

Teaching Assistant

Closing date: Wednesday 25th February 2026 12 noon

Interview: Monday 2nd March 2026

Start - ASAP

Contract type- Term time only.

Fixed term until August 2027 (with a possible view to permanent)

Hours 31.25 (8.30-3.15 includes 30 mins lunch)

We encourage early application and reserve the right to close the post when enough or suitable applicants are found. Previous applicants need not apply.

A rewarding opportunity as a Teaching Assistant has arisen to start as soon as possible.

We are a dynamic & inclusive school providing a welcoming learning environment at the heart of the local community. We are looking to appoint highly motivated individual who will be enthusiastic about becoming part of our hard-working team and provide our children with a lifelong love for learning through a mixture of creative curriculum and a variety of learning experiences.

The main purpose of the role is to support the work of teaching staff and to assist in implementing pre-planned learning objectives with individuals or small groups, in and out of the classroom. Some of our children have complex additional learning needs and require 1:1 support and plans are adapted to cater for their needs.

We are looking for a Teaching Assistant who:

- Puts children at the forefront and supports our inclusive, supportive ethos.
- Is creative, dedicated and dynamic.
- Is reflective, open to feedback and driven to give of their best
- Is a dedicated team player and works well as part of a team
- Demonstrates optimism about children and expects the highest possible standards
- Understands best safeguarding practices

Applying for the job

CVs are not accepted, and Visas cannot be sponsored.

If this sounds like the exciting challenge you have been waiting for, please contact the school for further information or to arrange a visit.

Applications should be on the displayed application form and emailed to Miriam Doyle, SBM at sbm@stockham.oxon.sch.uk

Commitment to safeguarding

Stockham Primary School is committed to safeguarding and safer recruitment practice. Enhanced DBS clearance will be applied for and required for this position as well as Right to Work in UK evidence and a Fit to Work certificate. The school follows the safer recruitment guidance and references will be requested prior to interview. The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects staff and volunteers to share this commitment. All users are considered confidentially and according to the nature of the role and information disclosed. The successful post holder will need to adhere to confidentiality guidelines and safeguarding procedures.

Commitment to Equal Opportunities

SPS recognises the benefit of having a diverse workforce. SPS values the contributions from all staff from a wide range of different backgrounds and actively seeks to promote an environment that is free from discrimination and harassment and at the same time supports fair promotion and cultural acceptance. Under the provision of the Equality Act 2010 SPS welcomes applications from everyone and operates a recruitment process which is fair and does not discriminate against or disadvantage anyone because of their age, disability, gender reassignment status, marriage or civil partnership status, pregnancy or maternity, race or nationality, religion or belief, sex, or sexual orientation.

This role is UK-based and your right to work will need to be established as part of the appointment process.

This role is based in the UK. Employment is conditional on confirmation of the right to work in the UK - either as a UK or Irish citizen, under the EU Settlement scheme or having secured any other relevant work visa. If you do not have the right to work in the UK and the role does not meet eligibility for sponsorship, please consider carefully whether you meet the eligibility to apply. If you are currently living overseas or have lived / worked overseas in the last five years please be aware that you will be required to provide an overseas criminal records check from the country/countries you have resided in, if you are the preferred candidate for the post.