Contact Time for Kids

Contact us via telephone or email to register your interestin caring for a child.

If you would like more information before continuing pleaselet us know and we will send you an enquiry pack.

Attend an information session

Attend a 30 minute one-to one information session at Time for Kids. We will give you more information about becoming a carer and answer any questions you may have

You will also leave with take home pack which includes other volunteering options if caring for a child is not for you.

If you are unsure about whether you would like to continue we will give you as much time as you need to make an informed decision.

Assessment

If you would like to move ahead with the process you will receive several application forms to complete before your first interview.

First Interview

This takes place at Time for Kids. We will go over any additional paperwork and also complete your Child Safe Environments training. You will also receive an Induction Pack.

Training and Checks

Your final screening checks and training include: Background and criminal screening Health questionnaire Personal references Senior First Aid Training

Home Visit/Interview

The interview will be a conversation about your life, past and present and how this has shaped you as a person. We will also complete a safety check of your home.

A thorough report is put together upon completion of all paperwork, assessment and training. We will let you know if you

Decision

have been approved as a carer, or let you know why if you have not.

If Your Application is Approved:

Matching

Time for Kids will send you the profile of a child or young person we believe will be a good fit for your family.

Ongoing Support and Training

We offer 24/7 support and ongoing training opportunities.

If Your Application is Not Approved:

You have 28 days to contact Time for Kids to request a review.



BECOMING A CARER OR MENTOR