

Fairlop Primary School

Lunchtime Play Team Member - required for an immediate start

Head teacher: Mrs J Berriman

Status: community school

Hours: 9.25 hours per week - 44.46 weeks per year – term time only

Salary: LBR Grade 1C Scale Point - 2 /£15.03 per hour

We are seeking to appoint an enthusiastic Play Team member to join our school to work with our established lunchtime play team.

Fairlop Primary School is a community school situated on a large, pleasant site in the London Borough of Redbridge, near the borders of Essex. Fairlop's overall aim is for all of our pupils to achieve the highest possible standards and fulfil their potential emotionally, academically and physically. We recognise that our pupils need to learn the skills to enable them to articulate themselves. Talk is at the core of our curriculum. This allows the children to be able to apply their knowledge and skills across a wide variety of rich learning experiences, which engage, inspire and challenge them. As an OPAL (Outdoor Play and Learning) school, Fairlop Primary uses a structured, mentor-supported program to improve the quality of children's play. Based on the fact that play makes up 20% of a child's school life, the program turns outdoor time into a rich environment for health, happiness, and social growth.

The successful candidate will be expected to have:

- Experience of working with children in a school or similar environment
- The skills to ensure high quality, safe supervision of children
- The ability to work within a team and communicate effectively

In return, we offer:

- A dedicated, friendly and hard-working staff
- Happy, well behaved and motivated children who enjoy learning
- A supportive Governing Body
- A well-resourced building with extensive grounds

Please visit our website www.fairlop.redbridge.sch.uk for more information about the school.

Application documents are available to download from the school website or this advert.

Completed application forms should be sent to admin.fairlop@redbridge.gov.uk prior to the deadline.

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

Closing date for applications: Tuesday 8th September 2026 - 12 midday

Interviews: Tuesday 15th September 2026

We are committed to promoting and safeguarding the welfare of children. All candidates will be subject to an enhanced DBS check, overseas checks where applicable and satisfactory references. See 'safeguarding information for applicants' document for details of checks. Applications will be kept on file for 6 months and will not be disclosed to any third party without the applicant's consent.