Higher Level Teaching Assistant (HLTA)
Required to start from 12th June

Our children are looking for a fantastic Higher Level Teaching Assistant (HLTA) to help them achieve our aims of academic, sporting and musical excellence.

Our motto is ‘Growing together in mind, body and spirit’. If you share this ethos, want to achieve high standards for yourself and for the pupils, then we are the school for you!

We have very well behaved and enthusiastic learners, a fantastic and involved school community, a strong team of staff, high standards, fantastic resources, and a fun and engaging curriculum. Apply now!!

What we are looking for?

We are looking for a Higher Level Teaching Assistant (HLTA) to work 30 hours a week (6 hours a day, not including a one hour lunch break).

Initially (but subject to change), you will be:

- Supporting KS1 children in the morning.
- Covering classes/PPA across the school in the afternoons.

The starting scale for this position is E 23 (approx £21,057). The maximum scale point for this position is E 28.

Ideally we would like the successful applicant to start on 12th June, but we can be flexible with this.

About the school – what you get from us

Please visit our website, view our blogs and our newsletters to get a good idea of what happens at our school……because there are always lots of things going on!

We are a growing primary school (10 classes) situated in the beautiful seaside location of Budleigh Salterton, Devon. Our locality has so much to offer: the seaside, the river, woodland, fantastic community groups and much more!

We are rated by OFSTED as a ‘good’ school, with improving standards and an aspiration to be a ‘great’ school.

Our site has lots of resources, including a swimming pool, an award-winning science garden, a large field and playground, and much more!
Our children are warm, polite, friendly and developing in a positive learning culture. We like to celebrate success and recognise achievements across the curriculum.

We are committed to providing our staff with opportunities to grow as teachers and as learners. You will be welcomed into a friendly, caring and experienced team of professionals. Our devotion to continual professional development means that we commit time to help every teacher/HLTA improve their teaching. You will receive a laptop and a tablet to help you manage your work.

We have a positive and reflective ethos. We provide as much time as possible to stop and think about our practice and pupils. We also have a policy to support the well-being of teachers. Our two NQTs rated their workload as 9 out of 10 (10 being very good!). Successful applicants will receive a thorough induction package, including regular coaching from a member of the Senior Leadership Team.

We strongly advise you to visit us for a tour with the Headteacher to enable you to get a real flavour for the atmosphere and vision for the school.

Please phone and book onto one of the following dates/times:
- Wednesday 19th April at 10:30am
- Thursday 20th April at 5:30pm.
- Monday 24th April at 6pm.

**Safeguarding**

St Peter's is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share in this commitment. Appointment is subject to an enhanced DBS check.

**Applying**

To help you with your application we have adapted the personal statement section of the application form to help us gather evidence against short-listing criteria. Whilst you do not have to follow this format, you can at least recognise what we are looking for. Please download the form from our website.

Please apply by emailing vlewis@sps1.org.uk with the completed application form (available on the website or through the school office). Please do not send a paper copy.

**The deadline is Wednesday 17th May at Noon.** Interviews will be held on Monday 22nd May.

If you need any further information please do not hesitate to contact me at vlewis@sps1.org.uk or 01395 443167.

**Thanks for your interest,**

Vicky Lewis, Deputy Headteacher