

# Stephen Hawking Primary School



## Teaching Assistant (SEND)

<b>Contract Type:</b>	Permanent and temporary posts from January 2023 (1 year fixed term)
<b>Salary:</b>	Point 3-4 according to experience
<b>Working Arrangement:</b>	31 ¼ hours per week, term-time only
<b>Closing date for all applications:</b>	Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> November – 9 a.m

Stephen Hawking School is an outstanding school (Ofsted - Oct 2019) for children with profound and multiple learning difficulties.

We believe in providing the very best for all our children by creating an aspirational, exciting learning community. Stephen Hawking Primary School is a fantastic place to work, offering a wide range of professional opportunity and support for every member of staff. We all share the ambition to do the very best for every child in our care.

Our soft federation with Harry Gosling Primary School enables the staff and children in both schools to grow and develop together and to learn from one another.

We are looking for talented individuals who have:

- Excellent literacy and numeracy skills and qualifications to at least GCSE or NVQ 2 (with a willingness to undertake further training at NVQ 3 level)
- High expectations of children's achievement and behaviour
- A sound understanding of how to support pupils with SLD/PMLD
- The commitment to working as part of a team, including liaising with our multi-disciplinary team
- High levels of initiative
- Good interpersonal skills to build successful relationships
- A willingness to work at either of our school sites
- The desire to make a difference!

Our school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. This post is subject to safeguarding DBS checks. We are dedicated to equality and valuing diversity.

The post holder will be required to work in any key stage at either of the Stephen Hawking school sites.

**How to apply:**

For details about how to apply, please visit the school's website to download the application pack. If you require any further information, or would like to visit the school, please contact us at [admin@stephenhawking.towerhamlets.sch.uk](mailto:admin@stephenhawking.towerhamlets.sch.uk) or 0207 423 9848 to book your place.

Please return your application to [admin@stephenhawking.towerhamlets.sch.uk](mailto:admin@stephenhawking.towerhamlets.sch.uk) marked for the attention of Jennie Bird.

Shortlisting date: Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November – 9 a.m

Interview date: Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2022 (We will only notify shortlisted candidates)