

What is it like to be a volunteer role model?

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I am a volunteer role model and I have had the opportunity to attend an event at a local school to support children in CV writing and mock interviews. Having a platform to give back and support students in ways I feel I would've benefitted from at their age is such an incredible opportunity and I aspire to be able to continue to do so. I hope to attend more of these sessions. Thank you so much for this platform.

DUA AHMED

Actuarial Science Student at Queen Mary University of London



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It was good to see the girls interested in a profession that uses maths and the wide range of activities you can get involved with as an Actuary. I thoroughly enjoyed the experience, making an impact on the next generation of school leavers.

FERYAL NADEEM

Chief Risk Officer, Utmost Life & Pensions & Volunteer Role Model



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The variety of experiences is great, from in-person events at a single school to online workshops across multiple schools. My first event was one of the online workshops and I really valued the ability to reach pupils that were spread across the country and from a range of backgrounds, particularly those that are more remote and might not otherwise get that first interaction with the actuarial profession.”

MARK NORQUAY

Actuary, Barnett Waddingham & Volunteer Role Model



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It was fantastic to see so many girls enthusiastic about maths. It was a very rewarding experience and I felt that I had made a real impact on the students' lives at a key point.

JO BUCKLE

Milliman UK Principal & Volunteer Role Model



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What to expect

When a school invites you to participate in an event you will receive an email from F4S with all the details and the option to accept or decline.



New Message



I'm delighted to let you know that a teacher from your local school has invited you to join an Maths4Girls Event, to inspire girls aged 11-14 to take maths beyond GCSE. The details of this encounter are below:

Encounter type: Maths4Girls Event

Encounter title: Maths4Girls

Venue: AN School - London - EN1 1AB

Date: 18 Oct 2023

Time: 9 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Audience: 50 students

Age: Age 13 - 14

For this event, we recommend that you share the journey you took from school through to your amazing role and the importance of maths in shaping your career.

[Learn more about the visit](#)

[Accept encounter](#)

If you cannot join this event or refer to a colleague then please [decline](#) so we can inform the school.

Thank you for your valued support.

ACCEPT

DECLINE

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How to be a role model

Tell your career story, provide insight into your industry and help inspire the next generation, all in a flexible way that suits you.

1 Sign up with Founders4Schools



Visit: www.founders4schools.org.uk/partners/ifo-foundation and register using your email or LinkedIn account. Complete your contact details and activate your account via email.

2 Complete your profile



Fill in your volunteer profile to provide information on the areas you can talk about and your preferences so teachers can invite you with inspiration events that are a perfect fit for you.

- Job role
- Languages you speak
- Your skills
- Event types & frequency
- Company
- Accommodation requests

3 Your dashboard



Once you've registered, you will appear in volunteer searches when teachers are organising events. You will be notified via email when you have been selected to take part in an event by a school and we will provide you with volunteer guidance. You can use your dashboard to:

- Accept & decline invites
- See an overview of your events
- Message educators
- Update your profile with job changes

4 Questions



Visit our helpful volunteer FAQ's to find out what it's like to volunteer: www.founders4schools.org.uk/volunteer/faq/ or email our team on community@founders4schools.org.uk