



Horizons

Cope Foundation in Cork Communities

Would you like to share your barista skills while supporting people with an intellectual disability?

Roots Coffee Shop Support Worker

Roots UCC recently celebrated its 5th year! It is a training café in The Hub UCC run by people supported by Horizons.

It is providing valuable training for people with an intellectual disability in Barista skills, customers service skills, communication and cash handling/payment skills. It is a dynamic and busy café and a supportive environment for people to learn in.

Following on from the success of Roots Coffee Shop in our Garden Centre in Montenotte, we opened this branch on UCC's main campus three years ago and it has been a great success. Volunteers are needed to help support these adults in their café roles. Helping to make coffees, operate the till, cleaning duties and providing excellent customer service.

Barista experience is essential for this role. We would like someone who has a lot of experience working in a busy coffee shop, good communication skills, patience and a genuine interest in working with people with intellectual disabilities.

The Roots Coffee Shop will be open from 10:00am – 3:30pm Monday – Thursday and until 3:00pm on Fridays and we would welcome help during those hours. We are asking for a minimum of 4 hours per week and a 3-month commitment. Volunteers will gain experience working with adults with intellectual disabilities in a training/supported employment environment.



The time involved is 4 hours per week minimum/3 month commitment



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