RECRUITMENT PACK

Early Years Teacher



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from the Executive Principal

Dear applicant

Thank you for expressing an interest in this exciting role of Classteacher in our Early Years. We have created an amazing environment for our youngest children starting their first stage of their education journey.

Our Nursery Village is truly unique! It is home to 39 little villagers who get to enjoy 'a little world, for little people'. From a full size manor play house, village café, village green, village garden centre, village beach, police and fire stations to the 'Old Crooked House', all forming part of the village world our youngest children enjoy every day.

The village is so special and a great place to spend your days! This could be your place of work!

If nursery is not your thing then life in Reception is just as fun! Both Nursery and Reception form part of our Dream journey in our school. Reception at present has three classes. Two classes based on our Oxley campus and one on our Shenley campus. You would be part of a team of three teachers with all classes having a dedicated teaching assistant.

We are proud of how well equipped and resourced our Early Years settings are and we are always evolving and developing our already excellence practice.

The team are all experienced with the Head of Year having joined us in September 2022. You will always be supported and never feel alone.

Our PPA sessions are planned so you are all released together as a team.

This position is appropriate for ECTs, MPS or UPS. We are looking for the right person and we are highly experienced in supporting ECTs.

If this sounds like the place for you, do check out our website. Take a look on the Reception Year group pages under Dream and also the Nursery Village. If you are feeling excited and think this is the place for you. Get in touch and book a visit to come and see the place for yourself. If you can't visit before the interview date, don't worry we will give you a tour on the day.

I look forward to hearing from you and hopefully getting the chance to meet you.

Kind regards

Noel Springett-McHugh

Executive Principal





Oxley Park Academy is a stand alone primary academy based in Oxley Park, Milton Keynes. We cater for Nursery children through to Year 6. Our Oxley Park campus is the original, opening in 2005. Children in Reception through to Year 6 are based here. Our Shenley Wood campus was opened in 2017 and is based across the grid road in Shenley Wood. Here we cater for children Reception to Year 6 but we also have a 39 place nursery. Classes regularly walk between the two campuses to share the wide range of facilities.

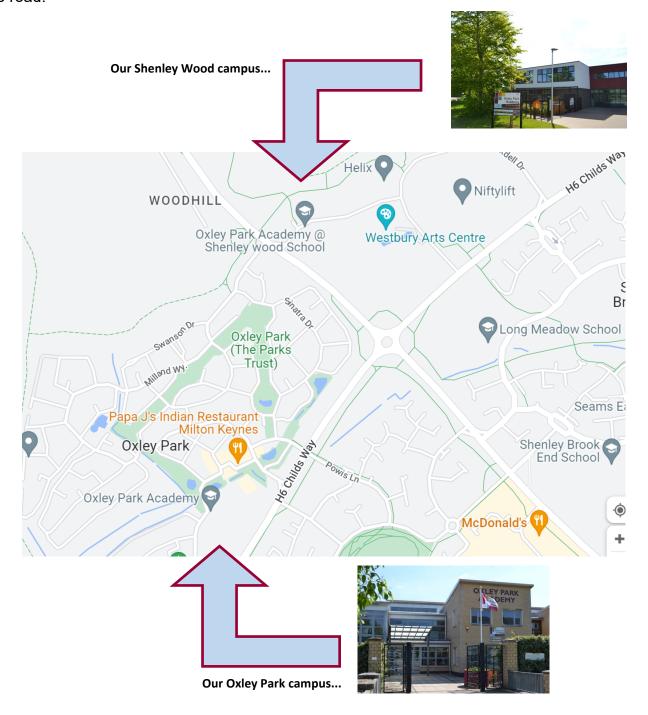
For further details about our school please do check out our website: oxleyparkacademy.com Some interesting facts on our school:



Our Geography

Life at Oxley Park Academy

We have two campuses. Our Oxley park campus is based in the grid square of Oxley Park, Milton Keynes. Our Shenley Wood campus is based in the Shenley Wood grid square just across the road.



Living and working in Milton Keynes Life at Oxley Park Academy

Established just over 50 years ago, Milton Keynes is a diverse, welcoming and expanding place. Beautiful open spaces sit alongside popular leisure attractions, there's lots on offer culturally, and our friendly neighbourhoods feature high quality community facilities with easy ways to get around on foot and by bike as well as by car. We're known to be a 'smart city', leading the way in projects like autonomous vehicles and robot deliveries, and we have a strong economy with plenty of highly skilled jobs. We also have a great deal of unexpected history with rural villages and busy towns like Bletchley (home of the codebreakers). Milton Keynes is just 35 minutes by train from Central London.

A glimpse of the future

The city council's strategy for 2050 sets out their ambition for low-carbon growth and an excellent quality of life for everyone, including bright opportunities for children and young people. The strategy includes work to generate additional growth and investment in our city centre where recent developments include a 14 storey Hotel La Tour and Santander's new HQ campus.

A place for culture, history and entertainment

MK proudly hosts major sporting and cultural events, award-winning venues, and a myriad of opportunities for local people. We're a regional destination for the 18 million people who live within 60 minutes' travel, with an award-winning gallery, theatre, numerous live music venues including The Stables (one of the most popular venues in the country) a resident orchestra, 270 pieces of public art, and a diverse selection of museums and heritage attractions, most famously Bletchley Park which celebrates the incredible achievements of Britain's World War II codebreakers. Xscape features indoor skiing and snowboarding, indoor sky-diving, rock-climbing, a multiplex cinema, retail outlets, and bars and restaurants. If you're a football fan, MK is home to Milton Keynes Dons FC, and you can watch League One football in the 30,000 capacity state-of-the-art stadium.

Find out more at www.destinationmiltonkeynes.co.uk/







Working at Oxley Park Academy Life at Oxley Park Academy

As a large stand-alone academy, we pride ourselves as a truly inclusive employer. We hold well-being as a priority, knowing our staff must be looked after, feel safe and secure, enjoy coming to work and have no barriers to carry out their job role. We know, when this is the case, our children get the best - the best experiences, the best expertise, and the best care any parent could ever want for their little one. This is why we care as an employer!

Whatever your role, it is as valued as the next. We are a true team. Our academy won't run at its best unless every person plays their part. Looking out for each other, having each other's back and helping when things may be tough are what we do and is embedded in our culture of being part of Team Oxley.

Do take time to discover our website, take a virtual tour, check out our socials and book to come and visit us. You will know if we are right for you - if it feels right, we encourage you to apply to our vacant posts. You will be making a great decision!

Oxley Park Academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and vulnerable adults. All employees are expected to share this commitment, to follow the Academy's safeguarding policies and procedures, and to always behave appropriately towards children and vulnerable adults, both in their work and their personal lives. All school-based posts are defined as 'Regulated Activity' and therefore this post is subject to an Enhanced DBS check.











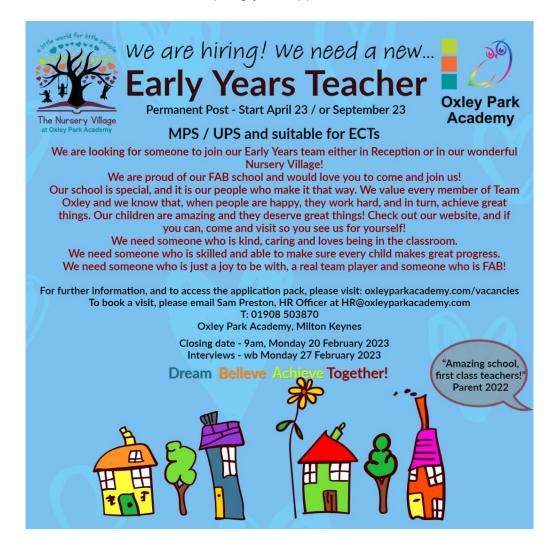
To apply for this for this unique and exciting position, please go online to My New Term at www.mynewterm

The Job Description and Person Spec can all be found on My New Term and also on our website, under the vacancies' page.

https://www.oxleyparkacademy.com/vacancies-1/

Please refer to the advert below for closing date information.

Good luck and we look forward to accepting your application.



Contact details

Life at Oxley Park Academy

Main Contact:

Your main contact for this position is Sam Preston our HR Officer.

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Academy Social Media Platforms:

Do check out all our social media platforms listed below to discover daily life at Oxley Park

Academy!

