



B Sharp Busking Festival Young Festival Assistant

Event: B Sharp Busking Festival

Location: Lyme Regis Seafront & local venues

Date: 27 June 2026

Role: Paid Festival Assistant (Young Crew Programme)

Age Range: 16–25

Commitment: 1 festival day (8 hours) + 4 hours pre-festival training

Training Date: Prior to event (date TBC)

About the Opportunity

We are recruiting a team of Young Festival Assistants to support the B Sharp Busking Festival, a one-day live music and street performance event taking place on Lyme Regis seafront and nearby venues.

This is a paid, hands-on opportunity for young people to gain real experience in festival operations and event delivery within a supportive and friendly environment. You will work as part of a wider festival team helping to ensure the smooth running of the event for performers, audiences, and workshop participants.

You will be based across multiple festival sites, supporting both outdoor seafront activity and indoor venue spaces.

Key Responsibilities

- Support the festival information desk, welcoming audiences and providing guidance
- Assist with bucket collecting and fundraising activity during performances
- Support performers with practical needs (e.g. staging, timing, directions, basic assistance)
- Help workshop participants get to and from activities and ensure smooth running
- Assist members of the public with information, accessibility, and general queries

- Carry out simple evaluation tasks such as feedback collection from audiences and participants
- Carry out other ad hoc duties as required to support the smooth running of the festival

What we're looking for

- Aged 16–25
- Friendly, approachable, and confident working with the public
- Interest in live music, youth arts, or community events
- Ability to work as part of a team in a busy outdoor festival environment
- Reliable, proactive, and willing to help where needed
- No previous festival experience required – enthusiasm is most important

Training Provided

All selected participants will receive a pre-event training session covering:

- Festival operations and your role on the day
- Working at an information desk and supporting audiences
- Safely assisting performers and workshop participants
- Bucket collecting guidance and best practice
- Health & safety and safeguarding
- Teamworking and communication on site

What You'll Gain

- Paid experience working in a live festival environment
- Insight into how festivals and live events are run
- Experience working with artists, audiences, and production teams
- Training and mentoring from experienced festival staff
- A positive reference and experience for your CV
- A chance to be part of a youth-led creative event

Availability

You must be available for:

- Paid training & Prep work (6 hours – date TBC before festival)
- Festival day: Saturday 27 June 2026 (6 hours minimum)

How to Apply

Applications via our short application form: <https://forms.gle/5wEQwCDA4sE7Q9AZ8>

or drop an email to busking@bsharp.org.uk with

- A short introduction about yourself
- Any relevant experience, volunteering, or interests (no experience required)
- Why you would like to be part of the B Sharp Busking Festival team