Vacancy Announcement for English Language Trainer – Schooling for Life

Schooling for Life is a growing organisation for youths in Freetown. It offers an intense three pillar education programme consisting of:

- 1. Scholarships for the vocational education of a student's choice.
- 2. Extra-curricular skills training at a Schooling for Life training centre.
- 3. Personal guidance by a professional guidance counselor.

The programme is open to eligible Sierra Leonean youths between the ages of 15 up to 25. Schooling for Life is looking for a trainer who can train the extracurricular training activities. We need an experienced trainer who will work on a freelance basis, experienced in **English Language/ literacy.** The trainer will train the students on a part time basis, mainly in the evening hours and/or Saturday mornings.

The ideal trainer candidate should have the following:

Qualification:

The ideal trainer candidate should have a relevant degree or qualification to support the teaching experience they have, or at least 5 years experience in English Literacy teaching, youth education and/or community literacy programmes.

Essential values:

• Professional, honest, high integrity and moral standards, manager/leader, open to new ideas, an example for others.

Essential skills:

- Experience in working with youths
- Experience in teaching / training English Language/literacy
- Experience in planning and organising training (lesson plans/curriculum)
- Experience in participatory approach in teaching / training
- Good interpersonal skills
- Experience in dealing with groups and guiding groups
- Experience in training design and research
- Experience in the Sierra Leone context
- Experience in analyzing students and advising on progress
- Fluency in English (oral and written) and knowledge of Krio
- Proficient in software programmes including Microsoft Office packages e.g. Word, Excel, and PowerPoint

Preferred skills:

• Knowledge of training programme management

Are you interested? Then please email us the following: a motivation letter and CV to <u>daniel@schoolingforlife.net</u>. If you have any questions, please email the above address or call 030 326363. For more information about Schooling for Life, go to: **www.schoolingforlife.net**.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION IS: Friday 8th September 2017

Schooling for Life, 16 Adelaide Street, Freetown, Sierra Leone.