

Vacancy for Teaching Assistant



SHIRLEY HEATH JUNIOR SCHOOL

| TERM | SALARY | HOURS |
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| Fixed Term for the remainder of the academic year 2024-25 (to start as soon as possible) | Band C £25,992 to £28,624 pro rata Actual salary £19,085 to £21,018 | 31.00 hours per week 8.15am – 3.00pm (Tuesday) 8.15am – 4.00pm Term Time only |

We are looking for a highly motivated and enthusiastic individual to support the class teacher in promoting an environment suitable for the educational and social needs of children at various stages of development, in order to help them attain their potential.

The role includes:

- Assisting pupils with integration into the normal routine of the classroom.
- Supporting pupils within a whole class, group or 1:1 setting.
- Assisting in the implementation of programmes designed by other professionals such as educational psychologists, and speech and language therapists.
- Contributing to the overall ethos, aims and work of the school, working with colleagues to develop a positive learning and working environment.
- Supporting and supervising children outside at lunchtimes.

Shirley Heath Junior School was judged by Ofsted in June 2009 & July 2012 as an OUTSTANDING SCHOOL. In October 2024 it was judged as OUTSTANDING in all four categories.

Solihull MBC and Shirley Heath Junior School are Equal Opportunities employers. The purpose of the Safer Recruitment and Selection Policy is to ensure that the School selects the most suitable person for the job based on merit, regardless of gender, race, sexuality, marital status, pregnancy or maternity, disability, age or religious belief.

Solihull MBC and Shirley Heath Junior School has a responsibility for and is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, young people and vulnerable groups. All employees and volunteers are expected to share this commitment and to obtain the appropriate level of Disclosure and Barring Service check (DBS) and where relevant workforce checks and safeguarding checks as appropriate.

With effect from September 2022 we will now be undertaking an online search on shortlisted candidates as part of the recruitment process.

If you are interested in the position, please send in an application form which is available from the school with a covering letter.

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**CLOSING DATE: Wednesday 5th February 9am
INTERVIEWS: Monday 10th March**