**Lark Hill Primary School**

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Job Title: Teaching Assistant

Hours of Post: 32.5 hours per week, Monday to Friday, 6.5 hours per day (8:30am to 3:30pm; 30 mins lunch break)

Contract Type: Permanent, Term Time only

Start Date of Post: As soon as possible

Salary Grade: NJC Scale 3, points 5 to 6 (actual salary £14,444 to £14,733 based on 32.5 hours, term time only)

Lark Hill Primary School is a warm, inclusive school that has made significant improvements in recent years. We aim to be a *Community of Responsibility & Respect; Creativity & Challenge: a happy place to learn*. This is also a happy place to work and we have a talented staff team, well-behaved children and an excellent curriculum offer. We are seeking to appoint a self-motivated and creative teaching assistant to be part of our dynamic, dedicated and ambitious team.

Are you willing to be part of a team that is fully committed to developing the whole child through an exciting and enriching curriculum? Are you flexible, empathetic, patient, and able to play a full part in the life of the school? We are looking to appoint a teaching assistant who:

• Loves working with children;

• Has the ability to work in a team;

• Is effective in supporting the needs of individual pupils, small groups of children and whole classes;

• Shows an ability to work with children with a range of educational needs;

• Is approachable, adaptable, patient, motivated and a good communicator;

• Has excellent organisational skills and enjoys the challenges we face in a busy school;

• Enjoys supporting children on educational trips including volunteering on exciting and active residentials.

In return we offer:

• A positive whole school ethos rooted in restorative practice, empathy and high levels of challenge and support;

• A strong, supportive, happy and committed staff team who work together to achieve the best for all children;

• Happy, well-behaved children who love their learning and make our staff proud to work here;

• A strong Governing Board, SLT and MLT who are fully committed to continued school improvement whilst caring for the wellbeing of staff;

• A commitment to support all colleagues’ continued professional development.

We are very proud of our school; candidates are strongly encouraged to visit. Please phone the school office on 0161 480 6295 to make an appointment. The job description is available to download here. Completed forms should be returned to the school; headteacher@larkhill-pri.stockport.sch.uk by 11am on the 11th February 2022. Lark Hill Primary School is fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of our children and we expect all staff and volunteers to share the same commitment. The successful applicant's appointment will be subject to satisfactory pre-employment clearances including an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check.

Closing Date: Friday 11th February 2022 at 11am

Interview Date: Week commencing Monday 21st February 2022