Archdiocese of Birmingham



St. Gerard's Catholic Primary School and Nursery

Yatesbury Avenue, Castle Vale, Birmingham, B35 6LB

Headteacher: Mrs K Bannister



Grade 3 Teaching Assistant

Contract: 32.5 Hours per week. Term Time only **Salary**: Grade 3 £26,409 to £32,654 pro rata

Start Date: September 2025

The Governors are seeking to appoint a highly motivated and experienced Teaching Assistant to start September 2025. St. Gerard's Catholic Primary School is a successful, friendly school with a dedicated and committed staff team. We are a one-form entry school and currently have 236 pupils on roll.

We are seeking a practitioner who:

- Has NVQ Level 3 or equivalent
- Has a high standard of spoken English
- Is a practising Catholic or will fully support the ethos and practices of our Catholic school
- Shows initiative and is proactive in developing the learning of children at St. Gerard's
- Is committed to contribute fully on our journey of school improvement, going above and beyond to benefit our children
- Has excellent interpersonal and organisational skills to enable them to work well as a member of a hard-working family.

In return we are offering:

- A school that puts a culture of safequarding our children at its core
- A distinct Catholic ethos that underpins all that we do as a school
- 'St. Gerard's is a happy and harmonious community. Pupils get along together; they are thoughtful, polite and considerate. Pupils' behaviour is exemplary in lessons and around school.' (Ofsted, March 2023)
- A strong, enthusiastic and committed staff team
- A friendly and caring environment committed to providing the best possible experience for our children
- An opportunity to use your skills and develop professionally in a supportive environment
- A welcoming and active Governing Body.

The successful applicant will have demonstrated the potential to be an excellent classroom practitioner. They must be sympathetic to the Catholic ethos of the school and will be required to sign the Catholic Education Service contract.

Further information about our wonderful school is available on our website — www.stgerard.bham.sch.uk

Visits to the school are highly recommended and warmly welcomed, please arrange by contacting the school office on 0121 464 2613.

Application Packs are available from the school office or our website.

Closing Date: Friday 6th June 2025 (12.00pm)
Interview Date: Week Beginning 16th June 2025.

Saint Gerard's Catholic Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, young people and vulnerable adults and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. A Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) Check and Disqualification by Association statement will be required for the successful candidate and an online check will be undertaken.