

Bigland Green Primary School

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Teaching Assistant for KS1 or KS2

Salary: NJC Scale 2/3, points 3-6 (£23,004 - £24,270 pro-rata term time only)

Vacancy Hours: 8:00 AM to 4:45 PM **or** 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM **or** 8:45 to 4:45 PM. Successful candidates can choose any of the three working hours.

Closing date for all applications:

Monday 4 July 2022 by 12:30 PM.

Start date: 31 August 2022

Bigland Green is seeking to recruit an aspiring individual who wants to make a positive contribution and increase children's life chances as a teaching assistant in a dynamic and friendly school. The successful candidate will be self-driven and a strong team player. They will have a buy-in the school's mission and the Learning Vision.

A* to B grades in GCSE English and mathematics are essential. Good A-Levels and/or a degree is desirable.

The successful candidate will be deployed as a class teaching assistant to provide learning support to pupils in the class. Some experience of teaching in a similar setting is desirable but not essential. Full-training will be provided by the school and the successful candidate will have regular in-house training on different aspects of teaching and learning. There are very good opportunities for promotion and career progression, including training to become a teacher in 2/3 years' time.

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

We would welcome and encourage potential candidates to visit our schools. Please telephone or email to arrange this or for an application pack.

How to apply: For an application pack, please visit our website https://biglandgreen.towerhamlets.sch.uk/vacancies/

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

Interview date: Wednesday 6 July 2022 – only short-listed candidates will be informed by email and invited to an interview.

Job description &

person specifications for Teaching Assistant

Qualifications, skills and experience

Candidates must have a GCSE A*, A or B in English and mathematics. 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 supporting children in a similar setting is desirable but not essential.

Deployment

The successful candidate will be deployed as a class teaching assistant to provide learning support to pupils in the class. Some experience of teaching in a similar setting is desirable but not essential. Full-training will be provided by the school and the successful candidate will have regular in-house training on different aspects of teaching and learning.

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

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 TA 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.



Bigland Green is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all staff/volunteers to share this commitment. All offers of employment are subject to an enhanced disclosure and other checks.