



Child and Adult Art/Play Psychotherapist/counsellor

To start May 2020 or earlier

2 days per week during term time. On an SLA contract basis.

Are you:

- Energetic, enthusiastic and hard working
- Passionate about working with pupils who have special needs
 - Conscientious and innovative
- Committed to working collaboratively as part of a multidisciplinary team
- Confident in dealing with children who may sometimes displaying challenging behaviours.

Parkwood Hall is a residential school for students aged 8 – 19 years with moderate to severe learning difficulties. Parkwood Hall aims to provide an outstanding and supportive learning environment which challenges students to achieve success. The core learning values, which are at the centre of the curriculum, focus upon developing the student's resilience and ability to make informed life choices.

Parkwood Hall Co-operative Academy special needs school has a great opportunity for an experienced and qualified Arts/play Therapist/Counsellor starting in May 2020. The therapist will be working for the school on a self-employed SLA contract basis for two days per week for 39 weeks per year in the school term time. We are interested to hear from suitably qualified, experienced therapists who have experience of working with children and young people with a range of special needs predominantly autism and communication difficulties and moderate to severe learning difficulties.

Applications and information can be found at www.parkwoodhall.co.uk under the 'work for us' tab or by sending your email address to Julie Calkin at info@parkwoodhall.co.uk stating the name of the vacancy.

Please note that CVs alone cannot be accepted.

Parkwood Hall Co-operative Academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Our Candidate Privacy notice can be found on our website.

This position is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 and an enhanced DBS Disclosure is required. Applications are invited from black and ethnic minority candidates and from men, as these groups are under-represented on the school's staff. (RRA sections 35-38 apply).

Closing date: 12 noon on Monday 20th April 2020
Visits to School: Thursday 2nd April 2020 2pm
Interview date: Tuesday 5th May 2020