DOMESTIC ASSISTANT – OCTOBER 2026

We are looking to appoint a Domestic Assistant to work within the domestic department under the direction of the Cleaning Supervisor and Facilities Manager.

Ackworth School, a co-educational boarding and day school, was founded in 1779 by the Religious Society of Friends (Quakers). It maintains its ethos and traditions and is still governed by the Society. The school is academically non-selective and provides an excellent range of facilities and co-curricular opportunities, recently achieving fantastic feedback in the ISI inspection (January 2026). The Head is a member of both HMC and the Society of Heads.

The Domestic Assistant will ensure a high standard of cleaning that is in accordance with school standards and specification. The role will include some lone working, and the successful candidates will be required to work using their own initiative.

The working hours for this role are 10 per week.

Monday – Friday 5.30am – 7.30am

Or

Monday – Friday 6.00am – 8.00am

In return we offer:

- generous fee remission of 50% for the children of our staff
- all food and refreshments during the working day
- free on-site parking
- flexible pension and health benefits
- a supportive and friendly environment based on the Quaker ethos of the school
- a beautiful working location in an ideal location within easy travelling distance of the main centres of Sheffield, Leeds, Doncaster and York

Salary: £6,609.20

Closing Date: Friday 6th November at 9.00 a.m. We reserve the right to close the advert early. Interviews will be held the following week.

Please visit the school's website for a full Job Description.

We will only accept applications that are submitted on an application form. We cannot accept CV's.

To apply, please complete a Support Staff Application Form which can be downloaded from the school's website or a copy collected from our main Reception.

Applicants should read carefully the Recruitment, Selection and Disclosure Policy.
Our Recruitment Privacy Notice is also available on our website.
https://ackworthschool.com/working-for-us/

Applications should be sent to: jobs@ackworthschool.com

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Ackworth School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. This post is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 and all applicants will undergo child protection screening, including checks with past employers and an enhanced DBS and Barred list check with Disclosure and Barring Service. Applicants should also be in sympathy with the School's Quaker ethos.