



LOUGHBOROUGH
Amherst School

The foundation of a rewarding career

THE LOUGHBOROUGH SCHOOLS FOUNDATION





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We believe, with some justification,
that there really is nowhere
quite like the Loughborough
Schools Foundation.



LOUGHBOROUGH
Amherst School

Boys & Girls 4 - 18 years



LOUGHBOROUGH
Nursery

6 weeks - 4 years



LOUGHBOROUGH
Grammar School

Boys 10 - 18 years



LOUGHBOROUGH
High School

Girls 11 - 18 years



We are a progressive, charitable Foundation comprising a Nursery, two complementary Prep Schools and three high achieving Senior Schools; The Grammar School for boys, The High School for girls and Amherst School, a non-selective, co-educational School, all sharing exceptional resources and one beautiful, extended campus in the heart of Loughborough.

Our Schools family embraces some 2,000 pupils and 750 staff engaged in giving and receiving an education to cherish.

An education where academic achievement is balanced by moral guidance, happiness, courtesy, opportunity and a tangible kindred spirit within which everyone is known, understood and valued.

Should you choose to apply for this important position, we look forward to welcoming you and helping you to discover more about the Foundation, its history and its future.



LOUGHBOROUGH
Schools Music



FAIRFIELD
Prep School

Boys & Girls 3 - 11 years





LOUGHBOROUGH Amherst School

Although our School's 168 year history is rich and diverse, our educational ambition is refreshingly clear.

With the welcoming of boys into our Senior School from September 2019, we will become Loughborough's only co-educational independent school for children aged 4 – 18 years. We are a non-selective School, dedicated to providing an environment where every pupil has the opportunity for long-term academic, spiritual and moral development.

Our small class sizes, amazing ratio of teachers to pupils, individual care and flexible curriculum allows us to cater for a range of abilities in a way that more selective schools or a larger school can't always match. This is a distinctively warm and welcoming community within which everyone is known

and loved. As one of our pupils so aptly put it, 'nobody is a nobody'.

We are proud of being a Catholic School, but we do not seek to impose any doctrinal beliefs. We welcome everyone and respect everyone for who they are. The School is home to Anglicans, Methodists, Muslims, Hindus and Buddhists, - as well as pupils whose home life is entirely secular. Our belief is that education is about the whole person and that spiritual and moral reflection are central to a person's growth, flourishing and happiness.

Our pupils are and always have been our best advertisement. Confident but not arrogant; ambitious but not materialistic and well-equipped to face the worst and embrace the best that life offers.

It is a happy state which can only be attained if our teaching staff and wider support team are as ambitious, passionate and supportive as our pupils. If you can contribute to helping us provide a rounded education of the very highest quality, to a quite wonderful group of pupils and parents, we very much look forward to receiving your application.

Loughborough and the East Midlands

Loughborough is a thriving university town of about 65,000 people (supplemented by 17,000 students in term-time) with a feel of a much larger conurbation. It has a strong sense of community and is very well provided for with amenities including two cinemas, museums, parks and a very wide range of shops and restaurants and a popular market on Thursdays and Saturdays. The three cities of the East Midlands (Leicester, Nottingham and Derby) are all half an hour away by car – less by train, and all include outstanding cultural and sporting venues. The town itself is surrounded by picturesque villages in the rolling Leicestershire countryside.

The East Midlands are extremely well connected to the rest of the country through an excellent network of transport links. Loughborough is 75 minutes by train from St Pancras in London, and the M1 lies only 3 miles from the town centre. East Midlands international airport is just to the North of the town. In addition, this is one of the rare regions in England where property prices remain at a relatively affordable level for teachers with young families.



THE POST

Learning Support Assistant (Year 3)



JOB DESCRIPTION

Duties:

- One-to-one support as laid out above. Working alongside the SENCO / Assistant SENCO and Class Teacher to ensure provisions as per the Top Up Funding agreement.
 - To provide wider class support as appropriate.
 - To prepare appropriately differentiated materials and resources for the funded child to promote access to learning and independence
 - To deliver 1:1 interventions and group interventions where needed, such as precision teaching, Power of 2, Toe by Toe etc.
 - To understand and use assistive technology, such as voice-to-text or text-to-speech apps to support the funded child.
 - To maintain a strong understanding of the developing and emerging needs of the funded child
 - To be an advocate for pupils with special educational needs
 - To help promote independent learning, build pupils' confidence and enhance self-esteem
 - To work as part of the wider staff team supporting pupils - liaising, advising and consulting where appropriate
 - To support liaison with parents, including giving feedback
 - Any other tasks as reasonably directed by the Headmaster
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- The role will involve supporting a Year 3 pupil with Top Up Funding (16 hours support).
 - The post is initially offered until July 2021 subject to Leicestershire County Council funding.



ESSENTIAL QUALITIES

We are looking for an individual who is passionate about working with young people and supporting their emotional and academic needs to join our Academic Support team.



DESIRABLE QUALITIES

- Experience of working with pupils with communication difficulties and/or dyslexia would be an advantage.



TERMS AND BENEFITS

- Working on a green and comfortable campus
- Car parking
- Use of leisure facilities
- Complimentary refreshments during the working day
- A complimentary lunch during term-time (dependent on your working hours)
- Discounted school fees are available for your children
- Cycle to work scheme
- Employer contributing pension scheme
- Employee Assistance Programme



HOW TO APPLY

Please visit our website <https://lsf.org/careers/vacancies/> and apply online by clicking the 'Apply Now' button.

