



Vacancy - Communication Support Worker

Grade:	The Circle Trust Grade 5 (£27,711 - £30,060 pro rata depending on experience)	Start Date:	4 th September 2025
Contract:	Fixed-term, term-time only	Hours:	30 hours per week

We are looking to appoint an experienced Communication Support Worker to support our deaf children. The Total Communication Base resource is a provision delivered across Emmbrook Infant and Junior schools. You will be joining a committed and enthusiastic team who have considerable experience of working with deaf children. Your role will be to provide communication and learning support to deaf pupils alongside and in consultation with other school staff. We are a total communication setting and communicate with children in their preferred method of communication.

The ideal candidate:

- will have a flexible approach to meeting the individual needs of each child
- will have a genuine enthusiasm and commitment for working with deaf children of all abilities
- will support the excellent provision currently delivered across both schools
- is highly motivated and would like to be part of our small, hardworking school family
- has excellent communication and organisational skills
- has British Sign Language Level 3 – Signature qualification
- is committed to team-work and maintaining high standards
- has high expectations for pupils' achievement, progress and behaviour
- will provide communication and learning support for wider school activities e.g. school trips, assemblies, productions, parents' evenings, meetings etc.

In return we offer:

- a welcoming and supportive school graded 'Outstanding' by OFSTED (2019 and 2025)
- a supportive and friendly team of staff and local advisors
- a strong ethos based on our shared values, high expectations and challenge
- the chance to be part of an excellent team
- a commitment to your professional development

Closing Date 12/05/2025. Applications will be considered on receipt and interviews can be arranged at short notice. This vacancy may close early if a suitable applicant is found.

Visits to the school are warmly welcomed.

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 an enhanced DBS Disclosure. We welcome applications from everyone and value diversity in our workforce.

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