



Job Title: BASE Mentoring Support Assistant (School-Based)

Organisation: Streetz Ahead Charity (Reg. Charity No. 1160702)

Location: North London (various primary and secondary schools)

Contract Type: Full time term-time only

Hours: 8.30am – 3.30pm (school hours)

Pay: £90 - £97.50 per day (£15 per hour including 1 hour unpaid lunch break)

Start Date: Ongoing recruitment throughout the academic year

About Streetz Ahead

Streetz Ahead is an award-winning North London charity that has transformed young lives for over 30 years through **dance, mentoring, and emotional wellbeing programmes**.

Our **BASE (Body and Soul Education)** programme provides schools with **Mentoring Support Assistants (MSAs)** – skilled professionals who combine classroom support with emotional and mental health mentoring.

About the Role

As a **BASE Mentoring Support Assistant**, you will work within a school setting to support children's **emotional, social, and academic development**.

You'll work alongside teaching staff to create a safe, inclusive environment where pupils can learn, regulate their emotions, and build confidence.

Your responsibilities will include:

- Supporting teachers in classroom, small group settings and during playtime.
- Providing one-to-one mentoring to children identified as needing emotional or behavioural support.
- Assisting with BASE wellbeing activities and creative sessions.
- Promoting self-regulation, resilience, and positive communication.
- Recording and reporting progress to the Streetz Ahead team.

Training and Support

All MSAs receive induction and ongoing training through our **BASE Mentoring Programme**, covering:

- Safeguarding and Prevent
- Manual Handling
- Emotional Resilience and Regulation
- Mental Health Awareness
- SEN and Inclusion
- Creative communication strategies (movement, play, and mindfulness)

Supervision and ongoing professional development are provided throughout your role.

What We're Looking For

- Experience supporting children or young people (school, youth, or community setting)
- Empathy, patience, and excellent communication skills
- A commitment to inclusion, wellbeing, and positive behaviour support
- Willingness to undertake regular training
- Enhanced DBS (or willingness to obtain one)

What We Offer

- Ongoing mentoring and professional supervision
- Opportunities for CPD and career development in education and mental health
- A supportive, creative, and values-driven organisation
- Long-term placements (academic year, renewable annually)
- Part of a charity team – not an agency – so no VAT or hidden fees for schools

How to Apply

Please send your **CV and a short cover note** explaining why you're passionate about supporting children's wellbeing to:

✉ will@streetzahead.org

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