

1:1 Teaching Assistant

Bowness-on-Solway Primary School
Bowness-on-Solway, CA7 5AF

Salary: PCD5 £21,968 based on 37 hours FTE pro rata

Start date: As soon as possible.

This position is initially for 19 hours per week (spread across four days) during term time only. It is a fixed term position until 31st August 2024 although there is a high likelihood of it being extended for a number of years as it is linked to EHCP funding.

This is a rare opportunity to join the team at Bowness-on-Solway School – a small, welcoming and highly-desirable rural school in a beautiful location.

We are seeking to appoint a teaching assistant to work predominantly on a 1:1 basis with a pupil entering key stage 1, but also supporting pupils on the whole. We are looking for someone who is well-motivated and driven to deliver high-quality learning as part of a friendly and dedicated team.

The successful applicant will be:

- Suitably qualified to work with pupils over 5 years of age;
- Enthusiastic, dynamic and committed to supporting pupil outcomes;
- Willing to support the class teacher with planning, resourcing and assessment;
- Suitably skilled in maths and English.

We welcome applications from new and experienced teaching assistants.

Bowness-on-Solway Primary School is accessible from Carlisle, Wigton and the surrounding areas. It is set in a stunning rural location with open and uninterrupted views of the Lakeland fells and access to the beach on the idyllic Solway Firth. The school boasts a wealth of outdoor space including our own forest and pond areas. The school was judged to be 'good' by Ofsted in 2021.

We are a very small school where pupils aged 3-11 are taught in three small classes. The atmosphere is unique and is more like a family, with everyone being kind, caring and welcoming to all.

Behaviour is exemplary and staff are supported to be happy in their roles and to achieve the highest standards. *Pupil* well-being is achieved through *staff* well-being – this is a priority of the headteacher and governors.

You are very welcome to visit the school for a tour and an opportunity to ask any questions. Call the school office on 016973 51384 to arrange this.

Application forms and further information are available from:

office@bowness-on-solway.cumbria.sch.uk

016973 51384

We encourage you to have a look at our website and our Facebook page:

www.bowness-on-solway.cumbria.sch.uk

www.facebook.com/BownessSchool

Bowness-on-Solway Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of its pupils and expects all staff to adhere to this. The successful candidate will be required to undertake an enhanced DBS disclosure and references will be sought.

Closing date for applications: Midday on Tuesday 16th May 2023

Shortlisting: Tuesday 16th May 2023

Interviews: Monday 22nd May 2023