



Wedmore First Academy and Nursery

Teaching Assistant.

30 hours per week with some lunchtime cover included.

12 month Fixed Term contract starting January 2025

Salary Scale Grade 15 (point 3-4) £22,737 - £23,114 FTE

An opportunity has arisen to join an already successful team at Wedmore First School Academy. We require an effective and enthusiastic Teaching Assistant to join us and be involved in providing learning support to pupils or classes within the inclusive ethos of the school. You will be required to work with class teachers to deliver excellent teaching and learning, lead and support pupils during the lunchtime break, accompany groups on trips and visits, support assessment and evidence learning, work with teachers to create a stimulating learning environment, maintain a safe and positive environment for all learners and create opportunities for all learners to thrive.

Candidates will need to demonstrate:

- They have helped children to learn as effectively as possible
- Worked confidently and effectively on their own and as part of a team
- Had experience in delivering/scaffolding an adapted programme of work as directed by the class teacher
- Been able to provide evidence of successful targeted intervention work
- Provided a purposeful and well-disciplined learning environment which reflects the school ethos
- Established positive, supportive relationships with pupils, colleagues, parents and other agencies where necessary

What we can offer:

- Professional induction, training and continued professional development opportunities.
- Staff benefits including reduced leisure centre membership and cycle to work scheme.
- A staff assistance programme with specialist provider, CareFirst who provide a 24/7 free phone helpline, or face-to-face counselling for every employee in the Wessex family.
- Exciting opportunities as part of a growing multi-academy Trust.
- Local Government Pension Scheme with a generous employer contribution in excess of 20%, subject to pension eligibility criteria.

To apply for this position, please complete a support staff application form, (which is available on our website), together with a letter of application for the attention of Mrs. Shelley Kent (Headteacher). Completed applications should be returned by post or by email to office@wedmorefirstschool.org.uk

Closing date: Monday 2nd December 2024

Interview date: Monday 9th December 2024

The Wessex Learning Trust is committed to safeguarding young people and promoting the welfare of children, and all staff appointed will be required to undertake an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service Check.



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