**Animator**

**Bunratty Folk Park**

**SHANNON HERITAGE**

**(Seasonal Position)**

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| **Role Purpose:** |
| The Animator will report directly to the Operations Manager. The role will entail welcoming and interacting with visitors ensuring they have a memorable experience. The role will involve re-enacting varying Irish village characters, Storyteller, the village teacher, doctor, or postman. The Animator will engage and enlighten visitors with revelations of time past.  This position requires flexibility, working rostered duties including weekends and Public Holidays | |
| **The Role:** | |
| * Welcoming and interacting with visitors in a warm and polite manner * Always remaining in character and displaying specialized skills such as storytelling and   historic reenactments   * When required, escort groups around the site providing information and historic knowledge   on architecture and points of interest   * Ensuring your location and its environs are clean and well always presented. * From time-to-time other duties may apply ie special request from VIP visitors or incentive groups   for private tours | |
| **Essential Requirements:** | |
| • Have a passion for Irish rural history   * Some experience of acting or performing * Ability to adjust and present to different age groups and nationalities. * Friendly, outgoing, and pleasant personality * Be capable of working within a small dedicate team. * Basic knowledge of Shannon Heritage other attractions   The wearing of period costumes during working hours is mandatory.  From time to time the Company may ask you to do other reasonable tasks not stated within this job description but commensurate with the position. The Company also reserves the right to review and update this job description to reflect the changing needs of the job. However, any significant changes will be discussed in consultation with you. | |