

Role	Young Interpreter
Suitable for Years	KS4 EAL students
Job description	Young Interpreters help new arrivals access English and feel part of the school, they explain and 'interpret' a whole range of school activities, systems and procedures to new entrants and their parents.
Leadership skills focus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Problem solving -You will need to be able to work out the best way/method of helping new arrivals overcome their barriers –to settle into new school life in the UK. • Approachable and supportive –the EAL students need to feel safe and secure in asking you for help to complete their tasks. • Effective communication – listening and speaking You will need to be able to listen carefully to assess each student need and be able to guide and explain clearly how or what they need to do without doing it for them.
Key responsibilities	<p>As A Young Interpreter you will be expected to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Show non-English speaking visitors around the school • Buddy up with new arrivals during their first few weeks to demonstrate school routines, etc • Buddy with new arrivals during breaks and lunchtimes and introduce them to other pupils or assist them to communicate • Support new arrivals to become familiar with clubs/lunchtime activities • Help a new arrival to communicate what they have written or what they want to say • Welcome parents at Parents' evenings and other events.
Staff member to contact for further information	Mrs B Salters