

Belvidere School

Belvidere Lane Shrewsbury Shropshire SY2 5RJ



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Job Title: Science Technician (Level 2)
Hours: 37 hours per week
Grade and SCP: Grade 5 (SCP 6 to 7)

Hourly rate: £13.47 to £13.69

Salary range: £25,989 to £26,403 (pro rata to hours worked)

Contract Type: Permanent, term time only

Workplace: Belvidere School, Belvidere Lane, Shrewsbury, SY2 5RJ

Start date: As soon as possible

TrustEd Schools is a Shropshire multi-academy trust, comprising a family of local schools, including 5 secondary and 4 primary schools. We are a dynamic and forward-thinking trust committed to fostering a positive, supportive, and aspirational environment for our students to thrive.

Main outline of the job

We wish to appoint an enthusiastic and skilled Science Technician to join the thriving science department of our successful school. Experience of providing technical support in secondary school science would be an advantage though we welcome applications from candidates with strong practical skills and a commitment to supporting student learning. We are looking for someone who can work collaboratively with staff and students and contribute effectively as part of our science team.

The successful applicant will be practically skilled and will play a vital role in ensuring the smooth running of science lessons by providing in-lesson support to the teacher and/or groups of students. You will work closely with the Lead Science Technician to prepare materials for lessons and provide specialist advice and guidance to teaching staff.

Main Duties and Responsibilities upon appointment

- Prepare, set up and clear away materials, equipment and chemicals for lessons
- Maintain and repair scientific equipment and monitor stock levels and place orders
- Ensure safe storage and disposal of chemicals in line with COSHH regulations
- Maintain high health and safety standards in laboratories and preparation areas
- Ensure compliance with CLEAPSS guidance and safety regulations
- Report safety concerns or equipment faults promptly
- Maintain accurate chemical inventory records

- Liaise with teaching staff about lesson requirements and timescales
- Attend department meetings and training sessions

Further information can be found in the Job Description.

Application process

If you have the drive, commitment, and values to complement our team, we encourage you to apply. Full details of the role and application process are available on the school website at <u>Belvidere School - Vacancies</u> **Please note CVs will not be accepted**.

- Closing date: 9am on Friday 7th November 2025. Early applications are encouraged as we may begin interviews before the closing date.
- **Interview date:** To be confirmed. An email will be sent, or telephone call will be made to shortlisted candidates with details of the interview process. If you have not heard from us within a week of the closing date, please assume your application has been unsuccessful.
- **How to apply:** Completed application forms should be returned by email to recruitment@belvidereschool.co.uk by the closing date.
- Pre-employment checks: The appointment is subject to satisfactory preemployment clearances including references, medical clearance and an enhanced DBS Disclosure under the "Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974".
 Further details regarding this check are available by visiting www.dbs.gov.uk.

This Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people/vulnerable adults and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. An online search will be undertaken as part of due diligence checks during the shortlisting process.

We are an equal opportunities employer and are committed to diversity and gender equality in our hiring practices.