

Teaching Assistant Level 3

What will I learn?

- Comprehend appropriate levels of learning resources to identify and help address weakness, consolidate strengths, and develop individualised expectations.
- Understand the school's assessment procedures for benchmarking against targets set by the class teacher.
- The fundamental principles of first aid, safeguarding, safeguarding policies and child protection.

What skills will I develop?

- Develop strategies to support and encourage pupils to move towards independent learning.
- Foster and encourage positive, effective, nurturing and safe learning environments inspiring pupils to take pride in and learn from their individual achievements.
- Build appropriate relationships with colleagues, pupils, parents, adults and stakeholders.

What will success look like?

- Provide constructive and specific feedback and support pupils, helping them to achieve their maximum potential socially, emotionally, and academically.
- Putting children first; promote community cohesion and cultural diversity encompassing a full understanding of the school's ethos.
- Be diplomatic, a positive role model and maintain confidentiality.



Who is it for?

The Level 3 Teaching Assistant (TA) programme is ideal for anyone already working as a Teaching Assistant or looking for a career as a Teaching Assistant.

As well as the mandatory modules you will have the chance to specialise in one or more areas of your choice for example SEND or behaviour.

Entry Requirements

Learner must have experience in the role or similar roles and be employed as a Teaching Assistant Apprentices must have:

- Held a residency in the UK for the last three years.
- Apprentices aged 16-18 years must be able to complete Functional Skills Level 2 English and Maths whilst on programme if previously not secured a grade 4 (C) or above in GCSE English and Maths.
- Apprentices aged 19+ years have the option to complete Functional Skills Level 2 English and Maths whilst on programme if previously not secured a grade 4 (C) or above in GCSE English and Maths – this is no longer a mandatory requirement.

Funding

- £7000 for this 18-month course.
- 100% funded for those settings who pay into the Government apprenticeship Levy.
- 95% funded for non-levy setting, a 5% employer contribution of £200 per learner.
- An employer incentive payment of £1,000 is available for new apprentices aged 16 to 18 and those under 25 with an Education, Health, and Care Plan.

End Point Assessment

- Professional Discussion Supported by a portfolio of evidence.
- Observation with questioning in the workplace.

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