

Dickens Heath Community Primary School

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After school playworker – SEND support

Contract: 6.5 hours per week. Monday to Wednesday – 3:30-5pm - Term time only, initially until July 2025

Salary: Band C £22,737-£23,500 pro rata depending on experience.

We are seeking to appoint an excellent Playworker, to provide specific support to identified SEND pupils, joining our experienced and passionate before and after school provision – Acorns. You will be supporting an individual child/ children (as required), who has an identified special educational need, including Downs Syndrome or Autism. The role will entail you providing specific support for children’s communication, social interaction and play skills, as well as providing support for children’s self-care and toileting needs.

Dickens Heath is a ‘welcoming, busy and joyous place to be. It is a community school in name and nature. Pupils have many opportunities to develop personally and academically,’ (OFSTED, April 2022). If you are interested in working in an exciting, forward thinking school which is built on a belief that every child is an expert at something and are committed to helping children develop to be the best versions of themselves, then we would like to hear from you.

Candidates need to be:

- Committed and enthusiastic.
- Excellent practitioner with high expectations.
- Able to work as part of a team and using own initiative
- Friendly, approachable and flexible.
- Organised and have good interpersonal and communication skills.

Dickens Heath offers:

- A school full of bright, eager, sociable young learners.
- A school that is receptive to creative thinking and innovation.
- Supportive parents, grandparents and carers.
- A talented, supportive and professional team of staff.
- A happy and inclusive working environment.
- Outdoor learning opportunities through our onsite farm and forest school.

Closing Date: Midday on Wednesday 4th December 2024 Interviews: Tuesday 10th December 2024 Start date: January 2025

If you require any more information please contact the School Office on: 0121 733 8359 or email office@dickens-heath.solihull.sch.uk

If you do not hear from us by midday on Friday 6th December 2024 then please assume on this occasion that unfortunately you have not been successful. Thank you.

Dickens Heath Community Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff to share this commitment. An enhanced DBS will be required for this position.



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