

Job Title: Workshop Leader

Company: Creative Kitchen

Location: Consett

Contract Type: Flexible

Hours: Part-time, flexible. Opportunities available from one shift per week (3–5 hours) up to approximately 15 hours per week. Ideally looking for someone to deliver our Extra-Curricular Cooking Clubs, shifts take place between 2 till 5pm.

Term-time only or year-round roles available. Hours are negotiable for the right candidate.

Salary: £14.50

Start Date: April to September 2026

About Creative Kitchen:

Creative Kitchen is a cooking school offering interactive, hands-on cooking workshops for people of all ages. We run regular term-time sessions at our cooking school in Consett, as well as outreach in nurseries, schools, and care homes. We also host birthday parties, events, and team-building activities.

Our workshops are educational, engaging, and full of fun, designed to help participants of any age learn new skills, explore creativity, and build confidence. Through creative, hands-on activities, we aim to inspire a lifelong love of food and cooking.

Job Description:

We're looking for a friendly, reliable, and enthusiastic Workshop Leader to deliver our cooking sessions for children, families, and adults. All session plans are provided, so your focus will be on guiding participants, offering support and encouragement, and ensuring sessions run safely, inclusively, and enjoyably. You will deliver sessions both at our cooking school and in outreach settings.

Key Responsibilities

- Lead engaging, hands-on cooking workshops for participants of all ages using prepared session plans.
- Provide guidance, instruction, and support to help participants learn new skills and build confidence.

- Prepare, set up, and oversee cooking activities, maintaining a safe and welcoming environment.
- Adapt your approach to suit different age groups, abilities, and settings.
- Assist with general cleaning, set-up, and tidy-up after each session.
- Support the promotion of Creative Kitchen sessions, engaging with schools, community groups, and other partners.
- Collaborate with other Workshop Leaders and staff to ensure high-quality experiences.
- Represent Creative Kitchen in a professional, approachable manner.

Person Specification

Essential:

- Friendly, approachable, and confident working with participants of all ages.
- Reliable, punctual, and able to lead sessions safely and professionally.
- Positive attitude with enthusiasm for teaching and supporting learning.
- Able to work independently and as part of a team, adapting to different groups and settings.
- Flexible and able to manage busy, hands-on, practical sessions.

Desirable:

- Experience working with children, families, or community groups in a teaching, coaching, or supportive role.
- Interest in food, cooking, or creative, practical activities.
- Knowledge of basic food hygiene and safety (training provided).
- Experience delivering events, birthday parties, or group activities.
- Paediatric First Aid or other relevant safety training.

How to Apply

To apply for this role, please complete our Workshop Leader Application Form and return it to info@creative-kitchen.co.uk