



## Parent and Family Support Advisor (PFSA)

**Frome Learning Partnership is seeking to employ skilled and motivated Parent Family Support Advisors to join its Child and Family Support team. This post will involve working in a variety of settings, including in schools, the community and family homes. Frome Learning Partnership is comprised of 18 schools in and around Frome.**

Working 4 days (30 hours per week - term-time only), the post-holder will carry a caseload of approximately 16 children and will work to support them and their families make positive and sustainable change. Multi-agency working will be at the core of this work, but the ability to work independently is also essential.

The successful candidate will:

- Be prepared to work with children and families within their homes and other venues in and around Frome
- Be able to demonstrate creativity and flexibility in their approach to engaging families, identifying family strengths, assessing their needs and supporting them to make sustainable, positive change
- Have excellent interpersonal and communication skills with the ability to communicate clearly and appropriately with pupils, their families and supporting professionals
- Have experience of working with and engaging children and young people with complex needs
- Be able to work both collaboratively within a team and independently
- Be able to identify unmet needs and risks surrounding pupils and respond to them appropriately, in accordance with local area safeguarding policies and guidance
- Have experience of delivering individual / group-based support and understanding children within the family context is essential, as well as work experience within the education, social services, health, or voluntary sector.

**Salary:** Grade 12, ranging from £26,421 to £29,777 pro rata per annum

**Working pattern:** Part-time 4 days (30 hours) a week (Term-time only)

**Location:** Based in Frome      **Contract Type:** Fixed-term 12-month contract (Term-time only)

**Closing Date:** N/A      **Commencement Date:** As soon as possible

If you would like more information or to request an application pack, please email [office@fromelearningpartnership.co.uk](mailto:office@fromelearningpartnership.co.uk) Applications received after the closing date will not be considered.

**The FLP is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. References will be taken up for all shortlisted candidates prior to interview. An Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check is required for the successful candidate.**