Rotary DEVELOPING FUTURE LEADERS



Equipping young people with the skills to lead.

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We are Rotary

Rotary is one of the world's largest and most successful membership and humanitarian service organisations, with 1.4 million members in 35,000 clubs in over 200 countries.

Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change - across the globe, in our communities and in ourselves.

One of Rotary's leading commitments is to offer young people the platforms and opportunities for them to unlock their potential, develop their skills and broaden their horizons.

The Developing Future Leaders programmes are just one of the amazing life-changing activities that Rotary in Great Britain and Ireland offers to young people.

All of our activities are designed to leave a lasting legacy on the lives of participants. Whether that is giving them a platform to showcase their talents, a sociable environment for them to develop and grow, or simply an appreciation of how they can make a difference to the world around them.



Helping young people develop and grow, while earning an accredited award

Created by Rotarians and friends of Rotary and accredited by The Institute of Leadership, the courses within the programme, for young people aged 14 and above, provide the opportunity to achieve an award equivalent to either a level 1 or Level 2 qualification

Whatever point you are starting from these courses provide opportunities for all, regardless of your academic background.

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Communication and Teamwork Course

This exciting introductory course gives participants the opportunity to work together on a collaborative activity to improve communication and teamwork skills. Each member of the team can build their confidence and develop new skills.

Leadership and Management Course

This more advanced course gives participants the opportunity to work in a team to plan, organise and deliver an event of their choice. Each member of the team has their own management role and is responsible for a section of the project being delivered.









Level 1

Communication & Teamwork Course

About the course

* For young people aged 14+
* Approved by The Institute of Leadership
* Equivalent to a Level 1 award
* Minimum 14 guided learning hours
* Organise a project or event
* Everyone has their own team role

Working together to succeed

This course gives you the chance to organise an event, activity or project of your team's choice, to deliver a benefit to your community.

You will complete a project workbook, which guides you through planning, delivering and reflecting on the success of your project. It is a really useful way to keep track of your progress.

The award will help you achieve your goals for the future and there is an opportunity for you to progress to the Level 2 Leadership & Management Course if you complete this successfully.

The Institute of Leadership is one of the country's leading professional bodies, and their qualifications are well respected.

Examples of recent projects

* Helping older people in care homes
* Coffee mornings and sales for local and national charities
* Car wash schemes
* Plant sales
* Community garden projects
* Projects for early years children to interact and develop their skills









Level 2

Leadership & Management Course

About the course

* For young people aged 14+
* Approved by The Institute of Leadership
* Equivalent to a Level 2 award
* Minimum 14 tutored learning hours
* Select and organise a project or event
* Everyone has their own management role
* Assessed at completion by delivering a presentation demonstrating your achievement

Developing your leadership

This course gives you the opportunity to organise a social impact project or raise money for a charity within your community. These will be the type of projects that you may already be involved with as a member of a youth group or organisation.

Alongside practical delivery of the project, there are accompanying theory sections that focus on key leadership and management techniques. This award will strengthen your CV and enhance your prospects when applying to college, university or for employment.

Examples of recent projects

* A Battle of the Bands concert
* A toy collection to support a new children's home
* Running a cookery course for Special Needs children
* Organising a school and community litter pick
* A holiday sport coaching project for primary school children
* Organising a school prom or disco
* 'Give a Rose' Valentine's project







Do you have what it takes?

* Can you work to a plan and get things in the right order of priority?
* Can you look at yourself and assess the things you are good at and the things you would like to be better at?
* Can you listen to others without being upset if they think differently to you?
* Will you be able to communicate with lots of different people, some you may not know?
* Can you take personal responsibility for your tasks to ensure the whole team succeeds?
* Are you willing to work outside of your comfort zone?

"The programme gave the students a unique opportunity to work in the community, gain recognition for their work and a meaningful award at the end. The students who took part are very grateful to Rotary for this opportunity"

Participating school in Reading

Information for schools and youth groups

Rotary has a trusted reputation of delivering programmes and activities for young people to expand their horizons and develop their skills.

The Developing Future Leaders programme has been successfully run in secondary schools, including with Special Educational Needs groups, Interact clubs, Rotaract clubs and other youth groups.

Benefits to participants

* Provides a structured learning programme on a number of key skill sets including teamwork, leadership, communication, problem-solving and planning
* Each candidate has a defined role within the group, ensuring that they have both an individual and collective responsibility for the successful completion of the project
* The projects stretch the candidate into new areas of experience
* Enhances young people's CVs for apprenticeship, college, university or job applications
* Programmes result in an award equivalent to a Level 1 or Level 2 qualification.

Programme delivery and cost

All elements of the two courses are accredited by The Institute of Leadership.

As the syllabus is approved by the Institute, tutors are required to follow the structure of the handbooks, although they may introduce their own methods of delivering particular subject areas.

The courses are delivered by tutors with experience of teaching, training or youth leadership.

Each course costs £90 per candidate. As well as the programme itself, students will become Study Members of the Institute and gain access to their online learning materials.

The Rotary team will provide training and support for course tutors. Tutors may be school teachers or youth leaders already working with the candidates, or your local Rotary club may be able to help you identify a tutor. Some Rotary clubs are also able to support you with the financial commitment.

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