

2x Sennie's (SEN SPECIALIST NANNY'S) B6 & G10

Additional needs present:	Location:	Salary:
Autism (non-verbal)	Chelsea, SW3 (weekday role)	From £17 per hour gross depending on experience.
	Chelsea, SW3/ Kent, CT4 (weekend role)	
Live in/out - If commuting no additional parking is available. If the commute is a longer distance	Days & Hours Required:	
overnight accommodation is available.	Weekday role: Approx 25 hours per week	
Driver: Essential - car provided on duty.	Monday - Friday - 2pm-7pm	
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Pets: Yes – Dog(s)		
Shared/ Sole charge	Saturday & Sunday -	୪am-opm

About the role and child/children: SENNIES is excited to support a close-knit family seeking two dedicated and compassionate Sennie's to support them with both their children. A daughter (G10) and their son (B6) who is attending an SEN school (with an ABA programme) locally. This role involves becoming an integral part of their family, providing support in a loving and nurturing environment. The key focus will be helping support both parents with caring for the children.

G10 is a creative and sensitive 10-year-old who enjoys both time outdoors and quiet time indoors. She loves to draw, paint and make things. She has different needs from her brother and whilst she loves him she also seeks solo time for herself and wants her own 1:1 attention to do craft activities and weekend homework.

B6 is a vibrant, energetic and very strong 6-year-old who thrives on physical activity and outdoor adventures. He enjoys spending time in local playgrounds, going for walks, swimming and bouncing on trampolines. Movement is essential for him to feel calm and regulated. His strong, active nature means this role is looking for an active Sennie who can engage with him in outdoor environments. After being homeschooled, he has now transitioned smoothly into a full-time ABA school, where he receives 1:1 support. The family are committed to helping him continue building his functional skills, both at school and home, to promote his independence and development.

The role also involves supporting B6 with communication by utilising his AAC device in his home environment, to enable him to express himself. Encouraging functional life skills e.g. getting dressed independently, using cutlery, requesting items and potty training. With a view to help foster B6's self-sufficiency. Over time and with better understanding of B6 and his personality the Sennie will also be able to replicate some ABA techniques and 1:1 activities at home, building on the work done at school. This Sennie will need to build good relations with B6's wider support team and therapists, to ensure at home support is consistent and up to date.

The weekend position requires flexibility as the family spends some weekends between London and the countryside (just two hours from London). The ideal candidate will be comfortable with this variation and flexible in their approach. Driving is essential for this role, as travel between the family's two homes is part of the routine. As will be pick-ups from school in the afternoons and driving to-and-from activities throughout the week/end. Accommodation is available at both locations if required, and the Sennie is welcome to stay on Saturday evenings, especially if the commute is longer. On weekdays the children finish school, so the routine is more centred around pick-ups, dinner and bath time. On the weekends the children have a weekend schedule (both in London and the country) which is more based around play, time outdoors, meals and any homework.



The family values an approach rooted in love, support, and commitment to helping their children flourish. They are looking for a Sennie who is vocal, kind, patient, and eager to contribute to B6's development while enjoying the blend of city and country living. If you are passionate about making a meaningful difference in a child's life and adaptable to the dynamic nature of the family's lives, we would love to hear from you.

A Sennie can play a vital role in supporting and developing key areas for their son. In terms of speech and communication, the Sennie will help by modelling key words and supporting his use of an AAC device, which is central to improving his ability to express his needs and feelings. On the physical side, B6 requires lots of movement-based activities, so the Sennie would take him on walks, trips to the playground, and engage in other active outings to keep him regulated and happy.

At home, the Sennie would assist in developing his functional skills, such as getting dressed independently and managing day-to-day tasks, helping him gain more autonomy. Additionally, the weekend Sennie will provide much needed support to the family by giving parents some respite from a busy week, ensuring B6 is well cared for during downtime. The right candidates will be active, patient, and flexible, capable of fostering his growth in a supportive andfun environment.

Who this role would suit:

- A candidate with a genuine passion for working in childcare and supporting children with special needs, ideally with previous experience of autism and non-verbal children.
- Someone who approaches each day with enthusiasm and maintains a positive attitude, contributing to a supportive environment.
- A vocational candidate dedicated to a career in childcare, demonstrating a long-term commitment to the role and the family.
- An individual who enjoys outdoor activities and is physically active, capable of engaging in play and exploration with B6.
- Someone who can create a calm and joyful atmosphere, ensuring that B6 feels safe and happy.
- A candidate who can adjust to varying working hours and locations, as the family spends weekends between London and the countryside.
- A person open to extra hours in school holidays.
- An individual who values teamwork and open communication, contributing to a loving and supportive family environment.
- A person looking for a fulfilling role that allows them to positively impact the lives of children and their families and wants to build a lasting relationship with a family and their children.

Lead Recruiter: Aimee - aimee@sennies.co.uk

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