



OurKidsCode is seeking to recruit experienced, independent facilitators to support our growing community of family creative coding clubs across Ireland, in partnership with local County Councils.

The OurKidsCode project is focused on developing positive attitudes to creative coding in primary school families. We do this initially by offering fun workshops where parents work with their children to complete a project with both coding and crafting elements. Families who choose to do more are offered a series of workshops designed to prepare them to start their own OurKidsCode Club, run by themselves without further in-person support. This process is championed by our facilitators who have experience of working with groups, with the eventual attitude to 'let go' and encourage the families to self-organise and sustain the activity.

Successful candidates will work closely with both the project team in Trinity College Dublin and our partners in the local County Council to facilitate safe, inclusive and fun workshops with families in rural community centres.

Suitable candidate will be:

1. Excited about crafting and coding
2. Passionate about parents and children learning together
3. Happy being adaptable and finding creative solutions in a fast-paced environment
4. Comfortable with noisy, busy, informal, family-centred environments
5. Confident to support mixed age and ability groups to complete a project on time
6. Able to create a relaxed, fun atmosphere that fosters creativity and exploration
7. Competent to prepare, organise and evaluate workshops
8. Community minded, wishing to support families to start an OurKidsCode club

Essential requirements for this role:

Train the Trainer Certification

Willing to undergo Garda vetting

Need to have some availability for afterschool hours/evenings and weekends

Willing to travel to community centres in rural locations

Training is provided. This will entail one day in-person and two online sessions.

Next in-person training date: Saturday 13th April 2024. Location tbc.

Please send your CV and cover letter highlighting your experience working with families and/or technology to contact@ourkidscode.ie by **Friday March 22nd 2024**. Please include TTT certification.