

Management Accountant

Salary Range: £44,579 - £50,706

Grade: Level 4 Zone 1

Location: 5 Pancras Square

Reports to: Finance Senior Business Partner



About the role

Camden is building somewhere everyone can thrive, by making our borough the best place to live, work, study and visit. Because we're not just home to UK's fast-growing economy, we're home to the most important conversations happening today. And we're making radical social change a reality, so that nobody gets left behind. Here's where you can help decide a better future for us all.

The Finance service in Camden has an ambitious vision to ensure delivery of a high-quality, value- added service with excellent financial controls. We will do this through an exciting journey of change, challenge, and innovation.

To deliver on this aspiration, our finance team is expected to work in a collaborative way within the council, and with our residents and partners. It is important that we provide a service that always reflects best practice and is streamlined and efficient. To achieve this, we will continue to invest in our teams to ensure they are properly resourced and skilled to provide sound, relevant financial advice and innovative solutions to support service pressures, demonstrate initiative and lead a solution focused service.

About you

In this role you will support the Senior Finance Business Partner in providing a robust and responsive financial service to a Directorate/Director/Head of Service/Budget Holder/Budget Manager, that includes but is not limited to:

- Budget Monitoring
- Management Accounting
- Project Support
- Complete statutory returns as required

You will have the ability to interpret financial data, information, apply logic and judgement. You will be able to understand and interpret complex legislative and regulatory frameworks that apply to local government.

In this role you will have knowledge and understanding of financial planning, management and financial frameworks in a large organisation (revenue and capital) – preferably local government.

The successful individual will demonstrate excellent communication, influencing and presentation skills and a pro-active approach to work, including identifying and resolving problems/issues.

The things you'll achieve

Experience

The role holder will be AAT qualified, studying for a CCAB or equivalent professional qualification, or part CCAB or equivalent qualified.

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Other important information...

People management

No direct line management

Work environment

The post holder is required to work in an agile way in line with Camden's flexible working environment.

Who you will be working with

The post holder will report to the Senior Business Partner. Other key relationships for the post holder will be:

- The Head of Finance for the appropriate directorate in terms of their role of having overall responsibility for financial business partnering
- Service Directors, Senior Management Team, Budget Holders and service managers for change projects and the operation of finances within their areas, and the information, tools, and skills development to enable them to manage finances.
- Other support services, including HR and IT, to ensure that there is a consistent and common approach to ensuring managers have the tools to carry out their business.
- Business partners across the directorate finance services, and colleagues in technical and strategy areas of finance as appropriate.



Who we are

Diversity & Inclusion

At Camden, we value and celebrate difference and encourage diversity in all respects. Our diverse workforce ensures we represent our communities to the best of our ability and enables us to make better decisions. Because of this, we particularly welcome applications from Black, Asian and those of other non-white ethnicities, those who identify as LGBT+, neurodiverse and disabled people.

Agile working

At Camden we view work as an activity, not a place. We focus on performance, not presenteeism. We create trusting relationships, we embrace innovation rather than bureaucracy and we value people. Collaboration is the Camden way, silo working isn't.

Asking for Adjustments

Camden is committed to making our recruitment practices as accessible as possible for everyone. This includes making adjustments or changes for disabled people, neurodiverse people or people with long-term health conditions. If you would like us to do anything differently during the application, interview or assessment process, including providing information in an alternative format, please contact us on 020 7974 6655, at resourcing@camden.gov.uk

