**Teaching Assistant (Band 6) SCP 6-7, £17,953.82 - £18,281.54 per annum. 35 hours per week, term time only including PD days (195 days per year). Permanent. (Pay award pending).**

Sunnyside Academy wishes to appoint an enthusiastic and committed Teaching Assistant to join the Early Years Team. This position would be to start in the Autumn Term 2023.

Sunnyside Academy is a large primary school situated in Coulby Newham with 290+ pupils from the surrounding area. The school also has special needs bases for children with sensory impairment and for children with moderate learning difficulties.

The successful candidate will work with teachers to support teaching and learning by working with individuals and/or small groups of pupils, adjusting activities within set parameters under the direction, guidance and supervision of teaching staff. The successful candidate will also have responsibility to provide short term emergency cover by supervising classes.

Candidates should be suitably qualified and experienced, possessing a NVQ level 3 or equivalent and having worked as a classroom or teaching assistant within a primary school, for a minimum of 12 months and be able to meet the criteria detailed on the person specification.

Candidates must only apply using the application form provided; CV’s will not be accepted.

For an informal discussion about this post please contact Julie Sutton, Headteacher on 01642 596422.

***Sunnyside Academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. As such the successful candidate will be required to undergo an enhanced DBS check.***

This post is exempt under the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exceptions) Order 1975 (2013 and 2020).

**Requesting an application form**

Application forms and further details are available via the Ad Astra website:

<https://adastraschools.org/careers/>

Completed application forms to be emailed to recruitment@adastraacademytrust.com

Closing Date for applications is **Friday 22nd September 2023.**

Interviews will take place **Thursday 28th September 2023.**