



APPRENTICE WELLBEING SPECIALIST TEACHING ASSISTANT (Level 5)

Location: Hunters Hall Primary School, Alibon Road, Dagenham, Essex, RM10 8DE

Salary: Apprenticeship rates

Hours: 30 Hours per week (Term Time)

Required: April

We are looking to appoint a Wellbeing Specialist Teaching Assistant Apprentice to work alongside qualified staff to support the delivery of quality learning and teaching, including planning, implementing and adapting activities that guide pupils through challenges. You will be an advocate for pupil needs, creating a culture of empathy and inclusion and to help raise standards of achievement for all pupils including those who have special physical, emotional and educational needs.

This is a fantastic opportunity for someone who already has experience of working in a school supporting children to learn who wishes to develop their understanding, upskill, progress their career and build expertise in social and emotional support for children and young people. The apprenticeship pathway is the equivalent to a foundation degree and upon successful completion you will qualify as a Level 5 Specialist Teaching Assistant and as a Thrive Licensed Practitioner.

If you are passionate about making a meaningful impact on pupil wellbeing and learning outcomes and have already gained at least 1 years' experience of working in a school to support children's learning and emotional wellbeing, then we would love to hear from you.

Some of the main duties and responsibilities of this role include:

- Supervising and supporting the teaching activities of individuals or groups of children to ensure their safety and support their learning, physical and emotional development
- Participate in planning and evaluation of learning activities with the teacher, providing feedback to the teacher on pupils' progress.
- Apply advanced teaching strategies' such as scaffolding and formative assessments to advance learners outcomes.
- Apply critical understanding to plan, implement, evaluate and adapt activities to advance learning.
- Plan sequences of teaching by using the critical understanding gained of the principles in relation to curriculum, assessment and pedagogy.

We welcome informal visits to the school prior to application and look forward to meeting you. Full job description, person specification and application form are available on the school website or by emailing office@hunters-hall.bardaglea.org.uk .

Closing date: Friday 28th February 2025

Interviews: w/c Monday 10th March 2025

Equality and Diversity

We are committed to encouraging and sustaining a positive and supportive working environment for our staff, and an excellent teaching and learning experience for our children.

As a provider of employment and education, we value the diversity of our staff and pupils, and all our staff are equally valued and respected. We are committed to providing a fair, equitable and mutually supportive learning and working environment for our pupils and staff.

Safeguarding

The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all members of staff to share this commitment.

If you are shortlisted for the position you are applying for, you will be required to complete a Declaration giving details of any relevant criminal offences and other relevant information relating to our safeguarding duty. Further information will be provided on that form. In addition to the Declaration Hunters Hall Primary may undertake online searches for shortlisted candidates (including social media) in accordance with KCSIE 2024.

A copy of Hunters Hall Primary Child Protection and Safeguarding policy and the Safer Recruitment Policy are available on our website at www.huntershallprimary.org.uk

It is an offence to apply for a post involving regulated activity if you are barred from engaging in regulated activity relevant to children.

Following successful application, Hunters Hall Primary will carry out the necessary prohibition checks for any member of staff appointed to carry out teaching work.

Any offer of employment will be made conditional upon a satisfactory enhanced DBS check and barred list check (where applicable to the role in question).

This role is considered exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 and the amendments to the Exceptions Order 1975, 2013 and 2020. Which means that when applying for certain jobs and activities certain spent convictions and cautions are 'protected', so they do not need to be disclosed to employers, and if they are disclosed, employers cannot take them into account.