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Willow Tree Primary School

*Executive Headteacher: Miss M Slingsby
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Job Title: Teaching Assistant – Level 3 (possibility of 15hrs HLTA for candidates with appropriate experience)

School: Willow Tree Primary School, part of Three Saints Academy Trust

Grade: SCP 7-11

Contract Hours: 30 hours (44.6 weeks pa)

FTE Salary: £26,403 - £28,142 (pro-rata to hours)

Start date: October 2025

We are seeking to appoint a highly motivated, enthusiastic and talented teaching assistant to join our excellent primary school, and who shares our vision for providing a first-class education and instilling all our children with a love of learning. We are looking for someone who can work with our children to support a range of additional needs.

Who we are looking for:

We are looking for an exceptional teaching assistant who

- Likes working with children
- Is passionate and enthusiastic for learning
- Can establish good working relationships with children, staff and parents
- Can take direction and work on own initiative
- Can work as part of a team
- Promotes positive behaviour
- Is hard working and conscientious
- Is an excellent communicator
- Is organised and efficient
- Is friendly and flexible
- Is professional and positive
- Understands confidentiality

Willow Tree is a one form entry primary school which is on a journey of rapid improvement. We nurture and care for our children, placing our pupils and their families at the centre of our work. Our children are encouraged to be independent, creative and reflective learners who can self-manage, work within a team and effectively participate and communicate.

What we can offer you:

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- fantastic children with a positive attitude towards learning and excellent behaviour;
- the support of a dedicated, committed and creative staff team;
- the opportunity to be part of a school which is committed to improvement and striving for excellence in all areas;
- a Trust already established in developing practitioners and nurturing its staff because of its unrivalled opportunities for professional development through the North West Learning Partnership and NW3 Maths Hub which are within our MAT;
- an engaging, bespoke curriculum;



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- supportive School Committee, Directors and parents

The application pack is available on the Trust website: <http://www.three-saints.org.uk/index.php/vacancies/>. CVs will not be accepted.

Application Process:

School Visits: Visits to the school are encouraged and warmly welcomed. Please telephone to arrange an appointment (01744 678730).

Closing Date & Shortlisting: Friday 19th September 12pm

Interviews: Friday 26th September

The Three Saints Academy Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of its pupils and expects all those working within the trust to share this commitment. All offers of employment are subject to an Enhanced DBS check, and where applicable, a prohibition from teaching and barred list check will be completed for all applicants.