



Meadowbank Primary School & Atherton Start Well Centre

'Together we are better'

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Job Overview

Employer: Wigan Council

Location: Meadowbank Primary School and Children's Centre

Salary Grade: G4 + SEN allowance = G5

Working Pattern: Term time only

Working Hours: 32.5 hours

Contract Type: SEND Teaching Assistant

Closing date: Monday 12th July 2026 - midnight

Job Type: Education School based, Support Staff

Interview Date: Wednesday 15th July 2026

NOR 210 plus 52 place nursery

September 2026

Teaching Assistant L3

Do you have a love of learning? Do you want to inspire future generations? Are you passionate about making difference? If so then we would love hear from you. We have an exciting opportunity for the right person to become part of our teaching assistant team at Meadowbank Primary School. Meadowbank is a unique mainstream primary school that has an onsite Family Hub Centre, an 8place SEN unit and a resourced KS1 and KS2 provision integrated within the main school. Leaders wish to appoint an innovative, ambitious and forward thinking person, to work in partnership with the Leadership Team with our SEND unit at our successful and happy school.

We are looking for somebody who:

- Wants to make a difference
- Has high expectations of children's achievement and behaviour;
- Is a passionate person, committed to helping raise standards of achievement for all pupils;
- Is committed to sharing best practice;
- Has a good understanding of classroom management and how to support learning;
- Has the ability to inspire and motivate colleagues and pupils;
- Is flexible in their approach, open to new ideas, a team player;
- Is someone who has an approachable manner, both personally and professionally, and a good sense of humour;

- Has excellent interpersonal skills and an ability to establish positive working relationships with colleagues and pupils;
- Is enthusiastic about parental and wider community links, and able to build positive relationships with families;
- Takes an active part in all aspects of school life - willing to go the extra mile;
- Places safeguarding at the heart of their teachings.

If that sounds like you, then you could be working for a school which is:

- A very welcoming, good school with the capacity to be outstanding;
- A place where you can thrive and grow;
- Full of dedicated, hardworking and talented staff;
- Blessed with well behaved, motivated and happy learners;
- Guided by committed and supportive Governors;
- Providing a genuine opportunity for you to make a difference;
- Committed to support and guidance through CPD and a wide range of experiences;
- An attractive and well-resourced learning environment;
- Led by a committed Headteacher and senior leadership team with a clear vision that prioritises wellbeing;
- Providing a unique opportunity to work in an inclusive school with a Resourced Provision.

Please visit our website at www.athertonmeadowbankblogs.net to find out more about our school.

Potential applicants are encouraged and warmly invited to visit Meadowbank Primary School - please ring 01942 874271 to book an appointment with the Headteacher.

Applications forms and further particulars are available from the School Business Manager, Mrs Jennifer Parkinson.

Email: bman@admin.meadowbank.wigan.sch.uk

Letters in support of applications should clearly indicate your suitability for this post and be no more than two sides of A4 font size 12.

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This post is subject to Enhanced Disclosure Procedures and a Children's Barred List check.

Wigan Council and the School Governing Body are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children.

