## **Phoenix School**



49 Bow Road, London, E3 2AD 020 8980 4740

## SPEECH & LANGUAGE TEACHING ASSISTANT

Contract Type:	Permanent Term Time Only
Salary:	NJC Scale 4 TTO Actual Starting Salary £20,884
Working Arrangement:	8:45am – 3:30pm (35 hours per week Inc. one evening until 5pm & one evening till 4pm
Vacancy Hours:	35 hours
Closing date for all applications:	9am, Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> January 2022

We are looking to appoint experienced Teaching Assistants who will work within a class team and will have a key role in the implementation of Speech and Language programmes in the classroom.

## You will:

- Develop and prepare visual materials for therapy and classroom sessions.
- Work under supervision of a Speech and Language Therapist and a class teacher.
- Provide effective support to less experienced colleagues, modelling good practice.
- Keep written records of pupil observations.
- Assist in provision of training to staff and colleagues.
- Carry out general Teaching Assistant responsibilities.

The post will include extensive in house and external training, to help further develop your skills with the opportunity to obtain further qualifications in Language and Communication. There will be support and supervision from the Speech and Language Therapy Department.

Pupils are aged between 3 and 25 and make very good progress with access to a broad, balanced and enriched curriculum. We are accredited National Autistic Society School and have been praised for our creative approach to working with children with autism and with their parents. The school has won a number of awards including the NASEN Parental Engagement Award.

If you would like to discuss the post, please contact Ciara McCone ciara.mccone@phoenix.towerhamlets.sch.uk

The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The successful candidate will require an enhanced DBS clearance. We are dedicated to equality and valuing diversity.

## How to apply:

Application pack can be found on the school website www.phoenix.towerhamlets.sch.uk

Completed applications to be returned to: <a href="mailto:recruitment@phoenix.towerhamlets.sch.uk">recruitment@phoenix.towerhamlets.sch.uk</a>

Interviews & Assessment: Thursday 27th or Friday 28th January 2022