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Dear Parents/Carers

Volunteers wanted to support young people and families

Children and young people don't always find growing up easy and this can lead to difficult behaviours or conflict within a family which, in the extreme, can lead to Children's Services intervention and, potentially, children coming in to care.

Hampshire County Council wants to do more to support families and avoid situations that lead to Children's Services having to become more involved. This is where you could come in.

We are looking for more people to join our countywide network of volunteers. By getting involved you are telling a child, young people and their families that they are not alone and that they have someone who wants to help them.

We are looking for volunteers to mentor young people and volunteers who can support parents with parenting skills. Volunteers can give as little as an hour or two per week, or more if you have capacity. All volunteers will be given full training and helped to gain experience which could help to obtain new skills, keep active, change careers or enhance an individual's curriculum vitae.

For more information please email your name and contact details to innovation.volunteers@hants.gov.uk.

Or visit www.hants.gov.uk to read more about available volunteering opportunities.