



HIGH STREET PRIMARY ACADEMY
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Teaching Assistant – KS1

Permanent full time, Scale C point 14

Annual salary £17,681 FTE

High Street Primary is a single form entry, inner city school. We are committed to providing high quality education for all our children. We are seeking to employ a teaching assistant in our Key Stage 1 department. The ideal candidate will be hard working, friendly and outgoing. They will have an enthusiasm for working with children, particularly those with special educational needs. They will have a talent for engaging with sometimes complex children, encouraging social interaction, developing independence, self esteem and encouraging all individuals to achieve their goals.

The right person will be flexible about working with children across KS1. A qualification to support children with social and emotional needs would be highly beneficial; for example Thrive, ELSA or Theraplay. The right candidate will be confident in dealing with challenging behaviour and be a real team player.

Requirements:

- Level 3 NVQ teaching assistant qualification
- A good working knowledge of the National Curriculum and Key Stage 1
- Experience of working with key children, with a responsibility for a group of children's learning and development
- A good understanding of summative assessment
- Up to date safeguarding and first aid training
- Current DBS
- Have experience of supporting the teaching of phonics

The position of Teaching Assistant within KS1 involves:

- Working as part of a team, where all members are valued
- Working as a team with the KS1 Lead to ensure the safe and effective day to day running of their class
- Acting as a Key Person and taking responsibility for the care and learning journey of a group of children
- Developing strong relationships with parents

We can offer you:

- Exciting and diverse children, young people and families who want to be inspired
- A purpose built provision.
- CPD opportunities to develop skills and expertise
- Supportive, experiences and talented colleagues that can offer support and professional development

We are committed to ensuring the safety and welfare of our children at all times and an enhanced DBS check is a requirement of this post.

Please contact Anne Body our School Business Manager for an application form and further details are available via email (abody@highstreet.plymouth.sch.uk) or alternatively please download the application form, role profile and occupational health document direct from our school website www.highstreet.plymouth.sch.uk

Closing date: 22nd March, 2019 by 12 noon

Interviews: 29th March, 2019