



# Volunteering opportunities related to School of Chemistry

Below are specific opportunities linked to the School of Chemistry and related areas. You may also want to think about specific skills you want to develop as these experiences can come from volunteering which may not be directly related to your study area but still create the opportunity to develop these skills.

The following organisations are registered with the Volunteering and Community Engagement Team and are actively looking to recruit students as volunteers. If you are interested in volunteering or finding out more please look at the organisation's website or contact the organisation direct with the details given.

## Flashbang Science [www.flashbangscience.co.uk](http://www.flashbangscience.co.uk)

Flashbang Science run a Mobile Science laboratory for "hands on" science at schools, scouts etc. It is predominantly focussed on chemistry, physics and chemical engineering principles and therefore would be of particular interest to students in these or related Schools.

**Volunteering opportunities include:**

Flashbang Science demonstrations  
Managing workshops with children

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## The Museum of Science and Industry [www.mosi.org.uk](http://www.mosi.org.uk)

The Museum of Science and Industry's amazing galleries and outstanding collections tell the story of Manchester's scientific and industrial past, present and future.

**Volunteering opportunities include:**

Visitor Experience  
Archives  
Event helpers

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## STEMNET [www.stemnet.org.uk](http://www.stemnet.org.uk)

STEMNET creates opportunities to inspire young people in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM). This enables young people to develop their creativity, problem-solving and employability skills, widens their choices and supports the UK's future competitiveness. STEMNET helps encourage young people to be well informed about STEM, able to engage fully in debate, and make decisions about STEM related issues.

**Volunteering opportunities include:**

STEM Ambassadors Programme

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# The University of Manchester

The University of Manchester, through the School of Chemistry, undertakes significant outreach with local schools to introduce young people to chemistry. These include: Primary School 1 hour lecture-demonstrations, Primary School hands-on activities and Secondary School hands-on workshops.

**Volunteering opportunities include:**  
involvement in delivering workshop and demonstrations

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