

Post title	Caretaker
Location	Airedale Academy, Crewe Road, Airedale, Castleford
Grade	G4 SCP5-6
Salary	£23,500- £23,893
Hours	10am – 6pm Monday – Friday 37 hours per week - All Year Round



The site team are responsible for the care of the school premises, and a range of general maintenance duties within the building and the grounds. As part of the team you will ensure you deliver high standards and maintain the security of the school premises. Although based at Airedale Academy, you would be expected to work across other schools in the Trust.

We are looking for:

- A Trustworthy, hardworking, reliable, conscientious individual who is able to work independently or as part of a team working off regular job lists.
- An individual who has basic maintenance/DIY skills and ideally previous experience of working as a handyperson, caretaker or site manager.
- Someone who has a general knowledge of Health & Safety issues or prepared to undertake training as necessary.
- An individual who has basic IT skills and who can work well with staff, students and contractors.
- An individual with a good understanding of safeguarding as you will be responsible for the security of the building whilst on duty.
- Someone who has a flexible work approach as the duties/hours will vary. Hours may vary due to holiday cover/absence cover, etc.
- Please note that this role will involve participating in an out-of-hours on-call rota; applicants must therefore live no more than 30 minutes from the Academy.

We're situated in the former industrial heartland of Yorkshire, close to the junction of the M62 and A1 and its transport links. The Trust currently comprises four schools across the primary and secondary phases, with plans for future growth and the opportunities that brings. Airedale Academy itself is a good school, with solid finances and rising pupil numbers over the next few years. The Trust currently comprises of four schools across the primary and secondary phases, with plans for future growth and the opportunities that brings.

Our wellbeing programme includes a range of benefits including:

- The opportunity to work collaboratively within a vibrant, supportive family of schools.
- Use of School IP to assist with CPD and the development of all staff.
- Our commitment to staff wellbeing (as shown by our Wellbeing Awards for Schools and school-based Staff Wellbeing Ambassadors).
- Annual appraisals.
- National College membership.
- The Key membership.
- Recognition including Random Acts of Kindness and Staff Awards. .
- Discounted Microsoft products.
- Annual flu jabs.
- Generous holiday entitlement

Talk to our staff or pupils and you'll find out how proud we are of our school, its supportive atmosphere and strong team ethos.

If you would like to arrange a visit please contact the Trust HR Department by email HR@northernambition.org.uk or by telephone on 01977 664555.

For further details, including the recruitment pack and Trust brochure, visit www.northernambition.co.uk

Closing date for applications	8am, Wednesday 13 March 2024
Date of interview	Wednesday 20 March 2024

Northern Ambition Academies Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff to share this commitment. The successful applicant will be required to complete an enhanced DBS check.