

Are you passionate about play and about supporting children and their rights? Do you want to make a difference to children and their families within your community?

Working within breakfast clubs, after school clubs and holiday clubs, Playworkers provide a safe and welcoming environment for children with lots of opportunities to play, explore and inspire imaginations. Here are 10 things you can do to kickstart your career in Playwork.

1. Watch our video [here](#) which provides a glimpse into Playwork as a career.
2. Find out a bit more about the Playworker job role [here](#) through WeCare Wales.
3. Read our template [Playworker Job Description and Person Specification](#) (from our 'Stepping Out' resource) to find out more about the typical requirements and duties of the role
4. Hear from Playworkers themselves - read our Playworker case study [here](#) to find out why Rebecca McGowan is so passionate about her job; and [watch this video of a poem](#) written by one of our former playwork qualification achievers, Rachel Williams, following the impact of Covid-19 back in Spring 2021.
5. The Playwork Principles are the professional and ethical framework for playwork. They describe how playwork is unique and should be central to the ethos and practice of all Out of School Childcare Clubs. Read more about the Playwork Principles [here](#).
6. Find out what qualification would be most relevant for you via the flowchart [here](#).
7. Clybiau Plant Cymru Kids' Clubs provide quality training opportunities facilitated by experienced, passionate Training Officers to help you to achieve a qualification in Playwork. Express your interest in completing a qualification in Playwork [here](#).
8. Find out about what clubs are local to you that might be able to offer work/volunteering opportunities [here](#)
9. Visit the vacancies section of our website [here](#), or look for vacancies via [WeCare Wales](#)
10. If you feel there is demand for new Out of School provision within your area, we have lots of support and resources available to guide you through the journey of setting up a club. Find out about our membership [here](#). Members are able to access our Stepping Out resource, which contains over 150 policy and procedure templates, as well as chapters to guide you through market research, deciding on a legal structure, finances and more.

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A ydych chi'n llawn angerdd ynhyloch chwarae a chefnogi plant a'u hawliau? A ydych am wneud gwahaniaeth i blant a'u teuluoedd yn eich cymuned?

Wrth weithio gyda chlybiau brecwast, clybiau ôl-ysgol a chlybiau gwyliau, mae Gweithwyr Chwarae'n darparu amgylchedd diogel a chroesawgar i blant, ynghyd â chyfleoedd di-ri i chwarae, archwilio a thanio dychymyg. Dyma 10 peth y gallwch eu gwneud i roi cychwyn ar eich gyrfa mewn gwaith Chwarae.

1. Gwylwch ein fideo sy'n rhoi cip ar Waith Chwarae fel gyrfa [yma](#).
2. Mynnwch wybod ychydig mwy am rôl waith y Gweithiwr Chwarae [yma](#) drwy Gofalwn Cymru.
3. Darllenwch ein templed [Disgrifiad Swydd a Manyleb Person y Gweithiwr Chwarae](#) (o'n hadnodd 'Camu Allan') i wybod mwy am y gofynion arferol a dyletswyddau'r rôl.
4. Clywed gan y Gweithwyr Chwarae eu hunain – darllenwch ein hastudiaeth achos o Weithiwr Chwarae [yma](#) i wybod pam fod Rebecca McGowan â chymaint o angerdd dros ei swydd; a [gwylwch y fideo yma o gerdd](#) a ysgrifennwyd gan Rachel Williams – un o'n dysgwyr blaenorol a enillodd gymhwyster mewn Gwaith Chwarae – yn dilyn effaith Covid-19 yn ôl yng Ngwanwyn 2021.
5. Yr Egwyddorion Gwaith Chwarae yw fframwaith proffesiynol a moesegol Gwaith Chwarae. Maent yn disgrifio sut y mae gwaith chwarae'n unigryw a sut y dylai fod yn ganolog i ethos ac arferion pob Clwb Gofal Plant All-ysgol. Darllenwch fwy am yr Egwyddorion Gwaith Chwarae [yma](#).
6. Mynnwch wybod pa gymhwyster a fyddai fwyaf perthnasol i chi drwy gyfrwng y siart llif [yma](#).
7. Mae Clybiau Plant Cymru Kids' Clubs yn darparu cyfleoedd hyfforddi o ansawdd, wedi eu hwyluso gan Swyddogion Hyfforddi brwdfrydig, i'ch helpu i ennill cymhwyster mewn Gwaith Chwarae. Mynegwch eich diddordeb mewn cwblhau cymhwyster mewn Gwaith Chwarae [yma](#).
8. Mynnwch wybod [yma](#) pa glybiau, yn eich ardal chi, a allai gynnig cyfleoedd gwaith/gwirfoddoli.
9. Ewch i adran swyddi gwag ein gwefan [yma](#) neu edrychwch am swyddi gwag drwy [Gofalwn Cymru](#)
10. Os ydych chi'n teimlo bod galw am ddarpariaethau newydd All-ysgol yn eich ardal chi, mae gennym lawer o gefnogaeth ac adnoddau ar gael i'ch arwain drwy'r daith o sefydlu clwb. Mynnwch wybodaeth am ymaelodi â ni [yma](#). Mae modd i aelodau gael mynediad at ein hadnodd Camu Allan, sy'n cynnwys dros 150 o dempledi polisïau a gweithdrefnau, yn ogystal â phenodau i'ch arwain trwy ymchwil i'r farchnad, penderfynu ar strwythur cyfreithiol, cyllid a mwy.

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