

## Volunteer role description

## Social media volunteer

| Main purpose   | The British Schools Museum welcomes visitors from across the country, who experience and learn about the emergence of free elementary education from 1810, including what is the world's last remaining purpose-built 'Monitorial' schoolroom.  As a social media volunteer, you will be helping us to engage with our digitally-connected audiences via Facebook and Instagram. |
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| The volunteer will perform a range of tasks according to their interests | <ul> <li>Assisting us to reach out to people using all platforms</li> <li>Helping the curator to schedule posts within specific campaign</li> <li>Able to get to the museum for events, hopefully on some weekends</li> </ul>  |
| Supervisor   | Bee Smyth, Curator   |
| Location   | British Schools Museum, 41 Queen Street, Hitchin SG4 9TS   |
| Hours  | This role best suits someone who can provide about a day a week. The museum is open to the public Feb-Nov, with collections work being completed all year round (Mon-Fri).   |
| The role would suit someone who  | <ul> <li>is interested in the work of museums and how social media can be developed at the museum</li> <li>would like to find out more about museums</li> <li>is interested in helping an independent charity in Hitchin</li> </ul>  |
| In return we shall offer you   | <ul> <li>opportunities for personal and professional growth and development in a community-focussed museum</li> <li>a supportive, friendly environment</li> <li>induction to the Museum</li> <li>full training opportunities to perform the role</li> <li>invitation to volunteering events</li> </ul>   |
| Further info   | E: volunteers@britishschoolsmuseum.org.uk W: <a href="https://britishschoolsmuseum.org.uk">https://britishschoolsmuseum.org.uk</a> @B_S_Museum BritishSchoolsMuseum  [6] /britishschoolsmuseum   |
| No experience required – just bring your enthusiasm!                     |  |





