



**Position:** Preschool Practitioner (Level 3)

**Contract:** Permanent

**Term:** FULL-TIME

(Mon-Fri – 8.45am-3.15pm - term time)

**Start date:** As soon as possible

**Salary Range:** Point 6-11 (£25,183-£27,269 FTE) Depending on Experience

<https://www.littleport.cambs.sch.uk/topic/preschool>



*Children in the early years delight in learning (OFSTED, October 2024)*

**We are seeking to employ a full-time practitioner to work alongside our existing Early Years Leader and support our Preschool provision - starting as soon as possible.**

We are looking to recruit someone special to join our wonderful Preschool team.

Do you want to join a forward-thinking setting with innovative approaches to childcare and learning at its heart that benefits from being strongly evidence informed?

We are looking for someone who:

- + **Holds a Level 3 Early Years Education and Childcare qualification or equivalent.** Those with a Level 2 qualification will also be considered but would be expected to gain L3 certification during employment
- + Understands the needs of children and appreciates a therapeutic approach for behaviour
- + Can encourage and support all children in reaching their full potential
- + Has a good sense of humour
- + Is resilient and nurturing
- + Has the best interests of children at the centre of their practice
- + Is able to think on their feet
- + Is committed to delivering excellent care as well as educational and emotional support for our families

We will be able to offer you:

- Motivated children whose behaviour for learning is rated as a real strength
- A welcoming 'in the moment' learning environment in a purpose-built setting with large grounds, including a nature area, wood and allotment
- Supervision with leadership from a highly supportive Early Years Leader and Governing Body
- Well-resourced preschool provision led daily by a qualified teacher
- Skilled and professional staff who have the best interests of children at heart
- Opportunities for continuing professional development driven by research

If the position interests you, please contact the Julie Warman, Office Manager, for an application pack via the school office – [office@littleport.cambs.sch.uk](mailto:office@littleport.cambs.sch.uk). Alternatively, go to our website: <http://www.littleport.cambs.sch.uk/> and click on 'Vacancies' in the 'Our School' section. If you have any questions about the position or would like to come and visit our setting, please contact the Headteacher, Adam Rivett, via the school office contact above.

Deadline for applications: 12.00 noon – Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2024

Short listing: Afternoon of Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2024

Interviews: Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2024

*Littleport Community Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all staff, parents and volunteers to actively share this commitment. All appointments are conditional and subject to an enhanced DBS disclosure. We welcome applications from all sections of the community regardless of gender, race, religion, disability, sexual orientation or age. As part of our safer recruitment process, we will carry out an internet search on all applicants.*