



Northern Ambition
Academies Trust



Post title	Site Technician – Airedale Academy
Location	Airedale Academy, Airedale, Castleford
Grade & Salary	G4 (actual salary £19,312 - £19,698)
Hours	37hpw – all year round

The site team are responsible for the care of the school premises, and a range of general maintenance duties within the buildings 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.

Airedale Academy is an 11-18 comprehensive school, which has just over 1000 students. We're situated in the former industrial heartland of Yorkshire, close to the junction of the M62 and A1 and its transport links. Airedale Academy itself is a good school, with solid finances and rising pupil numbers over the next few years. Our ethos is children first and we're here to transform the lives of children, many from hugely disadvantaged backgrounds. Working in our schools can be very challenging, but hugely rewarding.

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.

The Trust currently comprises four schools across the primary and secondary phases, with plans for future growth and the opportunities that brings. 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.

Our wellbeing programme includes a range of benefits including break-time refreshments, access to fitness facilities including a gym and weekly yoga, discounted Microsoft products, free flu jabs and visits by a car valet company, as well as regular staff social events (outside of Covid times).

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.

Further details and an application form are available on our website:-

www.northernambtion.org.uk/vacancies

or by contacting Human Resources at HR@northernambition.org.uk or on 01977 664305

Closing date: 8am, Monday 24th January 2022 Interview date to be confirmed

Airedale Academy 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.