

# Plymouth Cast Academy Trust

## St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

Head Teacher: Mr Neil McDermott BEng (Hons) MEd



'Together we will do  
our best for Jesus'

### TEACHING ASSISTANT

**30 hrs per week (8.20am – 3.20pm) (£22737 - £23893 Pro-Rata)**  
**Plus additional 30 minutes as a Mealtime Assistant**

St Joseph's Catholic Primary is a successful primary school located in Parkstone, Poole. Our recent OfSTED inspection recognised that we are a caring, inclusive and improving school.

We are seeking to appoint a Teaching Assistant to support children with specific needs within the classroom and in the playground. Due to the nature of the children's needs, some physical assistance may be needed to meet the children's daily requirements, full training will be given.

The successful candidate will need to:

- Appreciate the impact of complex needs on a children's well-being and learning
- Be able to follow direction but also use their initiative
- Be an enthusiastic, well organised and committed member of staff
- Have a calm patient manner
- Have good personal organisation and be flexible and positive in their approach with strong interpersonal skills.
- Foster positive relationships with all members of the school community.

Experience of working with a child with SEN needs would be an advantage, however full training will be given.

The successful applicant must undertake an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check prior to appointment.

**Closing date: Monday 16<sup>th</sup> September**

**Interview date: Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September**

Application pack is available on the school website:

<https://www.sjcpschool.co.uk/vacancies>

If you would like any further information please call Elizabeth Harding on 01202 741932 or email [eharding@sjcpschool.co.uk](mailto:eharding@sjcpschool.co.uk)

*St Joseph's Catholic Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.*

**Shortlisted candidates will be notified by email**

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