

Digital / Information Assistant

As a Digital / Information Assistant, you will help clients access the information they need and support them to complete activities on a computer that can help solve their problems. Your work will make a real difference by empowering clients to take control of their situation. We require you to volunteer a minimum of 6 hours per week.



What will you do?

- Complete an introduction to Citizens Advice and training for your role
- Help support our Advice line client work queues and web chat
- Provide digital advice via telephone, web chat and email about consumer issues, tax problems, rent arrears, benefits and many other issues (full training and support provided)



What's in it for you?

- Gain and build on valuable skills and experience such as communication, IT skills and working in a team
- Increase your employability
- Contribute to the smooth running of the advice service which makes a real difference to peoples' lives
- Work with a range of different people, independently and in a team.
- Learning about debts, benefits, consumer advice and many other client problems we deal with

And we'll reimburse expenses too.



What do you need to have?

You don't need specific qualifications or skills but you'll need to:

- be friendly and approachable
- be non-judgmental and respect views, values and cultures that are different to your own
- have good IT skills
- be calm under pressure
- be willing to learn about and follow the Citizens Advice aims, principles and policies, including confidentiality and data protection
- be willing to undertake training in your role



How much time do you need to give?

We can be flexible about the time spent and how often you volunteer so come and talk to us. We do require a minimum of 6 hours



Valuing inclusion

Our volunteers come from a range of backgrounds and we particularly welcome applications from racially minority people/people of colour, disabled people, people with physical or mental health conditions, LGBTQ+ and non-binary people.

If you are interested in becoming a customer service volunteer / reception volunteer and would like to discuss flexibility around location, time, 'what you will do' and how we can support you please contact us.

Contact details

Click on this link https://citizensadvicessw.org.uk/volunteer/
Or email training@citizensadvicessw.org.uk for an application pack.

(please state it is the **Digital / Information Assistant** role that you are applying for)