

# The Canterbury Academy Trust

## Schools for all the Talents



### Teaching Assistant Opportunities

The Canterbury Academy Trust is looking to recruit talented individuals as Teaching Assistants at our Secondary provision to support our students with their classroom learning.

**Secondary Roles** – 35 hours per week Mon - Fri (8.30am – 4pm), Term Time only + 5 Development days.

Salary Range WWF Band 4 FTE £21,389 - £22,493 (Depending on skills and experience).

**Actual Pay Range pro-rotta to hours and weeks worked £17,557.76 – £ 18,464.01**

We are seeking enthusiastic, caring, reliable and flexible members of staff to support students both within class promoting independent learning, and in small groups delivering interventions outside the classroom or with children with additional educational needs.

Applicants should be able to demonstrate evidence of good literacy and numeracy skills to enable them to communicate effectively with staff and students and provide effective and sensitive support. Experience of working with children and young people in a school or learning environment is preferred and applicants must be familiar with child development and be able to respond to the needs of individual students.

Candidates most suited to the post will have:

- Positive, friendly and enthusiastic personality
- Patience, care and respect for our young learners
- Knowledge of safeguarding issues and procedures
- Interest, experience or professional development in SEN/ ASD education
- A determination to help provide the very best inclusive education
- The ability to work as part of a dedicated and hardworking team with staff and parents
- Good written and communication skills of at least GCSE standard
- To hold a recognised teaching or teaching assistant qualification would be an advantage

We believe that education and learning should be enjoyable. At the end of their time with us, we want all our young people to leave as happy, positive, confident individuals, proud of what they have achieved and prepared for their next steps in life.

If you feel that you have the skills and experience that we are looking for and would like to be part of a supportive organisation that values its employees, then we would love to hear from you.

**Please note that this is a rolling advert which means that applications will be assessed upon receipt and suitable candidates may be called for interview prior to the closing date**