

CALTON PLAYGROUP

Playgroup Partner

Starting at £9.25 per hour

29 hours per week, Monday – Thursday, 8.45am – 3.15pm

And Friday, 8.45am – 1.45pm

Fixed Term until 31st March 2022

An exciting opportunity has arisen to join a dedicated team at Calton Playgroup, who are part of Calton Primary School. We are a large, vibrant and welcoming 3 form entry school with playgroup in the city of Gloucester.

We have an exciting opportunity for a qualified Playgroup Partner with experience to join our friendly and professional Early Years team. You will have a good knowledge of the EYFS, be motivated and enthusiastic with a positive approach and sense of fun. You will be happy to sing or tell a story in front of group, enjoy being outside in all weathers and not mind going home with paint in your hair/clothes. You will have your own group of key children aged between 2-5 years and be expected to use your initiative and to work well as part of our committed, supportive and hard-working team to support children to follow their interests, play, explore, thrive, learn and reach their full potential. If you are passionate about working with young children and their families we would love to hear from you.

The successful candidate must hold a Level 3 relevant Early Years qualification for the position.

The Playgroup Partner will support the learning, play and development of children aged 2-5 and be able to:

- Deliver high quality early years education with a good understanding of the Early Years Foundation Stage.
- Have excellent written and verbal communication skills.
- Complete and manage all paperwork for the learning journeys for their group and to observe and record their progress.
- Assist in planning.
- Work closely with families.

Children's needs will be at the heart of your work. You must be able to demonstrate that you understand the importance of educating the whole child, that you want the very best for them and are prepared to put their needs first. As an employer we can offer:

- A dedicated supportive staff team
- Enthusiastic children who always try their best
- Good CPD opportunities
- A supportive Governing Board

Please visit www.caltonprimary.co.uk to download job information and an application form. Completed applications should be emailed to sbm@caltonprimary.co.uk. Please note the School is closed from Friday 2nd April for Easter break, reopens on Monday 19th April and emails won't be answered within these times.

Closing Date: **Monday 19th April 2021 at 12pm**

Interview Date: **Friday 23rd April 2021**

If you haven't had a response to your application by Tuesday 20th April at 5.00pm, please assume you have been unsuccessful on this occasion but thank you for your interest in working with us. The interview process will involve a video call interview.

Calton Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people, and expects all staff, and volunteers, to share the same commitment. This position is subject to an enhanced DBS check.

