SEND Learning Support Assistant (LSA)

Salary Scale Grade 15
Part-Time position, 25 hours per week
Actual starting salary based on 25 hours per week, Term-time only, £14,440.35 - £14,666.99
based on full time equivalent of £25,614 - £26,016
Fixed-Term Contract, Term-time only (38 weeks per year)

Kewstoke Primary School is looking to appoint a Learning Support Assistant with knowledge of SEND to support a pupil with an EHCP.

The successful candidate will have:

- Relevant LSA qualifications and/or experience working within primary school classrooms
- Experience of supporting children with additional needs, including SEND and Makaton
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills, with the ability to work effectively as part of a team
- A nurturing, patient and positive approach to supporting children's learning and wellbeing
- Initiative, flexibility and the ability to adapt within a busy classroom environment
- The ability to provide a welcoming and supportive environment for the children
- A clear understanding of safeguarding and a commitment to promoting the welfare of all children
- A commitment to upholding and promoting the values and ethos of the school & Trust

Kewstoke Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of all its children and expects all staff to share this commitment. This post is exempt under the provisions of the Rehabilitations of Offenders Act (Exceptions) Order 1975 and is subject to an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check.

We can offer you:

- 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, PAM Wellness 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, subject to pension eligibility criteria.

Closing Date: Monday 30th November 2026
Interview Date: Week commencing Monday 7th December 2026

To apply for this position, please complete a support staff application form, (available on The Wessex Learning Trust website), together with a letter of application for the attention of the Headteacher, Neil Champs. Your letter should be no more than two pages, detailing your experience to date and why you are the best candidate for the position. Completed applications should be returned by email to office@kewstokeprimaryprimary.co.uk

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