



## Summary

We are City Farm offering a range of training opportunities including the alternative programme to high school pupils who are experiencing difficulties at school; e2e programme to 16 – 18 year olds and a horticulture project for adults with learning disabilities. The Farm a 24 acre inner city site established in 1980 and is open to visitors every day.



## Training

At Meanwood Valley Urban Farm classroom based activities centre around the 3 core strands of e2e.

- Literacy, Numeracy and ICT
- Personal and Social Development
- Vocational Training.

As part of this, we offer NOCN Accreditation in

- English, Maths, ICT
- Teamwork
- Work Experience
- Health & Safety.

Specific information about vocational training is given below.



## Vocational Experience

The areas of vocational training combine practical activities and classroom based work in areas outlined below:

**Agriculture section** – this involves animal welfare, feeding, cleaning out, caring for the, animals which, include pigs, cows, sheep, goats, donkeys, chickens, ducks, rabbits and guinea pigs.

**Maintenance** – this involves general maintenance around the Farm including fencing, painting, path laying and also carpentry where they will have the opportunity to build bird and bat boxes or planters.

**Horticulture** – This involves working on the gardens planting, weeding, watering, harvesting and caring for the plants fruit, and vegetables that are grown on the Farm.

**Education** – This involves working with school children undertaking environmental projects; conservation tasks including woodland management.

