

Teacher/Trainer Notes

Part 4: The Outcome

Module 20: Volunteering

Duration

Estimated time is 60 minutes, but may vary depending on the group you are working with.

Aims

- To learn about what volunteering is and the benefits
- To understand how to find a volunteering opportunity

Learning intention

- I will learn about what volunteering is and the benefits
- I will understand how to find a volunteering opportunity

Success criteria

- I know what is involved in volunteering
- I understand how to find a volunteering opportunity

Resources

- ICT suite with internet access
- Planit website – www.planitplus.net
- The following resources available on Planit – Module 20: Volunteering

Preparation

- Open the [Job Seeking Skills/Part 4/Module 20](#) section on www.planitplus.net
- Familiarise yourself with the content and activities
- Check that students can open and use the Module 20 documents

Alternative approaches and follow on activities

- If completing as a paper-based activity, print out [Activity 1 worksheet](#) as well as the content before delivering the module
- Students can complete activity 1 in their own time

Reflect and review

- Review what has been learned and reinforce key points about what volunteering involves and how to find opportunities

Career Management Skills

Self	I make positive career decisions I develop and maintain a positive self-image
Strengths	I am aware of my skills, strengths and achievements I build on my strengths and achievements I draw on my experiences and on formal and informal learning opportunities to inform and support my career choices
Horizons	I understand that there is a wide variety of learning and work opportunities that I can explore and are open to me I know how to find and evaluate information and support to help my career development I am creative and enterprising in the way I approach my career development I identify how my life, my work, my community and my society interact
Networks	I develop and maintain a range of relationships that are important for my career journey

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Senior Phase

I can identify my skills and relate them to the world of work

I can confidently access and interpret the information I need to make well informed choices about my learning options, pathways and how these relate to possible future careers

I can describe what volunteering involves and the benefits for myself and society