

Level 3 Early Years Educator

Job Title: Level 3 Preschool Educator

Location: Tringham Village Hall, GU24 9JP

Setting: Currents Preschool (New Setting Opening)

Start date: September 2026

Hours: 8:00am – 4:00pm, Monday- Friday, Term Time Only

Salary: £14.00 – £14.50 per hour depending on experience (term time only)

About Us

Currents Preschool is a brand-new early years setting opening in West End, built on the belief that every child has their own unique strengths and path. At Currents, we see childhood as a time to explore, discover and shine.

The name Currents reflects our ethos: every child moves at their own pace and in their own direction, just like a fish swimming through water. Our role as educators is not to push children into the same mould, but to notice their strengths, celebrate them and support them in growing confidently along their own current.

Our approach is Reggio-inspired, meaning we see children as capable, curious learners who construct knowledge through exploration, relationships and creativity. We value curiosity, sustained shared thinking, emotional understanding and learning through play.

At Currents we focus on nurturing independence, resilience and communication, creating an environment where children feel safe, seen and capable.

The Role

We are looking for an enthusiastic and reflective Level 3 Early Years Educator to join our founding team.

This is an exciting opportunity to help shape a new preschool from the beginning. You will play an important role in creating an engaging, child-led environment where children aged 2–5 can explore, investigate and develop confidence in their abilities.

Key Responsibilities

- Provide high quality care and education for children aged 2–5.
 - Support a play-based and child-led curriculum in line with the EYFS.
 - Act as a key person for a group of children, building strong relationships with them and their families.
 - Observe children’s development and support planning for their next steps.
 - Engage children in sustained shared thinking to extend learning.
 - Support children’s independence, communication and emotional wellbeing.
 - Help create stimulating indoor and outdoor learning environments.
 - Work collaboratively with colleagues and support less experienced staff where appropriate.
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What We’re Looking For

- Level 3 Early Years qualification (full and relevant)
 - Good knowledge of the EYFS framework
 - Experience working in an early years setting
 - A warm, reflective and child-centred approach
 - Strong communication and teamwork skills
 - An interest in or understanding of the Reggio Emilia approach is desirable, though training and support will be provided
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What We Offer

- The opportunity to be part of a brand-new preschool from the beginning
 - A supportive and reflective working environment
 - A setting that values child-led learning, curiosity and emotional development
 - Opportunities for professional development as the preschool grows
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Safeguarding

Currents Preschool is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. All staff are expected to share this commitment. The successful candidate will be required to undergo an enhanced DBS check and provide suitable references.

To apply: Please send your CV and a short covering statement explaining why you would like to join Currents Preschool.