



Sherburn Hungate Primary School

Learning through Experience



2 x General Teaching Assistants Required

Salary Grade C – Point 2-4 (£17711 - £18426 pro rata)

15 hours per week (Term Time Only)

Contract: Fixed Term to 31 08 20

Start Date: 4 November or earlier if possible

We are looking for two General Teaching Assistants who will each be working 15 hours over 5 mornings each week. We are seeking caring, hardworking and enthusiastic individuals to join our committed staff team who have high aspirations both for themselves and our children, have a passion for learning, are proactive and dependable and have strong interpersonal skills and a positive outlook. In return we can offer you the opportunity to make a real difference to children's learning and to be part of a happy and effective staff team.

Post 1

We have the opportunity for a GTA to work within our Nursery to support a child in their play, peer relationships and understanding of the themes covered. They will need to take responsibility for the speech therapy for this child and developing their understanding and use of language and communication in our setting. This post would suit a candidate who has a competent understanding of working with pupils with special needs. The hours of work will be 08.30 - 11.30 am, 5 mornings a week.

Post 2

We have the opportunity for a GTA to work across our Nursery and Reception classes. Initially the role will involve working in Nursery for two mornings each week and Reception for three mornings each week. The work in Nursery will be to support a child with medical needs, specifically Recessive Dystrophic Epidermolysis Bullosa (EB), a physical skin condition that needs regular medical attention throughout the session. A first aid qualification is not essential (additional training will be provided), but the successful candidate must feel comfortable working with blood, blisters, and administering dressings. The post would suit someone who has experience of working with a child with medical needs, or someone who has a medical background. The role will also involve supporting the child build their peer relationships and be a support to them when dealing with issues that arise during the session, as well as assessing risk and acting accordingly. The role in Reception will be to work with the class teacher to support teaching and learning by working with individuals or small groups of pupils under the direction of the teaching staff. The hours of work will be 08.45 -11.45 am, 5 mornings a week.

Sherburn Hungate Primary School is a great place to work; we are offering the opportunity to be part of an enthusiastic team with highly effective teaching assistants who are committed to enhancing the experiences of all our students. We are looking for a good team player. Sherburn Hungate Primary School is part of the STAR Multi Academy Trust which is an exciting new venture strengthening our existing partnership with other local schools.

Our school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Enhanced DBS Disclosure is required for appointments to this post. and references are obtained prior to appointment.

Visits to the school are warmly welcomed, appointments can be made by contacting the school office on 01977 682434. Please access the school's website (www.sherburnhungate.net) which contains full details of the post, together with an application form, which should be returned by email to enquiries@shp.starmat.uk.

The closing date for both posts is 12 noon on Thursday 3 October 2019 and interviews will be held w/c 7 October 2019. When applying please indicate clearly if your application is for Post 1, Post 2, or both posts. If you are invited to interview we would like you to spend around 20 minutes meeting the children and staff in our Nursery class.

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