

# WILLIAM HARDING SCHOOL

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## **Trainee Voluntary Counselling Placements**

Providing one-to-one support to vulnerable children in William Harding School. A great opportunity to work with children in a therapeutic setting through talk, creative work and play.

### Placement structure

- Spend a minium of 1 day per week in William Harding primary school, during term only
- Work during school hours 10.15am 3.15pm
- Start at any point in the school year to fit alongside your studies or schedule.

#### Benefits

- A structured placement in William Harding primary school for 1 year or more
- Clinical hours towards accreditation or your course (though some courses do not accept child counselling hours, so check with your tutor before applying)
- Supervision from a clinically-qualified supervisior.
- Developmental training and support on safeguarding, child protection and our school systems and protocols
- Possible career opportunities within the school organisation.

#### Entry requirements

#### To apply for a Counselling Placement, you need to have completed or be studying towards a:

- Diploma in Counselling (Level 4 or above in England and Wales) Degree or Masters in Counselling, Counselling/Clinical Psychology, Psychotherapy or Art Therapy
- Be a student member of the BACP (British Association for Counselling & Psychotherapy)
- Some courses do not accept child counselling hours, so please check with your tutor before you apply.



We encourage applications from different backgrounds and communities.

Applications should be completed and sent FAO Mrs Skinner via e-mail to office@williamharding.school

Interviews will be scheduled according to applications that are received.

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We are committed to safeguarding children and the successful applicants will be required to undertake an enhanced DBS check.

## Safeguarding Statement \*

William Harding School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of its pupils and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. All successful candidates will be subject to a disclosure of criminal records at an enhanced level. Any offer of employment, or agreement to volunteer, is subject to receipt of satisfactory references and DBS checks.

Our School Values are: Inclusion, Perseverance, Honesty, Respect, Responsibility and Collaboration.

