



St Paul's Catholic Primary School

SEN Teaching Assistant (2 Posts)

Start Date: April 2026 - Grade C (Points 3–6) Temporary, Fixed-Term August 2026, Various Hours

The Governors of St Paul's Catholic Primary School are seeking to appoint two positive, inspiring and experienced SEN Teaching Assistants to join our dedicated team in April 2026. Situated behind St Paul's Catholic Church, our school is often described as a 'hidden gem' at the heart of the community. We are proud of our strong Catholic ethos, our supportive school family and our commitment to enabling every child to flourish both academically and personally.

Our Mission

From the youngest to the oldest, we are enabled to flourish in God's love, grow in faith and, with the guidance of the Holy Spirit, work to fulfil our God-given potential. We are looking for candidates who will make a meaningful contribution to the life of our school and positively impact pupil progress and wellbeing.

We Offer:

- A welcoming, inclusive school with a strong Catholic ethos
- Polite, enthusiastic and motivated children who enjoy learning
- A supportive and collaborative staff team
- A commitment to high-quality professional development
- A caring and nurturing school community

The Successful Candidates Will:

- Support and uphold the Catholic ethos of the school
- Have experience working with children with Special Educational Needs
- Be committed to creating challenge, creativity, excitement and independence in learning
- Demonstrate dedication to raising standards and improving outcomes
- Be excellent role models for our pupils
- Possess strong organisational and communication skills
- Be dynamic, resilient, hardworking and positive in outlook
- Work effectively as part of a team and build positive relationships with pupils, parents, governors and colleagues
- Demonstrate a reflective and evaluative approach to their practice

Visits to the school are warmly encouraged. To arrange a visit, please contact Karen Spellman, Senior Administrator, by email at admin@stpaulsplymouth.com or telephone 01752 365459.

Closing Date: 13 March 2026

Interviews: Week Beginning 16 March 2026

Shortlisted candidates will be notified by email.

St Paul's Catholic Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people. All staff and volunteers are expected to share this commitment. An enhanced DBS disclosure is required for this post.