



Job Vacancy- EYFS & KS1 Teaching Assistant

The Board of Directors of The Rainbow Multi Academy Trust are looking to appoint a dedicated and enthusiastic EYFS & KS1 teaching assistant to support pupils learning at St Michaels C of E Primary School. This is a rewarding opportunity to contribute to a supportive and inclusive environment, helping pupils to develop academically, socially and emotionally while building confidence, independence and a love of learning.

As the successful candidate, you will work closely with teachers to support individuals and small groups, assist with classroom activities, and help prepare and maintain engaging learning environments. You will build positive relationships with pupils, monitor their progress and wellbeing, and contribute to creating a safe, inclusive space where all children feel valued and supported. The role also involves supporting pupils with a range of additional needs, including SEND and behavioural needs, ensuring they can fully access all aspects of school life.

We are looking for a patient, caring and proactive individual with strong communication and organisational skills who enjoys working as part of a team. Experience working within EYFS is preferred, alongside a relevant Level 3 childcare qualification. An understanding of phonics, particularly Little Wandle, is desirable, as is some experience of Drawing Club.

St Michaels C of E Primary School is part of The Rainbow Multi Academy Trust where our schools work in partnership to fulfil our belief that together, we can build a brighter future for our children. We are looking for a new member of staff to embrace and support our schools in creating an environment where the children have the opportunity to be the best they can be. The Trust is committed to fully supporting our staff through a range of CPD opportunities.

Job Details:

Location	St Michaels C of E Primary School
Post	Teaching Assistant
Grade/salary	£24,520 to £26,670.32 FTE depending on qualifications
Hours per week	32.5 hours per week, term time only
Contract	Permanent Variable
Application closing date	9am Friday 19 th June
Interview date	Monday 29 th and Tuesday 30 th June
Other information	Start date September 2026 Experience of working as a teaching assistant across EYFS and KS1 Relevant level 3 childcare qualification is desirable Lunchtime duties are included in the role

The Rainbow Multi Academy Trust is committed to the safeguarding of our students and the successful candidate will be subject to an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check.

Visits to our school are welcome by appointment. Please contact Sarah Luff or Polly John by phone 01326 572386 or email: sluff@rainbowacademy.org.uk / pjohns@rainbowacademy.org.uk

For an application pack, please visit [The Rainbow Multi Academy Trust - Vacancies](#)

Completed applications can be returned to Mr Ricky Norris via email- recruitment@rainbowacademy.org.uk