



Wadham Words



Learning Support Assistant Vacancy

We seek an energetic, positive individual, who values young people and their learning to contribute to an already highly skilled and successful team. The role involves supporting students individually, in class and in small groups across a variety of subjects. Experience of supporting people with medical conditions and social and emotional and mental health needs would be advantageous.

30 hours per week, term time plus INSET

8.30am – 3.00pm (plus attendance at departmental meeting on Mondays after school)

Actual salary: £ 12,433 - £12,682

For further details/application form, please see the school website www.wadhamschool.co.uk

Closing date: Monday 10 February 2020, 9 am

Please note: These posts require a criminal background check via the disclosure procedure

January Talent Academy Round-Up

TalentEd

January has been a busy month for our students attending the Talent Academies. Our students on the Year 10 Manufacturing Academy had a great first trip to Numatic in Chard. The organiser said "Just to say what a credit to Wadham the students were and delightful to take around Numatic". The students were privileged to see the many roles within the company and got to talk to employees about their experience of working there. We also had a group of Year 10 students who attended their second Nursing and Health Academy. They were able to explore different professions within the NHS including Medicine, Midwifery, Learning Disabilities, Plastering and Library (Healthcare Resources). Year 10 students on the Tomorrow's Teachers Academy spent an afternoon at Westfield Academy exploring secondary teaching. In return, Wadham hosted 4 pupils from Preston School Academy who spent the afternoon at Wadham shadowing some of our teachers and developing their own lesson.

Dates for your diaries:

Inset Day Friday 14th February

Bistro Lunch Specials

Monday – Beef Burger with Potato Wedges & Baked Beans

Tuesday – Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes & Vegetables

Wednesday – Beef Lasagne & Garlic Bread

Thursday – Cottage Pie & Vegetables

Friday – INSET DAY

All at £2 each and served either on a plate or in a biodegradable pot

Bus Delays and School Closures

Please remember that students should aim to arrive at the bus stop 10 minutes before their bus is due and wait.

If in bad weather, or for other reasons, a bus is late, students must wait for 20 minutes after their normal pick up time. Please ensure that appropriate clothing is worn for cold and wet weather.

Please remember it is important that all reasonable steps are taken to get your son/daughter to school.

If school is closed parents will be notified as follows;

- A text/email via ParentMail
- School website
- Twitter feed





Jamie Torrance and Isabelle James report on a new collaboration between Wadham Sixth Form and Richard Huish Sixth Form.

We are sixth form students studying English Language at A-Level. We chose this subject as we believe that it is a useful subject and will help us in securing our future careers. We also enjoy the concept and general study of English, so we share a common interest in the subject as well.

In December we were paired with two English Language students from Richard Huish. This was done so that we could both receive support and advice during our linguistic studies from students whom have already completed the first year of the English Language course.

We exchanged biographies in order to learn more about each other and why we chose the subject. One of our first tasks was to create a Christmas card based on a language topic. Jamie chose to create a newspaper regarding pragmatics and I chose to create a Christmas card containing all of the maxims of H.P Grice, a linguist.

We then completed an exam question in class on spoken language which we emailed to our mentors. They then completed the same exam question and we exchanged them and marked each others.

We are currently working on a mini language investigation which we will share with our mentor so that we can have another which will extend our ideas and push us to the best we can do. So far the mentoring link between Huish and Wadham has proven very beneficial; we have had great responses and had fun whilst communicating.



Well done to Wadham Students who raised £380.00 on their non-uniform day (Friday 24th January) which will be donated to the WWF Australian Bushfire Emergency Appeal .

Our thoughts and prayers go those affected by the bushfires.

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**WADHAM SCHOOL – Lunch-time & After School Clubs
Spring 2020**

	<u>MONDAY</u>	<u>TUESDAY</u>	<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	<u>THURSDAY</u>	<u>FRIDAY</u>
BREAK 10.50	READING AND BOARD GAMES-LIBRARY (10:50)	READING AND BOARD GAMES-LIBRARY (10:50)	READING AND BOARD GAMES-LIBRARY (10:50)	READING AND BOARD GAMES-LIBRARY (10:50)	READING AND BOARD GAMES-LIBRARY (10:50)
LUNCH 1.10	SCIENCE DROP IN A11 (1.15pm) HOMEWORK SUPPORT ENGLISH DROP IN-LIBRARY (1:15) WEEK A READING AND BOARD GAMES-LIBRARY (1:15) Y11 GCSE COMPOSITION AND PERFORMANCE DROP IN - A09 YR 11 GCSE FRENCH-C02 Y11 GCSE GERMAN DROP IN B24 TIME TO TALK-CHAPLAINCY SPACE (1:15) TABLE TENNIS- ALL YEARS	SCIENCE DROP IN A11 (1.15pm) HOMEWORK SUPPORT READING AND BOARD GAMES-LIBRARY (1:15) MUSIC CHOIR-A09 Y11 GCSE GERMAN DROP IN B24 YOUNG REPORTERS PROJECT-C21 (1:15) BADMINTON- ALL YEARS	SCIENCE DROP IN A11 (1.15pm) HOMEWORK SUPPORT ENGLISH DROP IN-LIBRARY (1:15) WEEK A READING AND BOARD GAMES-LIBRARY (1:15) BOOK CLUB-LIBRARY (1:15) Y11 GCSE GERMAN DROP IN B24 MUSIC TECHNOLOGY CLUB IN B02 BASKETBALL- ALL YEARS BADMINTON- ALL YEARS	SCIENCE DROP IN A11 (1.15pm) HOMEWORK SUPPORT READING AND BOARD GAMES-LIBRARY (1:15) TIME TO TALK-CHAPLAINCY SPACE (1:15) Y11 GCSE GERMAN DROP IN B24 CRICKET- ALL YEARS	SCIENCE DROP IN A11 (1.15pm) HOMEWORK SUPPORT ENGLISH DROP IN-LIBRARY (1:15) WEEK A READING AND BOARD GAMES-LIBRARY (1:15) DRAMA CLUB (1.10PM) -DRAMA STUDIO Y11 GCSE GERMAN DROP IN B24 INDOOR FOOTBALL- ALL YEARS
AFTER SCHOOL 3PM-4PM	TABLE TENNIS COACHING £1 PER SESSION 3pm-4:30pm-ALL YEARS	NETBALL-YEAR 9 3pm-4pm ENGINEERING/PRODUCT DESIGN COURSEWORK - E04 YEAR 11	SCHOOL PRODUCTION REHERSALS (Auditions to be held in October) 3-15 - 5-30 FOOTBALL-ALL YEARS 3pm-4pm	BOXERCISE FITNESS ALL YEARS 3pm-4pm BADMINTON (OSH) £1 PER SESSION 3pm-4pm-ALL YEARS NETBALL-YEAR 10/11 3pm-4pm	HARD BALL CRICKET NETS ALL YEARS 3pm-4.15pm



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