**Learning Support Assistant (LSA) with pathway into teacher training**

**Start Date: ASAP**

The Governing Board is seeking to appoint an enthusiastic and well-qualified graduate to the post of Learning Support Assistant (LSA) with a pathway into teacher training. The successful candidate will spend time gaining valuable experience of teaching and learning through supporting students both in mainstream classes, as well as small group support sessions within the SEN Department.

Over the course of two years (or shorter for an exceptional candidate), the successful candidate will have access to a comprehensive and bespoke CPD programme developing their understanding of the principles of teaching and learning of children of all abilities. This training package and associated opportunities to gain teaching experience will give you a sound platform to move into teacher training in the school and becoming a fully qualified teacher in your chosen subject area.

St. John Fisher Catholic School, in Medway caters for all abilities and is proud of its strong and vibrant Christian ethos. The school is voluntary aided, within a selective unitary authority and falls under the guidance of the Education Commission of the Archdiocese of Southwark.

We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. The successful candidate will be required to undertake an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check.

Applications for this post should be completed using the ‘Support Staff Application Form’ clearly stating your suitability what you will bring to the role in the supporting statement in section 6.

**Salary**: **Medway Scale D2. £18,933 - £21,748 *(Pro Rata £16,429 - £18,872)***

**Closing date:                                  9th December 2021 at 3pm**

**Interviews held week beginning         13th December 2021**