



Youth Ambassador Role Description

Application deadline: Sunday, 16 January

Location: Online and offline in the UK (depending on COVID-19 situation)

Start date: March, 2022

Compensation: Voluntary role with reasonable expenses paid when taking part in ONE activities

Time commitment: 1-2 hours per week

Age recommendation: most suitable for 18-34 year olds

About this role

ONE has a network of Global Activists – in Africa, Europe and North America – fighting against extreme poverty and preventable diseases. In Europe, the ONE Youth Ambassador programme is a one-year volunteer programme and we're looking for passionate activists to join us for 2022. Next year will be really important in the fight against extreme poverty and preventable diseases. We need you to join us to make sure everyone, everywhere gets vaccines for COVID-19, countries can recover from the pandemic's aftershocks, we continue to battle against climate change and decision makers hear loudly what they must do more to solve the global problems we all face.

Youth Ambassadors are advocates for The ONE Campaign in their communities and beyond. They carry out a variety of creative campaigns and impactful advocacy actions in support of ONE's work. Join us to be one of our 65 UK Youth Ambassadors working with 300 Youth Ambassadors from across Europe and thousands more from around the world.

This voluntary programme will run throughout 2022, and each Ambassador will receive training, access to high-profile events, in-depth policy briefings, as well as dedicated support from ONE's expert staff team. Due to COVID-19, part of the training, briefings and big events will be likely done online. Depending on how the COVID-19 situation develops, we hope to create more opportunities for in-person meetings and events in 2022. This role is a great opportunity for anyone wanting to build their skills and be part of our network of inspiring young activists across the world fighting for change and a better world.

Typical tasks

Youth Ambassadors will have access to a range of campaign and advocacy tools and activities and will receive support to design and develop their own action plans with the ONE team. They will be expected to deliver a range of actions, including but not limited to:

- Online and in-person meetings with decision-makers and other relevant targets



- Attending online and offline events including trainings, conferences and debates
- Using social media to raise awareness and inspire change
- Coordinating and delivering local events & presentations
- Writing letters to newspapers and possibly appearing on the radio or TV
- Encouraging their communities and the broader UK public to take online and in-person campaign actions

What we are looking for

- A passion for our mission to end extreme poverty and preventable disease, with an interest in international issues
- Attendance at a programme induction and training around February/March 2022
- Willingness to attend monthly meetings (online and/or offline) and participate in social media actions
- Great communication and teamwork skills
- Ability to build and maintain relationships
- Ability to encourage and support others to take part in ONE campaigns
- Ability to develop strong organisational skills with the ability to prioritise own workload efficiently
- Verbal and written proficiency in English

The language used in the programme is **English**. Priority in recruitment will be given to those living in the UK for the duration of the programme.

What we offer:

- Being part of a group of 65 UK Youth Ambassadors and a Global Activists network of over 1,000 people (from Nigeria, Mali, Senegal, the United States, Canada, Italy, Belgium, the United Kingdom, the Netherlands, Germany and France)
- A written confirmation of service and certificate on completion of the programme to add to your CV
- Professional training and practical skills development in the UK Parliament, campaigning for change, media, social media and policy
- The opportunity to attend exciting events
- Opportunities to engage with MPs, policy-makers and people in positions of power
- Reimbursement of reasonable expenses when representing ONE and taking part in ONE organised activities



ONE does not discriminate in its selection and volunteer practices. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for this role without regard to race, colour, religion, sex, national origin, political affiliation, sexual orientation, gender identity, marital status, disability, genetic information, age, or other legally protected characteristics.

About the ONE Campaign

ONE is a global movement campaigning to end extreme poverty and preventable disease by 2030, so that everyone, everywhere can lead a life of dignity and opportunity. We believe the fight against poverty isn't about charity, but about justice and equality. Whether lobbying political leaders in world capitals or running cutting-edge grassroots campaigns, ONE pressures governments to do more to fight extreme poverty and preventable disease, particularly in Africa, and empowers citizens to hold their governments to account.

At ONE, we're not asking for your money, [we're asking for your voice.](#)