

The Royal School

School Counsellor - Part Time Advert & Job Specification



Contract type Permanent

17 hours per week (Wednesday 12noon-4pm, Thursday & Friday 9am-4pm (0.5 unpaid lunch)

Term time only

Closing date 13th October 2023 (midday)

Proposed start date 1st November 2023

Salary (RWS Level 7) £21.57-29.13 per hour dependent upon experience and qualifications

The Royal School is seeking a highly motivated candidate with a Post-graduate Diploma or Masters-level qualification in Counselling or Psychotherapy, and an accreditation from a recognised CBT or counselling professional body to join this heavily oversubscribed day and boarding free school.

The candidate will have a demonstrable understanding of the developmental, emotional, social, and educational issues affecting young people from diverse backgrounds for pupils aged 5 to 18+ and staff.

The candidate will be expected to:

- Provide Primary and Secondary students and staff with individual counselling and support.
 - Work with the school nurse and wellbeing team to provide a collective approach to addressing barriers to progress.
 - Provide support and resources throughout the whole school to include but not limited to issues including bereavement and loss, transition, eating disorders and self-harm, depression and anger management, abuse of any kind, and anxiety/fears.
 - Understand confidentiality and reporting procedures.

This is an excellent opportunity for an experienced professional with a background of working with children and young people.

The Royal School has achieved excellent academic results throughout its history and has an outstanding reputation for nurturing and developing confident, well-disciplined, and successful individuals. We relish this next phase in its existence, which enables us to review and build on our current success in preparing our young people for a rapidly evolving world.

We hope that you will share in this passion for a broader educational opportunity.

Please complete and return your application to lcallaway@theroyal.school