

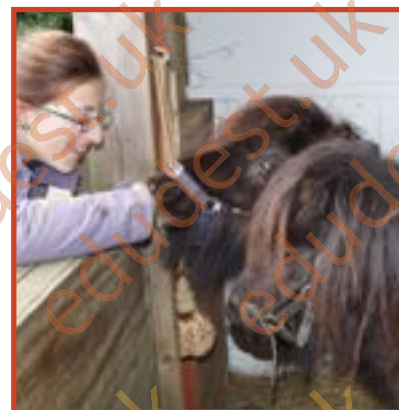


## Read for Meaning!

### What can you discover about the Sanctuary volunteers?

#### STUDENT INTRODUCTION

- ▶ As well as a small permanent staff, the Donkey Sanctuary relies on a number of volunteers to help look after the donkeys and the farm.
- ▶ In this task you will be finding out about the volunteers and what they do to help.
- ▶ Use all the information given, and your own relevant thoughts and knowledge, to support your answers and to complete the tasks.



## Teaching resources by Education Destination Ltd.

Curriculum relevant materials supporting school trips to the Isle of Wight

Book today with Education Destination and get full access to this and hundreds more quality resources

[www.edudest.uk](http://www.edudest.uk)

Now think about the skills and qualities needed for doing these jobs. Here are some words to help you: (Beware, as there are some red herrings!!)

Dedicated  
Well organised  
Friendly  
Confident with people  
Caring  
Polite  
Attentive  
Cooperative  
Considerate  
Careless  
Practical

Determined  
Eager  
Energetic  
Active  
Industrious  
Loyal  
Miserable  
Nervous  
Reliable  
Positive  
Dependable

Creative  
Tolerant  
Trusting  
Trustworthy  
Committed  
Fastidious  
Practical  
Responsible  
Thoughtful  
Imaginative  
Capable

Choose three qualities you think ANY volunteer would need.

Explain why each quality is important by giving an example for each (PEE).

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.



Now complete the table on page 2, thinking about different qualities and skills for different jobs.

	Grooming Team	Meet & Greet Team	Groundsman	Other Jobs
Names (if known)				
Jobs they do	<p>Teaching resources by Education Destination Ltd.  Curriculum relevant materials supporting school trips to the Isle of Wight  Book today with Education Destination and get full access to this and hundreds more quality resources  <a href="http://www.edudest.uk">www.edudest.uk</a></p>			
*Required skills and abilities				

\* You will need to use your own knowledge and experience to help complete this section.



## TASK

104231

Lynda and Leah write about the donkeys. Make a list of the different characteristics of the donkeys that they mention.

- 
- 
- 
- 
- 

Look for the way the following words are used by Leah:

*extremely*

*so*

*just*



# Teaching resources by Education Destination Ltd.

Curriculum relevant materials supporting school trips to the Isle of Wight

Book today with Education Destination and get full access to this and hundreds more quality resources

Explain the effect these adverbs have on what Leah writes.

[www.edudest.uk](http://www.edudest.uk)

## Now, choose one of the following tasks:

You must use the information from the leaflet as well as your own ideas in order to show a full understanding of what is required of a volunteer.

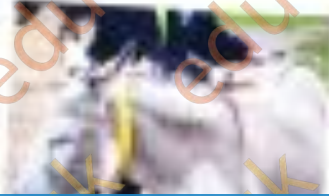
- 1) Write out an interview with questions and answers as if you were interviewing Molly Bailey Sale.
- 2) Write a letter to the Donkey Sanctuary applying for a job as a volunteer,
  - a) as Molly
  - b) as yourself
- 3) Write a description of what is required of a volunteer. Include jobs as well as skills and qualities.  
e.g. *As a volunteer you will be expected to ...*

### Extension Tasks

- » Record a dramatic presentation of your interview.
- » Dramatise / role-play an interview for a job as volunteer with the Isle of Wight Donkey Sanctuary.

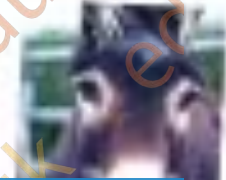


## Our Volunteers



## My Summer Placement

by Molly Bailey Gale



# Teaching resources by Education Destination Ltd.

Curriculum relevant materials supporting school trips to the Isle of Wight

Book today with Education Destination and get full access to this and hundreds more quality resources

[www.edudest.uk](http://www.edudest.uk)



The summer holidays are a great time to visit the island and enjoy the beautiful scenery and the friendly people. The island is a great place to visit for all the family. There are many things to see and do on the island. The island is a great place to visit for all the family. There are many things to see and do on the island.

When you visit the island, you will see many beautiful things. The island is a great place to visit for all the family. There are many things to see and do on the island. The island is a great place to visit for all the family. There are many things to see and do on the island.



## Become a Friend Volunteer

Join our team of volunteers and help us care for the horses. We are looking for people who are passionate about horses and want to make a difference. We offer a great opportunity to learn more about horse care and to help us provide the best care for our horses.





Starter Activity

**RED HERRING**

Find the odd one out

fast	nimble	hurried	hasty	quickly
speed	acceleration	quick	rush	time
of	at	in	by	he
expectation	responsibility	dependable	dedication	reliability
whilst	as	although	if	many
glamorous	pleasure	positive	committed	traumatic

Teaching resources by Education Destination Ltd.

Curriculum relevant materials supporting school trips to the Isle of Wight

Book today with Education Destination and get full access to this and hundreds more quality resources

[www.edudest.uk](http://www.edudest.uk)

