



Young Life Field Staff Position Uralla – 1-2 days a week

A position has become available in Uralla for Young Life Australia, engaging with young people in the community in line with our organisation's ministry model. The worker will work closely with the St John's Anglican Parish in Uralla. The position is for 1 to 2 days a week.

Young Life Australia is a non-denominational Christian charity that mentors and offers stable and caring role models to teenagers, operating in fifteen urban and rural communities around Australia. Our focus is to build confidence, values and resilience in Australia's young people through significant relationships with adults who model the love of Jesus Christ.

Young Life has a dynamic and unique ministry model based on a relational approach to young people both inside and outside the local church. Young Life is seeking a spiritually mature person with a heart for out-reach and discipleship to carry on the already established work with youth in Uralla. The role would be supervised by the Young Life New England Regional Manager, and supported by the local Young Life Uralla Area Committee.

To be successful in the role you will need to be a servant leader of high character, with a desire to build caring relationships with young people and share your faith. You must be confident in working with teenagers and a team of adult leaders, have a strong Christian faith and a mature outlook and agree with the aims and working principles of Young Life.

Depending on the experience of the applicant the role maybe undertaken as a Field Staff or Area Coordinator position. Training in Young Life Australia's Leadership Foundations will be provided.

Applications close on Friday 8th December 2017 at 5pm and interviews will be conducted from 12th-13th December 2017. Only short listed candidates will be contacted. Desired start date is 29th January 2017.

REQUIRED QUALIFICATION & SKILLS

- Committed Christian faith (with reference from your Christian minister / Pastor)
- Empathy and experience in relating well with young people
- Ability to lead others with a servant heart
- Sound organisational and time management skills
- Ability to show initiative & lead in a team environment
- Good work ethic and integrity
- Reference from a church minister, witnessing to personal faith and character
- Willingness to undertake regular Young Life Foundations Training
- Current unrestricted driver's licence

HIGHLY DESIRABLE

- Qualification and/or experience in youth work, theology or ministry (Cert IV or higher)
- Background in youth-related not-for-profit Christian organisation or Church youth Ministry

Apply now!

Email a letter of application addressing the required and desired skills and also attach a resume. You must be over 18, a permanent resident, and must pass a NSW 'working with children' as well as a national Police background check. Email your application to: brendan@younglife.org.au with 'Young Life Uralla' in the subject line.

Character references from two people and at least one reference from a church minister are required. Remuneration package will be discussed at interview.

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