




Uni Boob Team Leader: Volunteer Role Description

 Volunteer role	Uni Boob Team Leader (“President”)
 Who you’ll be supported by	CoppaFeel! Volunteering Team
 Where you’ll be based	Your campus

Why we want you

We’re the UK’s only youth-focused breast cancer awareness charity, and we’re on a mission to get every 18-24 year old checking their chest. We do this because when diagnosed early, breast cancer treatments are more effective and survival rates are higher. **Early detection saves lives.**

Our student volunteers are critical to our mission and help us spread our lifesaving message across the UK. **Join us and help end the late detection of breast cancer.**

What you’ll be doing

The short one

You’ll be leading a team of like-minded students to spread awareness of breast cancer on campus, making sure everyone understands the importance of checking their chest.

The longer one

- Build and lead a team of enthusiastic students (your “Uni Boob Team”)
- Act as an ambassador for CoppaFeel! on campus, sharing our lifesaving message in a light-hearted and inclusive way
- Plan and run events, campaigns, and activities to get students engaged
- Sign up students and young people to our free monthly text reminders
- Promote and share our awareness materials
- Seek out opportunities to engage students at your university, collaborating with other societies, sports teams, and university groups
- Stay in regular contact with us at CoppaFeel! HQ to discuss opportunities, report back on your activity and give feedback
- Work with your Students’ Union to establish the Uni Boob Team as a society (if it isn’t one already)
- Recruit a successor to keep the Uni Boob Team going strong after you graduate

The skills you'll have

- Be a current student at a UK university
- Creative and innovative (or you're able to recruit a team that are!)
- Willing to learn and develop
- Confident in recruiting and motivating team members
- Prepared to get to know your university inside out
- Willing to learn our health messaging so you can be confident talking all things chest checking
- Committed to volunteering your time throughout the year—around 3-5 hours per week, with less activity during Term 3.
- Passionate about our mission—helping end late diagnosis of breast cancer

How we're flexible

Volunteering should be flexible and fit around **your** life—we know you've got studies, friends, and everything in between to juggle! We're here to make sure your experience is **positive, manageable, and rewarding**.

Here's some of the ways we keep things flexible:

- **Expenses**
 - We'll cover all reasonable travel expenses related to your volunteering
 - We'll pay for an overnight stay to enable you to attend training if your travel is more than 3 hours or due to access needs
- **Study-friendly commitment** – We recommend 3-5 hours per week, but we know workloads change. Less activity is expected in Term 3 so you can focus on exams.
- **Adjustments where needed** – If something isn't working for you, we'll chat and find a way to make it work! You'll have a key staff contact at CoppaFeel! HQ who will be on hand throughout the year to support and advise you.

What you'll get out of it

- Real leadership experience—perfect for your CV and job applications
- Transferable skills that employers look for: organisation, event planning, and teamwork
- Access to a network of like-minded students across the UK
- Tailored training, merch, and equipment
- We'll pay back all reasonable travel costs you have while volunteering
- Rewards and recognition from CoppaFeel! HQ for your time and energy
- Opportunities for CV-boosting—think social media takeovers, shadowing our team, and more
- The opportunity to wear your own giant boob costume to grab people's attention (trust us, it works BIG time)

- You'll be making a real impact on the habits of young people and potentially saving lives in the process

What can I expect?

We typically recruit one Uni Boob Team Leader per university, though some SUs allow co-presidents—we're happy to chat if that's the case!

Selection is based on:

- ✓ A completed application form
- ✓ A friendly, informal Zoom chat with our Volunteering Team
- ✓ A good understanding of the role and our mission

The journey to becoming a Team Leader

- **April – August:** Apply via our website.
- **May – August:** Join a 1:1 Zoom chat with your CoppaFeel! staff contact (we don't bite, promise!).
- **May – August:** Complete a short volunteer registration form so we can send you your kit! We'll also ask for two references. These can be a professor, community leader, employer, or friend.
- **May – August:** Complete 1 hour of online training on our health messaging, safeguarding, and other key information on volunteering with us.
- **August – September:** Join our Uni Boob Team Leader Training Day—in-person at CoppaFeel! HQ or online (your choice!). Meet fellow Team Leaders and get prepped for an amazing year ahead.

