## Glendale Church Leader of Youth Ministry Person Specification

Education & Qualifications	NVQ Level 2 in youth work or equivalent as a minimum. Preferably a degree in youth work, or someone who is looking to obtain this qualification whilst in post.
Character, spiritual journey and beliefs	A follower of Jesus, who desires to know and live by the Word of God, in the power of the Holy Spirit.
Skills, Knowledge & Experience	In agreement with the Glendale Church statement of faith (found on our website).
	Committed to personal growth and discipleship.
	Prepared to engage fully with life at Glendale Church, including Sunday services and as part of a Life Group.
	Willing to work with humility and servant heartedness in submission to the Glendale Leadership Team.
	An understanding of safeguarding and child protection legislation and practice.
	Promotion and development of personal, social and educational programmes and opportunities with and for young people.
	Understanding of confidentiality as it pertains to vulnerable young people.
	Has experience of working in a multi-agency environment.
	Knowledge and understanding of the issues affecting young people's lives and a sensitivity and awareness of how to help young people grow in faith through the work of the Holy Spirit.
	Experience of helping others to grow in their understanding of God and know His will for their lives.
	Experience of working face to face with young people in the maintenance of projects or development of new initiatives in a variety of settings.
	Ability to organise programmed youth activities.

Able to develop effective working relationships with young people and adults in a variety of settings.

Ability to work as part of a team and on own initiative.

Ability to work with people different views and opinions and bring about a shared vision and consensus.

IT skills including Microsoft office packages.

The ability to communicate with a wide range of people including young people, staff and volunteers.

## Personal integrity

High personal integrity and motivation.

Understanding and awareness of confidentiality within a church environment.

Commitment to continuous personal development.

Willingness to work flexibly in order to best suit the needs of the Church.

Respect for the wider community in its diversity of culture, race, belief, socio-econimic background, sexual orientation, gender or age.