Two TEACHING ASSISTANT

All Year Round Full time (Fixed Term Contract)

Nursery School and Children's Centre

Contract	**Full time**, fixed term ending 13th August 2027. Start date 1 January 2027 or as soon as possible thereafter. There is a possibility of a permanent contract from September 2027.
Pay	**Scale 3** (£32,112–£32,571). Starting annual salary of £33,258.35 (including additional hours outside term time)
Hours	**Term time:** Monday to Thursday, 8am–6pm. 36 hours a week. **Outside term time:** Monday to Thursday, 8am–5pm, and Friday, 8am–4pm. 41.30 hours per week

Help shape children's first experiences of education

What could we build? What happens if we try it another way?
At Wentworth, questions like these are part of everyday learning!
Wentworth is looking for **two** fun, energetic and playful practitioners to join our team!
We are an innovative maintained nursery school where children aged two to four are encouraged to be curious, have adventures and take supported risks through play.
We've just celebrated our 75th anniversary and would love to welcome you to our friendly, well-established team.
You'll build warm relationships with children, follow their interests and help create playful experiences that build confidence and independence. You'll work alongside experienced colleagues to make sure every child feels welcome and can take part.
The role includes working in our holiday playscheme, which runs for nine weeks across the year. We're looking for someone who enjoys working with young children, communicates clearly and takes initiative as part of a team.

Visit us and apply

Come and see the nursery in action and meet our Headteacher, Farzana Chowdhury.

For an application pack and to arrange a visit please contact the school's admin, Gill Hull:
Gill.Hull@wentworth.hackney.sch.uk

Visits to the school are on: Monday 30th December between 9.30 – 10.30am or 1 – 2pm

Closing date for applications: Wednesday 2nd December 2026 9am
Applications: Return your completed application forms to Farzana.Chowdhury@wentworth.hackney.sch.uk
Shortlisting: week commencing the Thursday 3rd December 2026
Interviews: Tuesday 8th December 2026 from 9am

Safeguarding and Safer recruitment

We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. You'll supervise children, follow our safeguarding procedures and report concerns promptly to the designated safeguarding lead.
This role involves regulated activity with children. It is an offence to apply if you are barred from that activity. Appointment is subject to satisfactory pre-employment checks, including references and an enhanced DBS check with a children's barred list check. Shortlisted candidates may be subject to online searches as part of our due diligence.
The post is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 under the Exceptions Order 1975 (as amended). Protected cautions and convictions do not need to be disclosed and cannot be taken into account.

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