



Teaching Assistant – Queensgate Foundation Primary School

Location: East Cowes, Isle of Wight

Start date: 1st September 2026

Salary: 17,579

Contract: 30 hours per week term time only. Fixed term until 31st July 2027 with potential to become permanent.

Inspire, lead, make a Difference.

Queensgate Primary School is at an exciting point in its journey. With a renewed vision, a strong values driven culture, and a commitment to ensuring every child flourishes, we are looking for a Teaching Assistant to join our team.

About Us

At Queensgate, our values **Collaboration, Creativity, Courage, Curiosity and Compassion** sit at the heart of everything we do. We are building a culture where relationships matter, where behaviour is rooted in consistency and care, and where every child is known, valued, and supported to achieve their best.

We are proud of:

- A committed and caring staff team
- A strong focus on positive behaviour and restorative practice
- A developing curriculum that nurtures curiosity and ambition
- A warm, welcoming school community
- A clear vision for improvement and growth

About You

We are looking for someone who:

Required

- has a belief that all children can succeed
- has a child centred ethos
- has the ability to build great relationships
- is self-motivated and able to use own initiative

Desirable

- has experience supporting children with additional needs
- has experience supporting behaviour using positive restorative approaches

- has knowledge of visual supports, timetables and structured routines

What We Offer

- A supportive and forward-thinking leadership team
- A school with a clear vision and strong values
- Opportunities for professional growth and development.
- A chance to make a genuine difference in a school ready to thrive

How to Apply

We also encourage you to visit our school website and familiarise yourself with our school:
[Working together for a successful future | Queensgate Foundation Primary](#)

We will be delighted to receive your application. If you would like an informal chat or a visit to the school, please contact sbm@queensgateprimary.co.uk

**Application packs are available from the school website
www.queensgateprimary.co.uk**

Please complete all sections of the Application Form and ensure there are no unexplained gaps in employment. Any gaps in employment will require explanation.

Closing date: 1st July 2026 midday

Interview dates: 3rd July 2026

Proposed Start Date: 1st September 2026

Queensgate Foundation Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all staff to share this commitment.

The post is subject to an enhanced DBS check