



## Dance and Life skills Facilitator Position Description

We're on the search for exceptional young people who want to make their mark and become one of our next generation Mayibuye Facilitators.

### What is a Mayibuye Facilitator?

Mayibuye Performance Troupes, an initiative of Cultural Infusion runs programs with culturally diverse and disadvantaged young people in various locations throughout Victoria. Mayibuye Performance Troupes are a weekly, 2 hour program supporting youth from all backgrounds and abilities through a curriculum of dance and life skills. Each troupe has 2 facilitators:

**Life Skills facilitators** deliver interactive workshops following a curriculum aimed at developing life skills and creating an understanding of self-awareness, cultural diversity, empathy, leadership and global citizenship.

**Dance facilitators** give participants the supportive, non-competitive environment to engage in a range of dance styles and work towards developing a routine to be performed at our mid-year and end of year showcases. Dance facilitators also encourage participants to develop and perform their own steps and promote confidence in performance.

Cultural Infusion is providing young people with the opportunity to improve their leadership and facilitation skills and make a real difference within their communities.

### By getting involved, you will;

- Become part of the Mayibuye family and work with a diverse and passionate community of like-minded people
- Obtain skills in leadership, facilitation and communication that will carry forward in your career
- Gain practical experience working with young people from a variety of different cultural and socioeconomic backgrounds
- Build your personal and professional networks within the community arts and youth development sector
- Make significant impact in the lives of disadvantaged young people

### Want to become a Mayibuye facilitator?

**Cultural Infusion is looking for inspired and inspiring young people with the following;**

- Passion for dance and/or community development
- Previous experience working with young people
- Commitment to the position 2 hours a week for a minimum of 1 year
- Possession of or willingness to obtain a Victorian Working with Children Check
- Willingness to travel to various locations to facilitate if needed

If you would like to be involved with Mayibuye Performance Troupes but are unsure if you will be able to commit to 2 hours per week, consider being part of our Youth Committee or our Facilitator Training Team. Both roles have greater flexibility and a lesser time commitment for you to be able to create positive change in the lives of young people.

**Time commitment:** 2 hrs a week during school term

**Reports to:** Jess Kitchen- Global Youth Program Manager

**For questions: please email** [jess.k@culturalinfusion.org.au](mailto:jess.k@culturalinfusion.org.au)

**Applications close:** November 30th

**To apply:** Email CV and Cover letter to [jess.k@culturalinfusion.org.au](mailto:jess.k@culturalinfusion.org.au)

### Annual Training Weekend

It is compulsory that all facilitators attend our annual training weekend. Saturday 21st and Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> of January 10am-4:30pm in Collingwood.

There will also be group meetings, training and social activities available throughout the year for facilitators to attend.