



Camelford Primary School

ARB Learning Support Assistant

Grade C – Salary £7,211 (£17,842 Full time equivalent)
18 hours, term time only

Camelford Primary School, the school 'where every person matters' is looking to appoint a committed and outstanding Learning Support Assistant to work in its highly successful ARB (Area Resource Base). Our ARB is small, collaborative and is the learning centre for 10 children with moderate to high additional needs. Our pupils in the ARB have a wide range of education and medical needs so we are ideally looking for someone who has experience. However, this is not essential as training will be provided. All of our pupils at Camelford Primary are valued and respected while we strive to support our pupils to meet their full potential.

About the role: This role is ideal for those who genuinely have a passion for helping children, particularly with additional learning needs. Due to the wide range of both education and medical needs, the ARB can be fast paced, intense but extremely rewarding. A good level of fitness is required. The basis of the role is a permanent variable contract based on 18 hours per week initially (Monday to Wednesday, 8.45 till 3.05pm with alternate 1 hour per week for staff training) during term time only, with the potential of the hours increasing in the future.

What does the role involve?

This role will involve providing a comprehensive support service to pupils including:

- * Assisting pupils with their educational and social development, on an individual and group basis
- * Providing physical/medical support to pupils when needed
- * Providing support for individual pupils when attending inclusion
- * Assisting teachers with the maintenance of pupil's records
- * Building and maintaining successful relationships with pupils, whilst treating them with respect and consideration
- * Delivering a personalised curriculum for each pupil's learning
- * Working together with families and other agencies to ensure every pupil is valued, challenged and supported
- * Having the highest expectation that every pupil will make sustained academic and personal progress
- * Ensuring that every pupil is ready for the next steps in their learning and is supported to participate in, and contribute to, life in modern Britain

Each and every member of staff, regardless of their position or seniority, is expected to participate in the overall running of the school and to act as a positive role model for our students. In and out of the classroom you will encourage and promote positive behaviour and effectively manage any situation that threatens to impact on the progress of other pupils.

What are we looking for in you? Applicants will ideally have previous experience of working with children with additional needs, either in an academic setting or as a voluntary worker. You will be educated to GCSE level (or equivalent) in literacy and numeracy. You will be committed to personal

learning and development, and have a sincere commitment to sharing our long-term aims and drive for continuous improvement.

In return, we will offer you a professional and supportive team, a state of the art working environment and a genuine opportunity to develop.

At the North Cornwall Learning Trust, we feel it is important to hire for the right attitude which is why we look for Support Assistants that are enthusiastic, focused and resilient to the day to day pressures that the classroom brings.

We are committed to safeguarding children and the successful applicant will be required to undertake an Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check, and will be assessed against the Childcare Disqualification Regulations.

To apply please email secretary@camelford.cornwall.sch.uk for an application form.

Closing date - Midnight on Sunday 21st November 2021