



## Learning Support Assistant – The Federation of Elson Infant and Gomer Infant School

(based at Elson Infant School)

- **Closing Date: Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> (Noon) October 2021**
- **Interview Date(s): Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2021**
- **Job Start Date: ASAP**
- **Contract/Hours:** Fixed Term to August 22 with genuine possibility of extension to permanent
- **Salary Type:** Support Staff
- **Salary Details:** Grade B or Grade C depending on experience/qualifications
- **Hours of Work:** Full Time
- **Contact e-mail address: [j.baker@elsoninfantschool.co.uk](mailto:j.baker@elsoninfantschool.co.uk)**

### Job/Person Summary

**Are you looking to work within a supportive and enthusiastic team who have the children's interests at the heart of all they do?**

We are looking for someone who is passionate about working with children, is cheerful and patient, and is excited to really make a difference to our children.

The role will be working as a class Learning Support Assistant 5 days per week, but may also include opportunities to carry out tasks working with groups or 1:1 within the year group, under the direction of the classteacher and year leader.

You will have the opportunity to work within a talented and supportive team. Previous experience is desirable but not essential, and further professional development opportunities will be available.

### **We are looking for somebody who:**

- Has the children's needs at the heart of all they do
- Is flexible
- Is able to use their own initiative
- Can work as part of a team
- Is happy to think creatively to adapt to the needs of the children
- Is a good communicator and is happy to give and receive feedback
- Is positive, warm and friendly

### **We can offer you:**

- A supportive team who work hard but know how to have fun
- A Federation that will help you grow professionally and look to support with CPD needs
- Fantastic children who make us want to come to work every day
- Opportunities for partnership working across a Federation of schools
- A supportive community

The post requires the successful applicant to keep accurate records and work with the Class Teacher, Support Staff, SENCO, Outside Agencies and Parents/Carers. Applicants should therefore have excellent communication skills and have a proven record of working effectively as part of a team. The successful candidate will be offered the appropriate support and training for the role.

### **Application Procedure:**

Visits to the school are warmly welcomed. Please email [j.baker@elsoninfantschool.co.uk](mailto:j.baker@elsoninfantschool.co.uk) to arrange a socially distanced visit to the school and to be sent a copy of the role profile and application form