interests or hobbies you have:**

These might include talking and communication skills, listening ability, languages other than English, a familiarity with different cultures, playing a musical instrument, sport, cooking, gardening, crafts or previous work experience related to the role(s).

**Please tell us about any previous voluntary experience:**

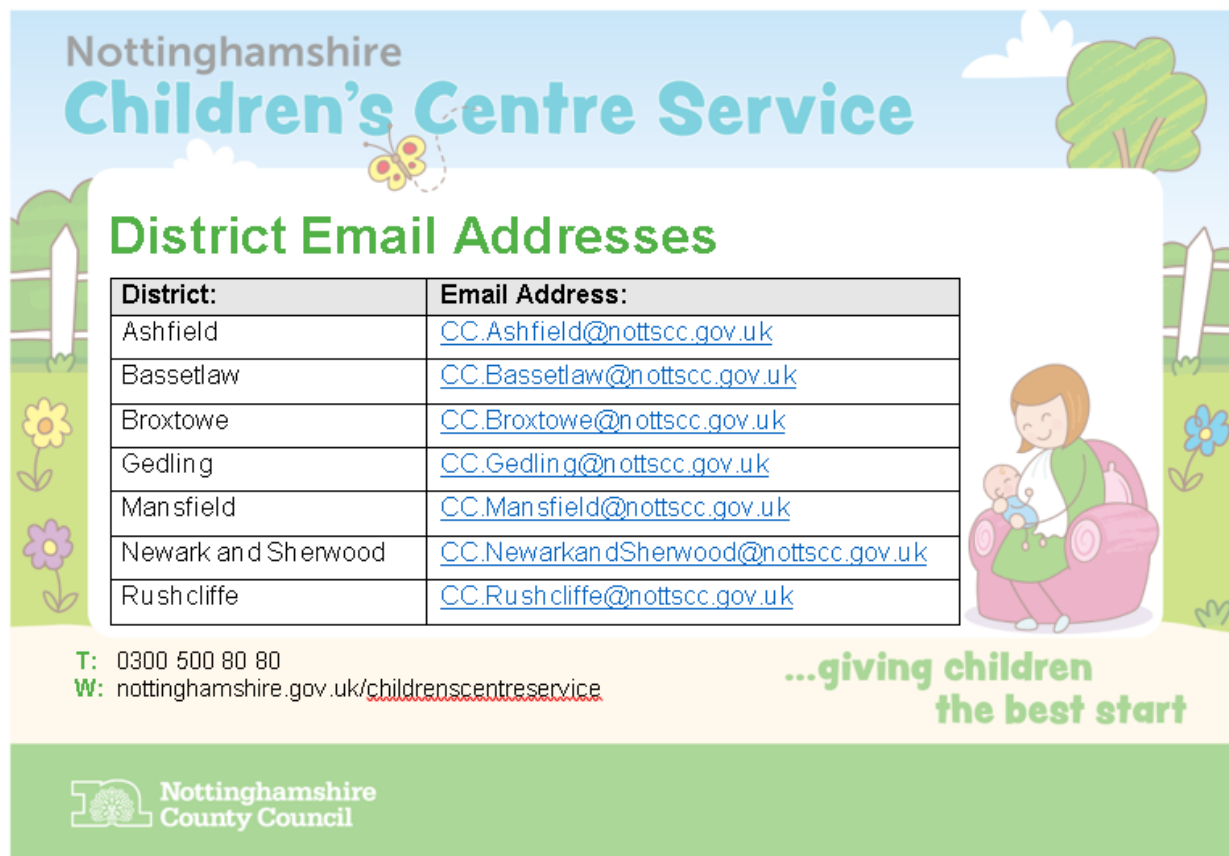
This might be helping out at school, volunteering in a Charity shop, volunteering for another organisation.

<b>Which area(s) would you like to volunteer in?</b>					
Please tick below and please advise in the comments section if you wish to only volunteer in certain parts of a District.					
District	Please tick	Comments	District	Please tick	Comments
Ashfield	<input type="checkbox"/>		Bassetlaw	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Broxtowe	<input type="checkbox"/>		Gedling	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Mansfield	<input type="checkbox"/>		Newark & Sherwood	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rushcliffe	<input type="checkbox"/>				
<b>DBS</b>					
Volunteering roles within the Children's Centre Service are exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974. All volunteers are required to have an Enhanced DBS with barred list check. There will be no cost to you for this					
Do you agree to completing a DBS?					Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Safeguarding</b>					
Safeguarding children and vulnerable adults is a priority for everyone working with children in Nottinghamshire. Volunteers need to understand the importance of child protection and understand their role in preventing, identifying and responding to neglect or abuse. Safeguarding training will be given to all Volunteers before starting.					
Do you agree to completing relevant Safeguarding Training?					Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>References: Please give names and addresses of two referees.</b>					
One from someone you know really well but <u>not</u> a relative, and the other preferably from your previous employer, school, college, or someone who is willing to support your application.					
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Referee</b>					
Name					
Address & postcode					
Phone no					
Email address (optional)					
Nature of relationship (e.g. former employer, teacher, friend etc.)					
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Referee</b>					
Name					
Address & postcode					
Phone no					
Email address (optional)					
Nature of relationship (e.g. former employer, teacher, friend etc.)					
<b>Consent for holding info on Volunteer Portal:</b>					
Your privacy is important to us; we will store your personal data on a database in line with GDPR regulations and may use your data to contact you about your volunteering role. Further details regarding how your information will be used can be found in the 'Volunteering with the Council Privacy Notice' here: <a href="https://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/media/1739600/volunteeringwiththecouncil.pdf">https://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/media/1739600/volunteeringwiththecouncil.pdf</a>					
<b>Signed:</b>			<b>Date:</b>		

Please return this Application Form to your local Children's Centre Service Community Development Worker or email it to the relevant contact email address below.

**For any queries please contact:**

- Children's Centre Main sites Telephone numbers - <https://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/care/early-years-and-childcare/childrens-centre-service/find-your-nearest-childrens-centre-service-team>
- Weblink - <https://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/care/early-years-and-childcare/childrens-centre-service>
- Use the contact details below or drop into your local Children's Centre




The poster features a light blue header with the text 'Nottinghamshire Children's Centre Service' in a large, friendly font. Below this, the title 'District Email Addresses' is written in green. A central table lists eight districts with their corresponding email addresses. To the right of the table is an illustration of a woman sitting in a pink armchair holding a baby. At the bottom left, contact information is provided: 'T: 0300 500 80 80' and 'W: nottinghamshire.gov.uk/childrenscentreservice'. At the bottom right, the slogan '...giving children the best start' is written in green. The footer contains the Nottinghamshire County Council logo and name.

District:	Email Address:
Ashfield	<a href="mailto:CC.Ashfield@nottscc.gov.uk">CC.Ashfield@nottscc.gov.uk</a>
Bassetlaw	<a href="mailto:CC.Bassetlaw@nottscc.gov.uk">CC.Bassetlaw@nottscc.gov.uk</a>
Broxtowe	<a href="mailto:CC.Broxtowe@nottscc.gov.uk">CC.Broxtowe@nottscc.gov.uk</a>
Gedling	<a href="mailto:CC.Gedling@nottscc.gov.uk">CC.Gedling@nottscc.gov.uk</a>
Mansfield	<a href="mailto:CC.Mansfield@nottscc.gov.uk">CC.Mansfield@nottscc.gov.uk</a>
Newark and Sherwood	<a href="mailto:CC.NewarkandSherwood@nottscc.gov.uk">CC.NewarkandSherwood@nottscc.gov.uk</a>
Rushcliffe	<a href="mailto:CC.Rushcliffe@nottscc.gov.uk">CC.Rushcliffe@nottscc.gov.uk</a>

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Thank you for taking an interest in volunteering with the Children's Centre Service, we value your time and commitment to help local children have the best start in life.

*“Volunteers don't get paid, not because they're worthless, but because they're priceless.”*

Sherry Anderson