

Who We Are

Refugee Women of Bristol is a registered charity set up by a group of refugee women to advance education, relieve poverty, promote and protect the health of refugee women and those seeking asylum in Bristol and the surrounding area, through the provision of advice, information and support.

The management committee is entirely user-led and open to all women from a refugee background.

We regularly have over 80 women accessing our weekly drop-in and over 800 women as members from over 40 different countries.

“Before coming to RWoB I was lonely, I stay at home, but since coming I feel happy, and I learn as well.”



Our Services

Our drop-in is held every Tuesday during term time at Easton Christian Family Centre.

We welcome women from refugee and asylum seeking backgrounds, women on a spouse visa, and women who gained refugee status in another European country before coming to the UK.

We provide a number of activities including:

- English classes from pre-entry to entry level 3
- Information and advocacy
- A lunch club
- A free crèche
- Regular workshops
- Training opportunities
- Information sessions about multiple forms of violence against women.

We have Community Workers who are able to interpret in Somali, Arabic, and Chinese, and support women who may need letters translating, information about services, and support to contact agencies and organisations.

Funding

We are a charity and depend on funding from charitable organisations and statutory bodies. We also welcome donations from individuals, companies and businesses.

How you can help:

Donate

£8 pays for a child to attend our crèche.

Donate through JustGiving:
www.justgiving.com/rwob

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Join our events and see what we're up to at **Refugee Women of Bristol**



Volunteer Roles

Volunteers are vital to the running of our drop-in. We have a range of volunteer roles at Refugee Women of Bristol such as:

- English Teachers and Assistants
- Kitchen Assistants
- Arts and Crafts Volunteers
- One to One Reading Volunteers

We ask for at least a 6-month commitment to volunteer every Tuesday during term time. We provide an induction, regular team meetings, training opportunities and a reference after 3 months.

“A great place to volunteer - lots of opportunities to try new things, develop new skills, and build understanding of others as well as self confidence.”

A RWOB Volunteer

Please email the Drop-in Coordinator;
coordinator@refugeewomenofbristol.org.uk

Or call **0117 941 5867** for further information.

Contact Us

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Drop-in Address

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Drop-in times:

10.00am – 2.00pm

Every Tuesday during term time

Registered charity **1171683**



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