

The Kirkstead Education Trust, as an employer, is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people as its number one priority. This commitment to robust recruitment, selection and induction procedures extends to organisations and services linked to the school on its behalf. The successful applicant's appointment will be subject to an enhanced DBS disclosure and online checks.

Full time, Fixed term Year 3 Class Teacher

An exciting opportunity has arisen for a highly motivated, creative and aspirational class teacher to join our dynamic team from January 2025 for two terms until the end of the academic year 2024-2025.

The Trustees of the Kirkstead Education Trust at Hursthead Junior School wish to appoint an inspirational individual with a passion for exciting teaching and high levels of achievement for all. We are proud of our commitment to the development of the whole child and we would like to recruit a teacher who can enhance our existing team and promote our REAL wheel values (Responsible, Enthusiastic, Aspirational Leaders).

The successful candidate will demonstrate the potential to:

- Be an outstanding classroom practitioner able to work flexibly with colleagues within a strong team and support curriculum development
- Reflect on, and adapt accordingly, their own practice and its impact on the learning outcomes for children
- Quickly build rapport with children, understanding their needs to help them reach their full potential and contribute to raising standards across the school
- Prioritise children's wellbeing, mental health and pastoral care
- Communicate positively and effectively with children, staff and parents
- Meet constant challenges with enthusiasm, determination, resilience and good humour
- Be pro-active and contribute to wider school life.

In return, we can offer:

- A learning environment with confident children who thrive on enrichment opportunities
- A supportive, dedicated and friendly staff team who put fun into learning
- Year group teams who work collaboratively to share the planning workload and provide professional and emotional support for each other
- A Governing Board and Senior Leaders who actively promote wellbeing for all
- Comprehensive, high quality professional development opportunities which embrace change and innovation, and help you to fulfil your potential
- Plenty of opportunities for fancy dress!

Closing Date: Friday 18th October 9am

Teaching observations and interviews: Week beginning 28th October

Shortlisted candidates will be contacted **before Thursday 24th October 2024** with further details of the interview process.

Please note that unsuccessful candidates will not be contacted.

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