

PERMANENT FULL-TIME LIVE-OUT OR LIVE-IN HOUSEKEEPER JOB SALISBURY | WILTSHIRE | GB

Salary: £43,000 - £45,000 gross per year

PHS Job 3572

Perfect Household Staff is delighted to present an exceptional opportunity for a professional, proactive, and personable Housekeeper to join a welcoming private household located in the picturesque village of East Knoyle, near Salisbury, Wiltshire. The household comprises three adult principals, one young child, and two small dogs living in a substantial ten-bedroom country residence with a separate pool house. The family is seeking a flexible, can-do Housekeeper who will take genuine ownership of the home, become a valued part of this lively household, and confidently manage the property with minimal guidance. Due to the rural location of the property and the requirement to run household errands, a **driving licence and own car are essential**. For candidates considering a live-in position, outstanding accommodation is provided in the form of a spacious two to three-bedroom cottage in the village with all bills included, and the successful candidate's family would also be welcome to live there.

This is a permanent, full-time position available on either a **live-out or live-in basis**, working five days per week with occasional weekend assistance during family entertaining. The working day is based on an eight-hour schedule with flexible start times, offering an excellent work-life balance alongside full holiday entitlement and formal employment. Working as a Housekeeper within this household involves taking complete responsibility for the presentation, cleanliness, and organisation of the main residence while supporting the smooth day-to-day running of the property. The role combines comprehensive housekeeping with household management duties, occasional assistance to the chef during entertaining, preparing lunches together with one of the principals, running errands, caring for valuable household finishes, and liaising confidently with maintenance contractors.

Working as a Housekeeper in this household involves maintaining exceptionally high housekeeping standards throughout the ten-bedroom residence and pool house while ensuring the property is always beautifully presented for both family life and visiting guests. Responsibilities include scheduled deep cleaning, laundry, ironing, basic wardrobe management, guest room preparation, caring for delicate marble, silver, and wooden surfaces, changing bed linen, collecting dry cleaning, running household errands, walking the family's two small dogs, liaising with maintenance professionals, and supporting the chef during larger family gatherings when required. This is an outstanding opportunity for an experienced Housekeeper who enjoys taking ownership of a substantial country home, works confidently on their own initiative, and would like to become a long-term and trusted member of a warm, energetic family.

Our household staffing agency has been assisting professional housekeepers find the perfect domestic staff jobs for over a decade. We are one of the top boutique housekeeper agencies in the UK. If you are looking to be employed as a housekeeper, you have come to the right place. We will help you to find fantastic housekeeper job.

Only candidates who have the eligibility to work in the UK will be considered for this role.

Position Type: Permanent, Full-Time, Live-Out or Live-In
Working Days: 5 (occasional weekend assistance to the chef)
Working Hours: 40 (flexible day start)
Language: English
Salary: £43,000 - £45,000 gross per year (formal employment)
Location: East Knoyle, Salisbury, Wiltshire, GB
Start Date: ASAP

Accommodation for a Live-In Option: a separate 2-bedroom cottage in the village, family, friends and pets are welcome

Main duties of the Full-Time Housekeeper:

- Maintaining exceptionally high standards of cleanliness throughout the ten-bedroom residence and pool house
- Completing scheduled deep cleaning of all household areas
- Laundry, ironing, linen care, and basic wardrobe management
- Changing bed linen and towels regularly
- Preparing guest bedrooms and bathrooms for visiting guests
- Organising cupboards, storage areas, and maintaining household organisation
- Caring for delicate household finishes including silver, marble, and wooden surfaces
- Running household errands including collecting dry cleaning and other day-to-day tasks
- Assisting with the preparation of lunches alongside one of the principals
- Providing occasional assistance to the chef during family entertaining
- Walking and caring for the family's two small friendly dogs
- Liaising with maintenance contractors and reporting household issues when required
- Monitoring household presentation and ensuring the property remains beautifully maintained at all times
- Working independently, proactively, and taking full ownership of the household

Requirements for this Full-Time Housekeeper:

- Minimum of 3 years of private housekeeping experience
- Two excellent, checkable references
- Proficient level of English
- Legal right to work in the UK
- **Own car is essential**