

**Ash Grove Academy**  
**Teaching Assistant - Temporary (January to December 2026) – 32.5 hpw/39 weeks per year**  
**Grade 4 (£19,088pa - £19,697pa - pro-rata)**

Ash Grove Academy are looking to appoint a dedicated, caring and supportive Teaching Assistant to support children within our school. The successful candidate will be a highly motivated, enthusiastic individual, who inspires children to have a love of learning. It is essential that they are sensitive to the needs and abilities of our pupils, while ensuring that each pupil is appropriately challenged to achieve their full potential. We are looking for someone who is passionate about inclusion and will ideally have experience of supporting children with a range of special educational needs, including working with specific children or as part of a small group as required. The successful candidate must have the ability to work as part of a team, be flexible, be resilient and be willing to engage in all aspects of school life. At Ash Grove Academy, we offer a dedicated and supportive team of staff within the school itself and across the Aspire Educational Trust. We also offer a stimulating work environment and comprehensive professional development opportunities.

We are proud to be a Disability Confident Committed Employer, and we encourage applications from all persons with a known disability. We aim to ensure a fully inclusive and accessible recruitment process.

If you request any support or have any questions, please contact

Name: Sally Veale (Principal)

Phone: 01625 919610

Email: [principal@ashgrove.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:principal@ashgrove.cheshire.sch.uk)

As a Trust we are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of our children. For all shortlisted candidates reference checks and online searches will be completed prior to interview. All successful candidates are subject to satisfactory references, medical checks, right to work in UK and safeguarding checks, including enhanced DBS and a declaration of disqualification (Childcare Disqualification regulations 2009).

If you are committed to helping children thrive and getting the best start in life, then we look forward to hearing from you.

**Closing Date:** Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2025

**Interview:** Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2025

**Start Date:** 5th January 2026

Please return application form to: [bursar@ashgrove.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:bursar@ashgrove.cheshire.sch.uk)

