Volunteering Opportunities SPRING TERM 2027

OFFICE VOLUNTEERING	Our office team is seeking support with preparations for our annual **Problem Solving Challenge**, an event that inspires and engages young people through hands-on STEM activities. We are looking for volunteers to join us at our **Guildford office** to work alongside the SATRO team, helping to pack event resources and assist with associated administrative tasks. Your support will play a valuable role in ensuring the event runs smoothly!

Date	Between 10am- 4pm	Location	Number of volunteers needed
6th January	3-5 hours	Surrey Technology Centre Guildford GU2 7YG	1
20th January	3-5 hours	Surrey Technology Centre Guildford GU2 7YG	1
2nd March	3-5 hours	Surrey Technology Centre Guildford GU2 7YG	1

CSI GOLDILOCKS	We welcome volunteers with experience of Policing, Forensics, Science (e.g. Biology) or an interest in wildlife. This workshop is for Primary Schools (Year 1 and Year 2 , 5-7 year olds) and each class group is 75 to 100 minutes long. The number of sessions depends on how many classes there are per year group.

Date	Times	School	Number of volunteers needed
20th April	10:00 – 13:00	Chinthurst School, Tadworth	2

PLANET UTOPIA	We welcome volunteers from a range of backgrounds including law, construction and engineering to support students throughout the day as they design and develop their community. These days can be a corporate volunteer day and supported by a team. Secondary school students		
Date	**Times**	**School**	**Number of volunteers needed**
19th May	08:15-15:00	Woolmer Hill, Haslemere	4

BUSINESS & ENTERPRISE CHALLENGE	We welcome volunteers from all business backgrounds to take up various roles, including negotiators, suppliers and business advisers to support students throughout the day as they run their business. Secondary school students		
Date	**Times**	**School**	**Number of volunteers needed**
17th March	08:30 - 15:00	Hoe Bridge School, Woking	3
14th April	08:30 – 15:00	George Abbot School, Guildford	6
28th April	08:30-15:00	Woolmer Hill, Haslemere	6

STADIUM CHALLENGE	We welcome volunteers from a range of backgrounds including construction and engineering to support students throughout the day as they design and develop a scale model of a sports arena.		
Date	**Times**	**School**	**Number of volunteers needed**
26th January	09:15-15:00	Woolmer Hill, Haslemere	3

PROBLEM SOLVING & SKILLS BASED WORKSHOPS	Small groups of students in year 7 or 8 (11-13 year olds) are challenged to complete a practical, unseen-problem based around the Skills Builder skills of Teamwork, Creativity, Problem Solving and Communication. Volunteers are required to judge the completed task and support the teams (within the guidelines given).		
Date	**Times**	**School**	**Number of volunteers needed**
13th January	08:30 – 10:15	King's College Guildford	1
27th January	08:30 – 10:15	King's College, Guildford	1

SENIOR PROBLEM SOLVING CHALLENGE	Teams of six key stage 3, 4 & 5 students are challenged to complete a practical, unseen-problem based around the Skills Builder skills of Teamwork, Creativity, Problem Solving and Communication. Volunteers are required to judge the completed task and support the teams (within the guidelines given). An online briefing will be given ahead of the first heat. There are five heats plus the final; we are looking for five judges per heat. Secondary School students.

Date	Times	School	Number of volunteers needed
11th February	15:15-18:45	St Bede's, Redhill	4
23rd February	15:15-18:45	St John the Baptist, Woking	5
4th March	15:15-18:45	George Abbot, Guildford	1
9th March	15:15-18:45	Tomlinscote School, Camberley	2
11th March	15:15-18:45	St Philomena's, Carshalton	6

If you are interested in volunteering for any of the above events, or would like to know more about volunteering with SATRO please get in touch with Jessica Richardson at jessica.richardson@satro.org.uk

THANK YOU