

## **Job Advert**

### **Band 7 Children's Occupational Therapy Special Schools**

**Russet House School 0.6wte, 22.5hrs/week and**

**Durants school, 0.4wte, 15hrs/ week**

## **Job Overview**

We are a dynamic, friendly OT team who report high levels of job satisfaction. We offer a professionally led service with direct support from an OT Clinical Lead Specialist, monthly in-service team training, effective supervision and External Training opportunities through the Trust.

An exciting opportunity has arisen for a highly motivated Occupational Therapist who wishes to develop specialist skills in Paediatrics within a supportive team. We are looking for a creative, friendly and enthusiastic OT to join our established Children's Team. We are located within easy commuter links from central London/Hertfordshire.

This is a full-time post-split across Russet House School and Durants School OT team. Russet House is a primary school for autistic children. Durants is a secondary school for Autistic students. This is a new OT post, and you will have the chance to develop the service provision across the schools alongside 2 other OT colleagues. The role will include staff/parent training and class-based provision as well as specialist individual work. You will also be providing OT support to Russet House and Durants School families in the school holidays.

## **Main duties**

To work within Russet House School and Durants School OT school team to develop and provide Occupational Therapy services for students who attend Russet House School a maintained special school for autistic children, 3-11 years both at home and school Durants School a maintained special school for students with ASD, 11-19 years) both at home and school.

To develop and provide Occupational Therapy services for pupils who attend Russet House School and Durants School.

To provide high quality child centred, occupationally focused assessment and intervention to students and their families.

To work with the OT team and school Leadership to plan and develop the OT service into Russet House School and Durants school working at a Universal, Targeted and Specialist level.

To supervise and appraise junior staff and contribute to the local staff training programme.

The successful candidate will be committed to occupationally focused, family centred and evidence-based care.



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