

PARTICIPANTS

Participants must have an interest and preferably experience in community based youth work and will be required to work with a youth group during the course of the module

APPLICATIONS

Application Forms and Expression of Interest Forms are available from County Meath VEC or www.meathvec.ie

Completed application forms or Expression of Interest Forms to be forwarded to: Elma McMahon

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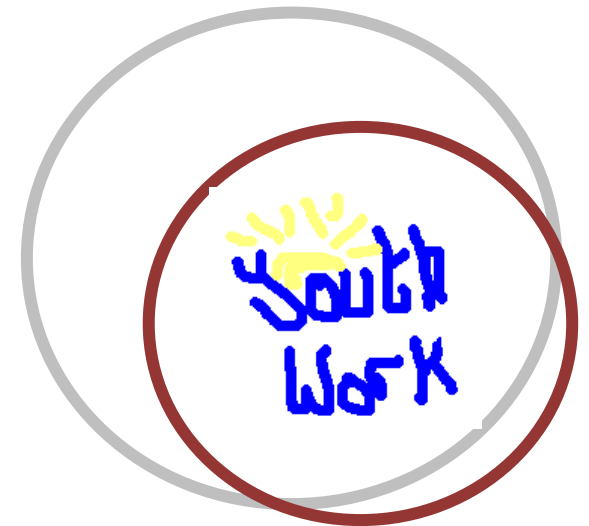
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FETAC

Level 5

Youth Work Certificate



FAQ'S

Who is eligible to complete FETAC Level 5 Youth Work Module?

This is open to any participant who is involved in Youth Work

Do I need my Leaving Certificate?

No but you do need to be involved in youth work and have a commitment to completing the course

How is the course delivered?

The course will be delivered one night a week during the semester along with some weekend workshops and may use such methods as Tutor Based Learning, Self Directed Learning, Assignments, Examinations, Workshops etc.

What awards are available?

The learner can decide to undertake a single module such as 'Understanding Youth Work' or can complete the entire 8 modules to earn the full 'FETAC Certificate in Youth Work'.

Will the course be funded?

Yes the course will be part funded by County Meath VEC using from the Community Education and Youth Work Budget. Participants will pay a small course enrolment fee.

FETAC LEVEL 5 YOUTH WORK

This module is designed to give participants practical skills and knowledge relating to youth work

MODULES

The Level 5 Certificate includes 8 modules credits

5 Mandatory Modules

Young People and Society
Understanding Youth Work
Working with Young People
Communications
Work Experience

And will include 3 of the following

Human Growth & Development
Outdoor Leadership and Safety
Youth Information Skills
Working with Groups
Peer Education
Teamworking
Intercultural Studies
Occupational First Aid

TARGET GROUP

This course is for individuals who are already involved in youth work and would like to pursue a career in youth work or undertake further qualifications in this field.

Meath VEC distribute an annual youth club grant and invite applications from eligible youth groups. We have regular applications for this grant scheme from over 120 youth groups in the county. Working with these 120 youth groups is over 1500 volunteers.

To be a volunteer, it is not necessary to have a youth work qualification but we are designing this module especially for those people who are working passionately with these groups. In this way they will be able to get a qualification while they are doing something that they love.

This FETAC Certificate will afford the opportunity to earn an recognized qualification with which they can apply for further education or career progression within the youth work area.