

**LAKELANDS ACADEMY, Oswestry Road, Ellesmere, Shropshire, SY12 0EA**

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**We are hoping to recruit a successful candidate to the following position**

**Teaching Assistant Level 1**

**Grade 4 - scale point 5 £24,790 per annum pro rata, Actual salary £14,006 per annum**

**25 hours per week, term time only**

**Permanent**

We are looking for a Level 1 Teaching Assistant to join our dedicated team to work collaboratively with teaching staff and assist teachers in the whole planning cycle and the management and preparation of resources. The successful candidates will work with a range of students aged 11-16 years with special education needs and will be responsible for implementing a related personal programme.

We are seeking applications from individuals who:

* Have experience of working with children with SEN.
* Have good communication skills and the ability to relate well to students, staff and parents.
* Have the ability to supervise students effectively both in and out of school in line with the academy behaviour policy.
* Are willing to develop skills with further training.
* Can demonstrate patience and firmness with students.
* Are flexible and reliable and can demonstrate initiative, enthusiasm and commitment.

**Closing date – Midday, Friday 3rd January 2025**

**Interviews to be held – Thursday 9th January 2025**

*This position is exempt under the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974.*

This Academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. All appointments are subject to a satisfactory Disclosure and Barring Service check (DBS).

**Applicants should be aware that, as part of our safer recruitment due diligence, we might undertake online searches.**

**To apply for this position or for more information please contact Alison Skone or Hannah Young on 01691 622543. Please send your completed application form to** **finance@lakelandsacademy.org.uk** **or via post to the address above by the closing date.**