

HELMSLEY WALLED GARDEN

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Who is a Master Composter?

Working as part of our team, our composting volunteers help us turn green waste from our garden into great compost. We use this compost to enrich the soil and help us care for our environment.

What's in it for you?

- Being part of a friendly and dedicated team
- Meeting people from all walks of life and making new friends
- Getting your hands dirty and enjoying the great outdoors
- Enjoying new experiences and learning something new every day



What's involved?

- Sorting, preparing and composting green waste
- Ensuring that the quality of our compost and leaf mould is of super quality
- Being a friendly face in the Garden and a point of contact for any composting queries from staff, volunteers and visitors
- Becoming familiar with and following Helmsley Walled Garden health and safety policies at all times
- Being willing to help with other tasks or activities in the garden if needed



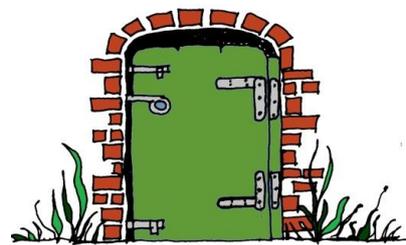
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This role will suit people who...

- who already make their own compost at home, or want to learn how
- who enjoy the outdoors, gardening and working as part of a team
- love sharing information and helping others and reducing waste.

This role is repetitive, dirty and physically demanding so you will need to be reasonably fit and willing to work out of doors in all weather conditions.

Extra information

Time commitment Working days start from 9.00am – 3pm

Volunteer Manager Lisa Rennison
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What you need to wear/ bring Work clothes, sturdy boots or wellingtons and gloves.
Depending on the weather you may also need a sun hat, waterproofs and warm clothes.
Most volunteers bring a packed lunch and we have kitchen facilities on site that you are welcome to use.

About Helmsley Walled Garden

Dating back to 1759, Helmsley Walled Garden nestles at the bottom of the North York Moors between the Grade One listed landscape of Duncombe Park and the scheduled ancient monument that is Helmsley Castle. The garden was a major employer during most of its history, but following the First World War, it was leased as a commercial enterprise and was run as such until 1984.

In 1984, it was abandoned and fell into dereliction. Restoration began in 1994 to bring the garden back to its original beauty and productivity. Local woman Alison Ticehurst wanted to create a beautiful garden for visitors to enjoy. She also wanted to provide somewhere for people with difficulties and disabilities to come and be supported and developed by taking part in gardening. So with a band of friends and supporters she began the task of bring the Garden back to life.

Today Helmsley Walled Garden works to conserve and restore the fabric of this historically important walled garden and make it both a beautiful garden to visit as well as a space for calm. Gardens and gardening have a wide range of therapeutic benefits and so we have two



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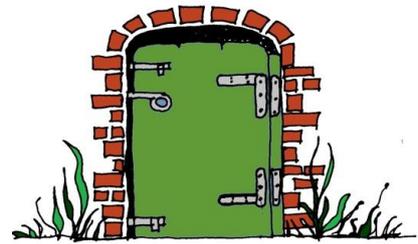
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horticultural therapists working with adults with a range of disabilities and mental ill health issues.

We do this with the help of volunteers who bring a range of skills and abilities as well as their time to help us. We hope you will be inspired to join us.

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