

**SEN LSA  
with PECS or Makaton Experience**

**Part Time Reception Class SEN LSA**

**School:** St Joseph's Catholic Primary School  
**Hours:** Monday – Friday 8am - 11:45am  
Term Time only plus 2 inset days  
**Contract:** Fixed term contract from September 1<sup>st</sup> 2020 to August 31<sup>st</sup> 2021  
**Salary:** JG3 /JG4 Depending on experience

An exciting opportunity to become a member of an enthusiastic and creative team in a church school at the heart of the community.

The governors invite applications from an outstanding SEN LSA. The person appointed will:

Be an excellent, innovative and creative LSA with speech and language expertise  
Share the vision of the governors and make it happen  
Be committed to developing a Catholic/Christian Ethos  
Be willing to enter fully into the life of the school and wider community.

The successful candidate will be a strong team player expected to work under the direction of the class teacher and from own initiative to ensure the best support of the class. Experience of working in a school and having a good understanding of how to support children with Special Educational Needs is essential.

The successful candidate will ideally be trained in PECS or Makaton and be able to engage effectively with children, staff and parents to nurture pupil development.

Whilst visits to site are not possible at the moment, all information regarding our school and this vacancy can be found on the school website at [www.st-josephs.org.uk](http://www.st-josephs.org.uk). Please download further details and a CES application form from the school website. Visits to the school are not taking place at the moment, please visit the school web site.

The school community of St Joseph's Catholic Primary is strongly committed to safeguarding the welfare of all its students and staff. Applicants are therefore asked to note that this post is subject to a DBS enhanced disclosure.

Job description and person specification can be found on the school web site along with the application forms.

**Closing Date:** Noon Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July  
(Applicants must use a Catholic Education Services Application form (available on the school web site), completed forms can be e mailed to the school office address)  
**Interview Date:** Week beginning 13<sup>th</sup> July, at this stage interviews may be held remotely.

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