Refreshing our commitment

Ministry Grouping	SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION
Ministry	Preparing young people to be Confirmed
What does it involve?	(Through referrals from the Parish Priest or Sacramental Preparation Leader), advising parents and young people who wish to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Developing and leading a programme leading to the young person receiving the Sacrament, either individually or in groups (possibly with other parishes). Prepare a booklet with the details of confirmation preparation and plans for the lessons which will be available in the narthex all year. Contact person with other catechists for confirmation and with the Deanery and where necessary attend Diocesan Meeting as arranged by the Liturgy Commission. Attend the Mass of Confirmation.

Gifts required:

- Sensitivity and ability to touch people wanting to strengthen the commitment to their faith - potentially in the context of an environment hostile to this.
- Recent experience of working with young people.
- Well-organised (ability to manage records and make accurate returns)
- Great communicator with young people

Time required (average weekly/monthly)	4 hours a quarter (can be shared with others)
Special peaks in time commitments likely:	January to May
How long would I need to commit for?	Ideally, 3 years with an opportunity to review the role after 6 months
Location:	Parish office /church
Responsible to:	Sacramental Preparation Leader/Priest
Main contacts:	Parish Priest, Safeguarding Officer, Young People's Coordinator
DBS check required:	Yes

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I'd like to know more

I would normally be available between January to May

Signed

Name Contact details

Please return to the parish office or in the Refreshing our commitment box in the narthex.