

POST TITLE: Learning Support Assistant for a pupil with a visual impairment

SCHOOL: Greenways Primary School

The post will involve, but not be exclusive to, the following:

Support for pupil

- To work with individual pupil or small groups on various aspects of the social and academic curriculum under the guidance of teachers.
- To promote the inclusion and acceptance of all pupils within the classroom, promoting independence and building self esteem and emotional resilience.
- To implement planned learning activities/teaching programmes as agreed with the teacher, adjusting activities according to pupils' responses and needs.
- To respond to the individual needs of pupils and use knowledge and skills to support pupils' learning and individual learning styles.
- To assist in ensuring optimum access of pupils within the classroom and wider school environment with reference to school's environmental audits.
- To attend to children's personal needs to include help with social and health needs and simple first aid

Support for teachers

- To work in partnership with class teachers to ensure that the pupil's individual needs are met.
- Develop, prepare and/or modify materials to support learning.
- To reinforce learning.
- To liaise regularly with teachers to provide feedback and keep records as necessary.
- To meet with teachers to enable planning and preparation for lessons.
- To create and identify resources to support social, emotional and academic learning.

Support for the School

- To assist with activities outside the classroom including supervising children on visits, in playgrounds and dining areas or as required
- To be aware of school policies and procedures, including those relating to special educational needs, safeguarding, behaviours and confidentiality
- Attend relevant training relating to role within the school and take responsibility for own professional development.

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Support with the curriculum

- To be involved in activities which will promote the inclusion of all children within the class.
- Such other duties allocated at the discretion of the Head Teacher, Deputy Head Teachers, Assistant Head Teachers, SENCO or teachers to meet the needs of pupils and the circumstances of the school, commensurate with the grade of post.