EASTBROOK SCHOOL

Breakfast Club Play Leader

Location: Eastbrook School – Primary Phase

Working Hours: Monday–Friday, 7:15am–9:00am (8.75 hours per week)

Contract: One-year fixed-term, term time only, with potential for extension or permanency

Start date: January 2027

Salary Grade: Scale 3 (Pt5-Pt6) £30,408 - £30,843 FTE – Subject to LBBD Evaluation and Grading

Pay (Hourly Rate): £16.66

Help our pupils Blast Off! to a brilliant start to their school day!

We are excited to be launching **Blast Off! Breakfast Club**, our new school-run breakfast club at Eastbrook Primary School, in January 2027.

Our aim is simple: to give every child a happy, healthy and positive start to their school day. Through a welcoming environment, a nutritious breakfast and a varied programme of fun and engaging activities, we want children to feel safe, settled and ready for the day ahead.

We are looking for **enthusiastic, caring and reliable Breakfast Club Play Leaders** to help us bring this exciting new provision to life.

About the Role

Working as part of a small, supportive team, you will help create a warm, friendly and enjoyable environment for children from Reception through to Year 6.

You will plan, organise and lead a range of age-appropriate activities, including games, arts and crafts, creative and physical play, encouraging children to participate, develop friendships and build confidence. You will help children settle into their morning routines, promote positive behaviour and ensure that everyone feels included and supported.

Alongside leading play and activities, you will be responsible for the safe supervision and welfare of children, maintaining accurate attendance registers, communicating with parents and colleagues, and ensuring children are safely handed over at the start of the school day.

Breakfast will be freshly prepared by our school catering team, allowing you to focus on engaging with pupils, supporting their wellbeing and making sure they have a great start to the morning.

Who Are We Looking For?

This role would suit someone who genuinely enjoys working with children and brings warmth, enthusiasm and creativity to everything they do.

You will be friendly, approachable and confident engaging with children of different ages and abilities, with the patience and understanding to create a calm, inclusive and positive environment.

We are particularly interested in candidates who:

- Enjoy organising and leading fun, creative and engaging activities for children.
- Have a caring, nurturing and positive approach to supporting children's wellbeing.
- Can build good relationships with pupils, parents and colleagues.
- Are organised, dependable and able to maintain accurate records and follow school procedures.
- Work well as part of a team, using their initiative and responding flexibly to children's needs.
- Are committed to keeping children safe and promoting positive behaviour.

Previous experience working with primary-aged children, in childcare or in a breakfast or after-school club would be an advantage, but is not essential. The right attitude, enthusiasm and ability to engage positively with children are just as important.

Full induction, training and support will be provided, including safeguarding, paediatric first aid and food allergy awareness.

Why Join Us?

This is an exciting opportunity to be involved in establishing a brand-new provision at Eastbrook Primary School and to make a real difference to how children begin their school day.

You will become part of a welcoming school community, helping to create a breakfast club that children look forward to attending and where they feel happy, valued and ready to learn.

The position is initially offered on a one-year fixed-term contract, with the possibility of extension or a permanent appointment, subject to the ongoing sustainability of the breakfast club provision.

Interested?

For further information or to request an application form, please contact **jobs@eastbrookschool.org**.

Closing date: 30 November 2026

Interview date: To be confirmed

Apply via My new Term: https://mynewterm.com/jobs/101243/EDV-2026-ES-30265

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