

WEEKEND VOLUNTEERS

APPLICATION FORM FOR UNDER 18S



Please complete and return to:

Acorn Farm, Depot Road, Kirkby, Merseyside, L33 3AR or e-mail to admin@acornfarm.co.uk

Personal Details

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

(Volunteers must be aged 14 or over)

Please include a recent photograph of yourself for our records

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

E-mail: _____

Relevant Medical Details: _____

Emergency Contact

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Relationship to you: _____

Previous Work Experience

Please give details of any previous work experience or volunteering you have taken part in:

Volunteer Interests

Please tick those areas of volunteering you are interested in:

- Feeding and watering animals, mucking out
- Helping with horse rides
- Helping in the small animal petting area
- Milking the goats
- Any other task not listed (please state) _____

Availability

Please tick the days you would be available to volunteer:

- Saturday 10am-4pm
- Sunday 10am-4pm
- Bank Holidays 10am-4pm

What do you hope to get out of volunteering with us?

Anything Else?

Any other skills or interests you'd like to tell us about:

Please bring a pair of safety boots with steel toe caps and warm, waterproof clothing.

We cannot accept responsibility for volunteers who receive injuries caused by their failure to do so.

I confirm that I am 14 years old or older

Signed:

Date: _____

WELCOME TO ACORN FARM

RULES FOR VOLUNTEERING AT ACORN FARM

Attendance

There are lots of young people who want to volunteer at the farm so we ask that you let us know when you can't come in by calling us on **0151 548 1524**.

If you are absent without letting us know 3 times in a row, we will assume you no longer want to be a volunteer and give your place to someone else.

Rules

When you start volunteering at Acorn Farm you will be given a 2 month trial period.

Our volunteers represent Acorn Farm and should act in a way that upholds our reputation. We will not tolerate rudeness of any kind towards Acorn visitors, staff or other volunteers.

We only have a few rules at Acorn Farm, but we expect you to follow them at all times:

Major Rules:

- **No stealing**
- **No Fighting**
- **No Vandalism**
- **No Cruelty to animals**
- **No Bullying**
- **No Riding the horses without permission**

If you break any of these major rules, your behaviour will be seen as Gross Misconduct and you will be asked to leave the farm straight away and will not be allowed back, as a volunteer or as a visitor.

Minor Rules:

- **No Swearing**
- **No Spitting**
- **No Teasing the animals**
- **No Lying**
- **No Bringing friends or relatives who are not Acorn Farm volunteers**
- **No Refusing to do a job without good reason**
- **No Behaviour likely to cause danger to yourself or others**

If you break any of these minor rules, your behaviour will be seen as Unsatisfactory Conduct and we will start disciplinary proceedings against you.

I have read to above rules and agree to follow them.

Signed: _____ Date: _____