

Volunteer Gardener

Location: Phoenix, Leicester

Time commitment: Flexible – around **3-4 hours a week**

Phoenix is Leicester's independent cinema, art gallery, café bar and creative space. We show everything from indie films to Hollywood blockbusters, host festivals and events, exhibit work by local and international artists, and run creative programmes for people of all ages. As a charity, everything we earn goes straight back into supporting arts, film and creativity in Leicester.

One of the hidden gems of Phoenix is our **roof terrace** — an outdoor seating area above the café bar filled with container plants and greenery. We're looking for **volunteer gardeners** to help us keep this space thriving.

What you'll be doing

You'll help care for the plants and keep the terrace looking beautiful for visitors. Tasks may include:

- Watering, planting and weeding
- Helping care for the container garden
- Keeping the terrace tidy and free of debris
- Looking after gardening tools and equipment
- Following simple health and safety guidelines

You'll be part of a **small friendly team of volunteer gardeners**, helping maintain one of Phoenix's most relaxing spaces. Dependent on how much interest we receive, this could be one or two teams, meeting weekly or fortnightly on a Monday, Thursday or Friday morning.

Who this role might suit

You might enjoy this role if you:

- Like gardening or being outdoors
- Have basic plant knowledge (or are keen to learn)
- Are happy doing light physical tasks like lifting, watering and tidying
- Can work independently but also enjoy being part of a team
- Are reliable and able to commit to a regular weekly slot

Bonus points if you:

- Have gardening or landscaping experience
- Are interested in film, art or Phoenix's cultural programme
- Like the idea of helping a local charity

What you'll get out of it

- **Free lunch from the Phoenix café** on your volunteering day
- A chance to **help shape a much-loved community space**
- Fresh air and gentle exercise
- Meet friendly people and be part of the Phoenix community



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If you require further information or would like to ask any questions regarding the post, please contact Rob Forbes – rob.forbes@phoenix.org.uk

Please send expressions of interest summarising any relevant experience and skills and your general availability (300 words or less) to jobs@phoenix.org.uk or

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We will be accepting expressions of interest until we have filled the available positions.