



**The Roman Catholic Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle
In partnership with Bishop Wilkinson Catholic Education Trust**

Level 3 Teaching Assistant – Two required Grade E (SCP 8-11) £20,493 - £21,748 Pro Rata

**St Oswald's Catholic Primary School, Gateshead
Easington Avenue, Wrekenton, Gateshead, Tyne and Wear, NE9 7LH
Full Time, Permanent, Term Time Only**

Headteacher: Mrs T Musgrove

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Number on Roll: 191 + 14 in nursery

Required from: January 2022

St Oswald's Catholic Primary School, Gateshead is part of Bishop Wilkinson Catholic Education Trust, a family of 5 secondary schools and 32 primary schools from across Gateshead, Sunderland, Durham and Northumberland, in the west of the Diocese. The Trust will expand to reach a total of 48 schools by 2022.

An exciting opportunity has arisen for two Level 3 Teaching Assistants to join St Oswald's Catholic Primary School to start in January 2022.

We are looking for teaching assistants who will:

- Be passionate about assisting with teaching and learning, and ensuring that every child reaches their potential, at Times supporting children on a 1:1 basis who have higher needs or working with small groups
- Be happy to occasionally cover a class
- Be outstanding classroom practitioners with high expectations of pupils' behaviour and achievements

- Be willing to complete a First Aid course, if haven't already done so
- Have excellent interpersonal skills and a commitment to working as part of a team
- Play a full part in promoting the Catholic mission of our school.

We can offer:

- A strong Catholic ethos where everyone is valued
- Enthusiastic and friendly children who are keen to learn
- A strong commitment to continuous professional development with a network of support from Education Gateshead and the Trust
- Supportive and committed Governors and parents
- The chance to be innovative in supporting improvement within our school

How to apply

Application forms and further details are available from our website and the application should be completed online via <https://bishopwilkinsoncetrust.postingpanda.uk/>. For further details or to arrange an after-school visit, please contact Mrs Tracy Musgrove (Headteacher) on (0191) 4878641.

Closing date: Monday 29th November 2021

Shortlisting: Thursday 2nd December 2021

Interviews to be held: Week commencing 6th December

The board and the Diocese are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. This post is exempt from the provisions of the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act and is subject to an enhanced DBS check.

In compliance with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), we wish to ensure you are aware of the purpose for which we are requesting your consent to collect and process the data we have asked you to provide on this application form. For further information on the data we collect and the reasons for this, please refer to the 'Notes for Applicants' document.

Equality Monitoring

Applicants are not required to complete the Equal Opportunities Monitoring Form, however, if they do, they will be helping the school to fulfil its obligations under the Equality Act 2010.

The Equal Opportunities Monitoring Form will be used purely for monitoring and statistical purposes and will not form part of the application or the recruitment process. The persons involved in the recruitment process will not have sight of the completed Equal Opportunities Monitoring Form.

Emailed applications are acceptable

Due to the ongoing COVID-19 outbreak, the interviews for this position may be remote, therefore if you are able, we would encourage candidates to hand sign any documents which require signature and then email the scanned version to the school. Original documents should be signed as soon as circumstances allow.