



About the Access Project

The Access Project works with high-potential students from disadvantaged backgrounds, providing in-school support and personalised tuition to help them gain access to selective universities.

We work in partnership with schools in London and the West Midlands and have a proven track record of raising student attainment and widening the access to quality education. We offer GCSE and A-level students tutorials in the following subjects:

- **GCSE:** Maths, English, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Geography, History, French, Spanish.
- **A Level:** Maths, English, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Geography, History, French, Spanish, Psychology, Sociology, Politics.

Why the Access Project exists

Education in England is not fair. 15% of children in England receive free school meals, yet only 2% of students at the top 25 universities received free school meals when they were at school. This means you are over 6 times less likely to attend one of the UK's most selective universities if you are poor.

How You Can Help

- Use your subject knowledge to work one-to-one with a student to help them achieve the grades they need to access a selective university.
- Spend just 1 hour per week during term time tutoring a student at your place of work or study, or at a suitable public location.
- Tutor in your degree subject to an A-level student or alternatively, in a subject you studied to A Level yourself to a GCSE student.
- 95% of tutors agree that volunteering with The Access Project gives a sense of accomplishment.

Training and Support

- The Access Project will give full training on how to plan and structure your tutorials and how to be an objective-focused and engaging tutor along with safeguarding training.
- Access to online resources with workable examples linked to the current curriculum.
- Ongoing support from our Programme Coordinators.
- Access to a community of over 850 active volunteer tutors in London and West Midlands.

Time Commitment, Requirements and Locations

- One hour per week during term time for a minimum of 1 academic year – at your place of work – **London or the Midlands**
- An undergraduate degree.
- The belief every child deserves a great education regardless of their background.

What the Next Steps Are

- Register your interest for the academic year 2017/18 via the link [HERE](#).
- Select 'Now Teach' on the registration form when asked how you heard about us.
- Attend a 3.5-hour tutor training session in order to tutor before Jan 2018
- Email questions to volunteering@theaccessproject.org.uk



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