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Our young people have had a difficult start in life. We are recruiting business mentors to come alongside those who need a friendly smile and a positive influence, to help them make changes and achieve their goals.

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KickStart > Mentoring Scheme

Soft Touch Arts works with some of Leicester's most disadvantaged young people through art, music and media activities. We need trusted adults, active in the local business community to develop a professional mentoring relationship for six months with a young person aged 17-25 who wants to overcome challenges in their life. They may be leaving care, or struggle with depression or low self-esteem. You'll need to be empathetic, enthusiastic, positive, and committed.

We will support you every step of the way, from initial training to ensuring a good match and having a dedicated co-ordinator available to advise you. We understand that mentoring is hard work, but it is also incredibly rewarding to see a young person develop thanks to your energy and commitment.

For more information and to download an application form

Visit www.soft-touch.org.uk/mentoring

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