

King's Hedges Educational Federation



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Are you ready to join a highly motivated and skilled team? Do you want to work in a vibrant and fast paced environment? Do you want to support the development of new approaches to teaching and learning in a passionate and risk taking school? 'Are you fluent in spoken and written English? If so, we are the right school for you!

We need: A level 3 teaching assistant, fully qualified in Early Years & Childcare, for

our nursery department

To start: As soon as possible

Pay Scale: SCP grade 4 point 7, £20,243pa

Hours: Teaching Assistant 32.5 per week plus additional overtime for staff meeting

Times: 8:15 – 3:30 Monday – Friday

We wish to appoint a dedicated, hard-working and motivated teaching assistant for our nursery department. The contract will be term time only. You must have full and relevant early years & childcare qualification at level 3.

Please click on the link for the full list of acceptable qualification https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/early-years-qualifications-achieved-inengland

You will be a valuable member of the team working with the class teacher to support the children. The successful applicant will need enthusiasm, patience, caring and understanding. Experience working with children and a willingness to work in all year groups of the Federation is required.

Please come and visit us, it is the only way to truly realise how special we are. We received an overall 'Good' rating from Ofsted in January 2019.

Please contact Mrs Miller, **Tel 01223 518330 or e-mail:** finance@kingshedges.cambs.sch.uk to arrange a visit and for the application pack or you can download the application pack from our website: www.kingshedgesprimary.org.uk

Kings Hedges Education Federation is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children in our care.

All staff and volunteers are expected to share this commitment.

This role is classed as regular activity. Before you proceed with your intention to apply for a position or to support us please take full consideration of the following points.

- All successful candidates will be subject to an Enhanced DBS check, including a Barred
 List check where applicable to the role. Where you have been shortlisted for a role,
 you will be required to complete a Declaration of Offences Form, disclosing all
 relevant previous criminal convictions and cautions. Please contact the Head teacher
 to discuss this step further if you wish.
- If you are shortlisted for the position you are applying for, we will carry out an online search against you, for information that is publicly available online and usually before interview. This will include social media accounts you may hold.
- We will assess your knowledge of safeguarding by asking specific questions about this
 area of our role during the interview process and your answer to this question will
 form part of our decision-making process.
- You will be provided with an induction process, and you are expected to engage with this monitored process.
- Our safeguarding policies and procedures will be explained during your induction and on a regular basis.
- Kings Hedges complies the Childcare Act 2006 and the Childcare (Disqualification) and childcare (Early Years Provision Free of Charge) (Extended Entitlement) (Amendment) Regulations 208. All shortlisted candidates whose role will involve the responsibility for the provision or management of such childcare (including teaching) shall be required to declare that they are not disqualified from undertaking such work.
- Application forms must be completed in full. Please pay particular attention to your
 work history and inform us of any gaps in employment. CVs will only be accepted
 alongside a completed application form.
- Please ensure you state full details of your qualifications.
- References may be taken up prior to interviews and any discrepancies will be addressed during the interview process.

Closing date – Wednesday 14th February 2024, 9:00am Interview date – Tuesday 27th February 2024