

# Heathlands School, St Albans

Required as soon as possible

This is a temporary post until July 2017 in the first instance but may be extended

## Part time Evening Support Worker

**Salary Range: H4**

**Salary Range for H4 £17,772-£19,430 pro rata (minimum hourly rate of £9.21)**

An exciting opportunity has arisen to join the staff of this outstanding, local authority special school for deaf children. We are looking for an energetic and motivated person to support with the delivery of our evening provision. This will include:

- Supporting students with activities to develop independence
- Supporting students in study club or with their homework
- Supporting students attending local clubs and activities including offering communication support to ensure their access.
- Planning for the special needs of any individual students
- General support for other activities in the Heath House, the schools' residential base.
- Keeping records to monitor the progress of students

A clean driving licence and willingness to drive school vehicles would be an advantage.

Candidates with qualifications and/or experience of working with children are invited to apply. The successful candidate will have:

- Good communication skills in English
- Good BSL skills essential
- Good organisational and time management skills
- Strong ICT skills
- The ability to relate to young people and establish strong, appropriate relationships
- Flexibility, initiative and common sense
- The ability to approach all tasks with patience and good humour
- Reliability and a commitment to work hard in the best interests of children

**20 hours per week term time only (Monday to Thursday 4pm – 9pm). Some negotiation around hours might be possible for the right candidate.**

Heathlands is committed to safeguarding pupils and this post will require an enhanced DBS check.

Application forms to be returned to:

The Head Teacher, Heathlands School, Heathlands Drive, St Albans AL3 5AY. Email:

[head@heathlands.herts.sch.uk](mailto:head@heathlands.herts.sch.uk)

**Closing Date: Friday 17 November 2017 at 12 noon**