

## **The Montessori Place is looking for an Overnight Support Worker (Female)**

**We are based in Framfield, Sussex in a beautiful setting with around 30 young people attending aged 12-18.**

### **Summary of the role**

To offer, in the evenings and overnight, one-to-one support to a young person with special educational needs, within the residential setting of a Montessori secondary school. This young person has been at a Montessori school since she was 2 years old, and she is now 14. We are recruiting for an LSA to support her in the evenings, and overnight.

### **Times**

- Four nights a week (Monday to Thursday) 4pm to 8am the next morning.

### **Terms**

- £20,274.75 per annum (gross) paid in equal monthly instalments after PAYE.
- Accommodation in a pleasant single room with a view, and an adjoining bathroom.
- Meals during the school week are included.

### **MAIN AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY:**

#### **Direct work with the young person with special educational needs**

- To ensure the young person's safety and wellbeing through the evening and overnight.
- To support their self-care routines in the evening, at night and in the morning.
- To be available if they or other young people need support at night. This is rare.

#### **Evening responsibilities**

- Organise accessible activities for the young person, either on-site or off-site.
- Ensure the environment (rooms, materials/equipment, activities) serve their development.
- Ensure that the evening routines are conducive to their wellbeing.
- Help the other young people in supporting this young person.
- Consult with your line manager and co-workers on how best to do this.

#### **Observation**

- Observe what generates enthusiasm, joy and fulfillment in the young person.
- Observe what obstacles they meet and determine how best to navigate through these.

## **Other**

- Show through your own example what you aspire for in the young people.
- Provide reports both orally and in writing with regard to this work
- Other duties as appropriate to the post and as delegated by your line manager/ Director.

For an application pack please email - [esme@themontessoriplace.org.uk](mailto:esme@themontessoriplace.org.uk)