

Teaching Assistant Level 3

Fully-funded programme for both new and experienced Teaching Assistants committed to helping children with their educational and social development, both in and out of the classroom



Why is this course for you?

Teaching Assistants play an important role in our schools. They support the class teacher to enhance learners' progress and development. This programme will support participants to develop and improve the skills necessary to support every child to learn and thrive. This course is for you if you're looking for job fulfilment and/or opportunities for career progression.

What qualification will you gain?

Participants on this programme will gain a Teaching Assistant Level 3 apprenticeship qualification.

What will you study?

This programme covers a wide range of knowledge, skills and behaviours that will enable participants to contribute to the overall ethos and aims of the school, implement safeguarding policies and safe practice, work in partnership with other professionals, critically reflect on practice and engage in professional development, understand specific learning needs and support the social, emotional, mental health, wellbeing and personal care of all learners. Participants will also learn how to effectively deliver individual and small group teaching, contribute to assessment and planning, and to support or lead enrichment activities for example visits, out of school activities and in school clubs.

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Examples of module content

- Safeguarding and safe practices
- Providing effective feedback
- Stages of child development
- Learning, assessment and feedback cycle
- Assessment for learning
- Curriculum intent, implementation and impact
- Scaffolding and questioning
- Types of learning intervention

Teaching, learning and assessment

This is an 18 month qualification followed by an assessment period. Teaching includes face-to-face conference days, remote tutorials, work-based learning activities, presentations and online learning. In addition you will be supported by a work-based mentor and tutors. Progress is measured through a virtual portfolio consisting of assignments, evidence of professional competence in work-based situations, and observations that demonstrate application of the knowledge and skills gained. There are no written exams.

End Point Assessment (EPA)

Following 18 months on-programme, participants will undertake an End Point Assessment (EPA). This will consist of an observation with questioning, followed by a professional discussion underpinned by a portfolio of evidence. Upon successful completion of the EPA, participants will be awarded a Teaching Assistant Level 3 qualification.

English and maths requirements

Participants without level 2 English and maths will need to achieve this level prior to taking the End Point Assessment. For those with an education, health and care plan or a legacy statement, the English and maths minimum requirement is Entry Level 3.

Entry requirements

- Completion of an entry assessment and achieved a pass in English and maths initial assessments
- Employed in a job role in which day-to-day responsibilities support achievement of the qualification. For example, a Teaching Assistant or HLTA.

Eligibility criteria

- Aged 16+ at the time of enrolment
- A citizen of the UK or EEA, or has lived in the UK or EEA for the past three consecutive years
- Employed full time, working a minimum of 30 hours per week
- A participant may be ineligible for funding if they hold a higher level qualification in the same area of study. LETTA can advise candidates as to eligibility.

Programme start

The programme start date is October 2023.

Express your interest

Applicants can submit an expression of interest form via our website, and a member of the team will get in touch:

<https://letta.org.uk/train/apprenticeships/>

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