

Teaching Assistant with SEN (Grade 6)

Permanent post

34 hours per week, 39 weeks per year (term time + INSET days)

Salary range: £19,072 - £19422

Puss Bank School and Nursery is a large primary school and nursery with a Resource Provision for children with autism. We are looking for a teaching assistant with extensive SEN experience to join our Resource Provision team. You will be someone who is patient and builds rapport with the children, is passionate about striving for the best for all children and has a strong philosophy of inclusion. Adaptability and a willingness to be part of the wider school community and support the team are essential to the role.

We expect the successful candidate to:

- Be dedicated, resilient and enthusiastic with a passion for providing exciting and positive learning experience and outcomes for all children.
- Be able to support successful learning across all key stages and support the learning of pupils with complex SEND needs.
- Have high expectations of learning and behaviour as well as inspire and motivate our children.
- Be supportive, nurturing and understanding.
- Communicate well with parents, carers and members of staff, as well as pupils.

In return you will receive:

- A welcoming, friendly environment.
- The support of committed, enthusiastic and dedicated colleagues.
- Pupils who are eager to learn and a credit to the school.
- The opportunity for future career progression within the trust.

Puss Bank School & Nursery is committed to safeguarding children and young people. Applicants will be required to undertake pre-employment checks which will include References, Health, Right to Work in the UK, DBS and a declaration that neither they nor anyone who lives in the same household is a disqualified person under the Childcare (Disqualification) Regulations 2009. Appointment to this post is subject to a probationary period.

Applications should be made by completing the Aspire Support Staff Application Form. A full application pack is available to download from the Trust website:

<https://www.aspireeducationaltrust.co.uk/page/?title=Vacancies&pid=66>

CV's will not be accepted. Please return completed applications for the attention of Mrs McKinstry, Finance & HR Manager, by email to: admin@pussbank.cheshire.sch.uk

Closing date for applications: Tuesday 13th June

Date of interviews: Friday 23rd June

Visits to the school will be offered to shortlisted candidates at time of interview.

Start Date: 1st September 2023

Please note due to the volume of applications we are only able to notify shortlisted candidates.