



Westerhope Primary School

Support Assistant Level 3

£26,403 – £27,254 per annum pro rata, actual £19,709 - £20,344 per annum

32.5 hours per week, term time

Part time patterns can be considered

Fixed Term Contract to 31 August 2026 with the possibility to extend

Required for as soon as possible.

Westerhope Primary School are looking to appoint a Support Assistant Level 3 who is passionate about ensuring the children in school reach their potential, and who wants to be part of a nurturing school where developing the whole child is our priority.

We are looking for someone who:

- has experience supporting children with SEND
- has experience supporting individual children and groups to achieve academically and socially
- has a passion for inclusion
- wants to join an ambitious and supportive team and will be flexible and adaptable
- will inspire and nurture our children

We can offer:

- the privilege of working with children who are eager to learn and have excellent behaviour for learning
- a caring and supportive school environment where we are always striving to improve our practice and support the development of our staff
- a passion for continuing to develop inclusive practice
- dedicated, innovative and supportive teachers, parents and governors.

We warmly welcome and encourage visits to school. To make an appointment, telephone the school office, on 0191 2674750.

Please note that in all cases written references will be taken up and made available to interviewers BEFORE the final selection stage; even if you indicate otherwise.

Westerhope Primary has Academy status and is one of eight schools within ONE (Owl North East) Trust, which is committed to providing the highest quality support for teaching and learning; the employer will be the Trust.

You will be based at Westerhope Primary School. At the request of the ONE Trust, you may be required to conduct your duties elsewhere to facilitate learning or social activities off the school premises. The Trust reserves the right to change your area of work, temporarily or otherwise, as may be required, subject to reasonable notice and prior consultation with you.

Safeguarding Statement

Westerhope Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

Successful applicants will be required to obtain 'an Enhanced check for Regulated Activity from the Disclosure and Barring Service'. As this post involves working with children, vulnerable adults or dealing with sensitive information, written references will be taken up and made available to interviewers before the final selection stage, even if you indicate otherwise. This post is subject to an enhanced DBS check and an online search for shortlisted candidates, as part of our due diligence.

You will be responsible for the safety and welfare of the children in your care in line with KCSIE 2025.

To obtain an application pack, please visit the school website [Home | Westerhope Primary School](#) 'About us' – 'Vacancies'.

All applications must be returned by post or delivered directly to school (not by email).

Closing date: Thursday 13th November 12:00pm

Interviews: Tuesday 18th November

Westerhope Primary School, Hillhead Road, Westerhope, NE5 1NE

