**School Counsellor**

**Salary: S01-25**

**Contract:** One Year Fixed Term contract, Term Time only. One day a week (day to be agreed with the successful candidate)

**Start date:** September 2022

**The Governing Body of Montbelle Primary School is inviting applications for the role of School Counsellor**

Our vision is to ensure that every child will be safe, healthy, happy and creative and will have the personal confidence, skills and opportunity to contribute and develop themselves as a lifelong learner.

We are looking for a compassionate, resilient and understanding counsellor to provide support to our children with emotional and mental health issues.   This promises to be a very rewarding role working within a highly supportive and experienced inclusion team.

Working under the direction of the SENCo, the Counsellor will provide a vital service to our children.  A caring and nurturing approach is essential, along with a commitment to and enthusiasm for the welfare of young people and child protection.

Montbelle Primary School is a popular school situated in the London Borough of Greenwich. We work closely with a number of other primary, secondary and special schools in Greenwich. Our new Counsellor will join a forward-facing school with a strong and supportive set of colleagues.

Our school has excellent resources, which include a well-equipped, light and airy building, amazing outdoor spaces including a Forest School, nature garden, allotment and a wide range of playground environments. You are welcome to contact the school office and arrange a tour of the school. Should you wish to do so, please contact Mrs. Hawkins via email at admin@montbelle.org.uk

**Montbelle is committed to effective safeguarding practices; all references will be taken up before interview and any offer of appointment is subject to a satisfactory Enhanced Criminal Records Bureau Disclosure.**

**Closing date:**  9am, Wednesday 25th of May, 2022. Please apply through email to admin@montbelle.org.uk, using a Royal Borough of Greenwich application form available on request from the same email address.

**Interviews will be held the week beginning the 13th of June 2022.** All candidates will be advised of the outcome of their application.