

Pinehurst Primary School Learning Support Assistant

'Experience, Excel and Enjoy'

Learning Support Assistant
Key Stage 2 Initially
Grade 2 SCP 3-5
Salary £18,055 - £18,795 PRO RATA
8.30am - 3.30pm
32.5 hours per week
Term Time Only
September or as soon as possible
Permanent role

About the school

Pinehurst Primary School is a two form entry school with Nursery provision for 2 and 3 year olds in the heart of Anfield. Our vision and values are 'Experience, Excel and Enjoy' and these underpin our work.

The Headteacher and Governing Body of Pinehurst Primary School wish to recruit a Learning Support Assistant to join our committed team.

We are looking to appoint enthusiastic, creative and highly motivated individuals with a proven track record of being an excellent Learning Support Assistant to work with our Head Teacher and our committed team.

About the role

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The role will require the individual to provide flexible support across the school in KS2 initially.

Experience of teaching phonics through the Read Write Inc programme and Maths through 'Maths No problem' would be desirable.

In addition to this, experience of 1-1 and small group teaching and intervention support would be valuable for the role.

Please highlight any experience of working with disadvantaged pupils, and pupils with SEND, in your application.

Personal qualities

Knowledge of:

How children develop How to support children in literacy and numeracy Supporting children with Special Educational Needs How children learn and how to motivate them

The ability to:

Work with an individual or a group Reinforce teaching points during teacher input

Clear up misunderstandings and sort out misconceptions
Teach new concepts as agreed with the class teacher
Model acceptable behaviour
Extend children's thinking skills
Assess children's understanding of text and reading skills
Assess children's understanding of maths concepts
Discuss with children their understanding of learning objectives
Suggest ways of developing learning
Encourage good social skills
Liaise with the SENCO and outside agencies
Take an active involvement in planning

A person who:

Has a calm approach
Maintains confidentiality
Has a good sense of humour
Has an empathetic nature
Is enthusiastic
Has the ability to adapt to a variety of situations
Demonstrates initiative in the class room
Works well as part of a team

Our school community places the highest priority on keeping our children safe. Applicants for the post will be subject to stringent vetting and induction processes and satisfactory preemployment checks including online searches and references.

Application forms are available on line and should be accompanied by a supporting letter of no more than 2 sides of A4.

Please apply online to head@pinehurst-primary.co.uk

Closing Date for Applications: Thursday 19th September 2024 at 4.00pm

Shortlisting Date: Friday 20th September 2024

Provisional Interview Date: Monday 23rd September 2024