# Benefits of Volunteering with Reach4Reality:

- Valuable experience for your CV, in an unique care service
- Opportunities to try a variety of outdoor activities, or to develop your own experience and skills
- Induction and training
- Satisfaction from knowing and seeing that you have made a difference to someone's life
- But most of all having FUN!

# How to get involved:

- 1. Contact us on 07796905339 or email us at info@reach4reality
- 2. Come and meet us for an informal chat
- 3. Complete a Volunteer Application form
- 4. We will complete a PVG check and seek references
- 5. Start volunteering with us
- We will organise any relevant induction and ongoing training eg Child Protection, Autistic Spectrum Disorders

"I never knew volunteering could be so much fun"

"I have really grown in confidence"



Short breaks fund





# **VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES**



#### Who We Are

- Reach4Reality is a small Christian charity working with young people from the Highlands aged 9 to 25 who have a social communication difficulty such as autism
- Reach4Reality is registered with OSCR as a Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisation, SC043934
- Reach4Reality is registered with the Care Inspectorate as a Support Service
- Reach4Reality is governed by a Board of volunteer Trustees and currently employs a part-time Project Coordinator and 2 part-time Project Workers

# What We Do

- Reach4Reality involves the young people in a planned series of outdoor activity breaks (camps) tailored to their individual needs
- Activities may last from a short activity, a 1/2 day, a day, a 24 hour stop over, a weekend or a week in the summer holidays
- On activities the young people are supported 1:1 by our staff and team of volunteers.

### **Our Success Stories**

- Young people have tried new and challenging activities
- They have grown in confidence and have made new friends
- They have had fun
- Some young people have stayed away from home for the first time ever
- Parents have had a welcome break from their caring role

#### More about our story

A number of our young people have gone on to train as Junior Leaders with us, and are now working alongside our staff and volunteers to benefit others



Trainee Junior Leader supporting a young person

### Current Volunteering Opportunities

We have the following opportunities:

- Supporting small groups of young people on short evening or weekend activities, such as biking, canoeing, climbing—mainly throughout the summer months
- Supporting small groups of young people on day/half day activities during the Easter or summer holidays
- Supporting young people on weekend residential camps at local outdoor activity centres – throughout the year
- Supporting young people on one of our two 5 day camps, 8-12th July 2024 or 21st-25th October 2024
- Becoming a Board member or
- Getting involved in fundraising with us

Whether you are thinking about a career in the outdoors, the care service or just have some spare time to use creatively or to benefit others, then look no further!

#### **Contact Us**

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