

**Sennie (SEN NANNY) for G4**

<b>Additional needs present:</b> Autism (Non-verbal)	<b>Location:</b> Acton, NW10	<b>Wage / Salary:</b> £15 - £20 per hour gross depending on experience / Approx: £22,815- £30,420 gross per annum	<b>Driver:</b> Non-essential
<b>Live in/out:</b> Live out	<b>Pets:</b> None	<b>Days &amp; Hours:</b>  <b>Term time: 24 hours per week</b> Monday - Fridays - 3 pm - 7 pm Saturdays - 1 pm - 5 pm  <b>School holidays: 45 hours per week</b> Monday - Friday 9 am - 5 pm Saturdays - 1 pm - 5 pm	<b>Start Date:</b> ASAP

<b>Essential Skills/Traits:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3 + years of SEN childcare experience</li> <li>• Prior experience working as a Qualified Teacher; Teaching / Learning Support Assitant; 1:1 Support; Sole Charge SEN Nanny/Sennie</li> <li>• Fluent English Speaker</li> <li>• Prior experience supporting a non-verbal</li> <li>• A great understanding of Autism</li> </ul>	<b>Desirable Skills/Traits:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Toileting experience</li> <li>• Experience supporting a child who doesn't like to wear clothes</li> </ul>
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**About the role/family:** SENNIES is delighted to support a family in Acton find a Sennie to care for G4 after school and on a Saturday afternoon. G4 lives with her Mother from Sunday evening to Friday after school and then stays with her grandmother until 4 pm on Sunday. The grandmother will be managing this placement and welcomes a Sennie who can support her in learning more about Autism and how to provide the best care for her amazing granddaughter! The grandmother and Mother only live a short distance from one another. The selected Sennie will be a consistent role model for G4, supporting the family to create structure and routine.

**About G4:** G4 is a sweet and loving child who loves being outside, Peppa Pig, giving lots of kisses and her eating her favourite snacks.

G4 received a diagnosis of Autism at three years old, is currently non-verbal and attends a special school near her home. When G4 becomes emotionally dysregulated, she often tries to punch herself. At present, the grandmother finds it too challenging to take G4 out alone and would like a Sennie to work 2:1 with her to equip her with the right skills and strategies to best support G4 through a meltdown should one occur.

G4 struggles to complete multiple tasks at one time and works better when given one task at a time. She is a fussy eater and only eats a select number of foods, including lentils, rice, bread, and potatoes. We hope to find a Sennie who can support G4 in expanding her pallet and trying new foods to support a healthy balanced diet at a pace that works for G4, taking into account any sensory feedback food may be causing.

She doesn't like wearing clothes and will often attempt to take all her clothes off at home and in public. However, if she is cold, she will wear a coat. G4 doesn't always know when she needs the bathroom, so her new Sennie must give her many reminders and opportunities to relieve herself. At present, G4 likes to be carried to the toilet or she will not go.

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Due to G4s selective eating habits, it is crucial she increases her physical activity wherever possible. Hopefully, a new Sennie will be able to encourage and support more outdoor activities and physical exercise, even if it's a dance party at home!

G4's key areas for development and support are:

- Social and emotional communication
- Toileting
- Building upon her independence, e.g. Dressing herself
- Keeping her clothes on
- Increase physical activities and outdoor trips

Main Duties and Responsibilities:

- Getting the G4 ready for bed
- Creating visual aids (timetables, meal plans etc.)
- Bathtime routine and Bedtime routine
- Planning appropriate activities and outings
- Behavioural support and management
- Engage G4 in after school activities daily
- Support / Teach the grandmother about Autism and the how to best care for G4 especially during times of distress

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