



**Bigland
Green
Primary
School**

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Music Teaching Assistant

Salary: Scale 2/3, points 3-6; £29,286 to £30,552 pro-rata (depending on qualifications and experience)

Start Date: 1 September 2025

Hours: 35 hrs per week; 8:00 AM to 4 PM and/or 8:45 AM to 4:45 PM Monday to Friday - term time

Closing date: Monday 2 June 2025 by 12:30 PM

Interview

Interviews will be on 5 June 2025. Only shortlisted candidates will be informed by email and telephone.

Bigland Green is looking for a Teaching Assistant who can support the teaching of music in KS1 and 2, with a focus on singing and vocal techniques. The successful candidate will work alongside teachers and other staff members to teach music as required in the National Curriculum following a published scheme of work. The music TA will help with resourcing and lead aspects of the teaching. In particular, they will lead singing assemblies and support the development of singing across the school.

The right candidate will have a strong background in music which must include a music GCSE grade B/6 or above; music at A'Level/degree is desirable. They must have strong communication skills and the confidence to discharge the duties effectively. Ability to provide skilled support in music/singing performances will be an advantage. Experience, confidence and skills in singing is essential. Candidates interested in a future teaching career will find this opportunity of exceptional benefit.

Bigland Green offers

- Curious children who are eager to learn, and have good support from parents.
- A dedicated, spacious music room which is very well resourced.
- Strong commitment to staff CPD and professional growth ~ regular in-house Training Sessions for all class-based staff members.
- Dedicated and committed staff members who work as a strong team.
- Modern, spacious building with exceptionally good resources for inside & outside learning.
- Highly supportive governing body.

The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The successful candidate will require an enhanced DBS clearance. We are dedicated to equality and valuing diversity.

Potential candidates are encouraged and welcome to visit the school. Please telephone or email the school office to arrange a visit.

How to apply: Please visit the school's website for the JD and application form

<https://biglandgreen.towerhamlets.sch.uk/vacancies/>

Please return your application to: **enquiries@biglandgreen.towerhamlets.sch.uk**

Job description & person specifications for Music Teaching Assistant, September 2025

Qualifications, skills and experience

Candidates must have a GCSE grade B/6 or above in music or equivalent. A Levels and/or a degree is preferable but not essential. Candidates must be committed to making a positive difference to children's lives, and be driven by self-motivation. Some experience of teaching music, particularly singing is required.

Deployment

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The post-holder will be required to work Monday to Friday from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM and/or 8:45 AM to 4:45 PM, depending on the needs of the school. The post-holder will work during term-time (plus an additional week in Easter if required by the school).

Candidates must have good communication and interpersonal skills. Being able to work as part of a team while being driven by own initiative is essential.

If you feel you can contribute to the school's mission and it's Learning Vision as a Music Teaching Assistant, then we would like you to make a strong application.

Bigland Green Primary School's mission is to provide teaching and learning that helps children to become:

- *confident individuals* who enjoy learning, make progress and achieve;
- *successful learners* who are able to live safe, healthy and fulfilling lives, and;
- *responsible citizens* who make a positive contribution to society and the world.

The school has identified six steps to achieving its mission. These six steps to success are encapsulated in the school's **Learning Vision**. All key stakeholders (pupils, staff, parents, governors & volunteers) strive for the full implementation of the Learning Vision.

