



## LEICESTIVAL

**A PROJECT FOR YOUNG PEOPLE WHO WANT TO SHAPE AND EXPLORE LEICESTER'S INCREDIBLE FESTIVALS AND EVENTS**

**Leicestival** is a project for young people aged 13-25 who want to get involved with some of Leicester's amazing festivals and events, develop new skills, and learn about the heritage and culture of our incredible city. Young people can gain hands on experience through creating a series of documentaries whilst working alongside professionals and festival and event creators.

## WHAT CAN YOU GET INVOLVED WITH?

- **Fun and energetic** weekly sessions
- **Heritage training** from a range of professionals
- **Informal learning** such as cooking, quizzes, presentations and games
- **Planning and organising** resources for festivals and events
- **Meeting** new friends
- **Creating** and running your own festival/event
- **Support** with careers and education

## WHAT WILL YOU GAIN?



**A sense of belonging**



**Self-confidence and self-esteem**



**Social and communication skills**



**Employability skills** including teamwork, project management and problem solving



**Heritage skills** (Photography, video editing, sound engineering, interviewing and documentary creation)



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**Heritage Fund**



# About FOCUS

**FOCUS is a young people's organisation based in Leicester. Founded by two students in 1988, we have supported over 21,000 young people.**

Our philosophy is simple; we believe that through volunteering and community activity, young people can develop the skills and attributes that they need to be successful in their lives. Our projects, programmes and activities can be powerful and potentially life-changing experiences for young people.



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