



Llandoverly College

An independent day and boarding school for boys and girls from 3 to 18 years old, set in the heart of the Welsh countryside

Appointment of

Dyslexia Specialist

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Llandovery College



Gwell Dysg na Golud: Our Education is our Wealth

Llandovery College is one of the leading independent educational establishments in Wales. Comprising a Nursery School, Prep School and Senior School, our ethos is driven by pride, passion and performance. Our values are compassion, tolerance, kindness, integrity, generosity of spirit combined with a commitment to service and academic excellence.

Our pupils receive a bespoke academic education, tailored to excite and inspire young minds. We provide a stimulating and fulfilling learning environment where, in small class sizes, teachers have time to give children the individual attention they deserve. Our success and reputation are about getting the best academic results, alongside a rich and varied activity programme, allowing your child to exceed their expectations.

“Passionate about Sport. Serious about Education”

Home to around 250 pupils, aged 3 to 18, Llandovery College is a close-knit community of boys and girls, boarders and day pupils from Wales, and from all over the World.





Dyslexia Specialist

Full time/part time considered

A unique opportunity for an experienced Dyslexia Specialist.

Job Description

We are looking to appoint an experienced and enthusiastic Learning Support Tutor, with a specialism in Dyslexia, to join our Inclusion team and work with our Senior and Prep School pupils.

The role involves supporting and working with pupils with specific learning differences (SPLD) and special educational needs and disabilities (SEND). The successful candidate would be expected to design and deliver 1-1 and small group support for children with specific learning differences.



The successful candidate will ideally have experience of working successfully with young people, preferably with children who have ALN and Social, Communication and Sensory Difficulties, Dyslexia, and/or Dyscalculia. A qualification at a minimum of Level 5 for teaching children with Dyslexia is required.

What we can offer you:

As well as offering a competitive salary in line with Llandovery pay scales, entry into a pension scheme and the support of a dedicated and committed staff team, we can also offer you the opportunity to further develop your skills and talents with us.

The role will require a hard-working, enthusiastic individual who will be able to easily fit into a friendly and supportive team of talented and committed teachers who are focused and well-organised.

Interested?

If so, the main duties for this role are:

Key Responsibilities:

- To support pupils with specific learning differences (SPLD) and special educational need and disabilities (SEND) in Prep School and Senior School
- To design and deliver 1:1 and group support for children with specific learning differences.

Key Tasks:

- To design and deliver appropriate support to specific pupils as their individual or group needs require according to their Pupil Profile.
- To collate, reproduce, organise and adapt resources to fit the needs of designated pupils.
- To assist with communication between school and home and to attend meetings with colleagues and parents, relative to duties outlined in this job description.
- To assist in maintaining, monitoring and reviewing the records of pupils with specific learning needs.
- To use assistive technology to help the student in their learning and independence
- Using praise, commentary and assistance to encourage the pupil to concentrate and stay on task
- Liaising with class teacher, ALNCo and other professionals about individual development plans (IDPs), contributing to the planning and delivery as appropriate
- Providing additional nurture to individuals when requested by the class teacher or ALNCo
- Consistently and effectively implementing agreed strategies
- Helping to make appropriate resources to support the pupil
- Willingness to take on training in specialist fields
- To establish supportive relationships with pupil
- To promote the acceptance and inclusion of the pupil with SEND, encouraging pupils to interact with each other in an appropriate an acceptable manner
- Monitor pupil's responses to the learning activities and, where appropriate, modify or adapt the activities as agreed with the teacher to achieve the intended learning outcomes.

Llandovery College is an equal opportunities employer, we value diversity and are strongly committed to providing equal employment opportunities for all employees and all applications for employment.

Equal opportunities are the only acceptable way to conduct business and we believe that the more inclusive our environments are, the better our work will be.

Llandovery College is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

This appointment will be conditional on successful pre-employment and enhanced DBS checks



Applications

Applications should be sent to the Deputy Warden, together with a covering letter and the names, addresses, telephone numbers and email addresses of two referees.

For convenience, email communication may be used.

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