



ST LAWRENCE C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

“Shine Like Stars in the Universe”

DEPUTY HEADTEACHER (L10-15) – Permanent (full-time) Required for September 2026

St Lawrence C.E. Primary School is a vibrant, inclusive and creative primary school located just 10 miles north of Brighton and Hove, in the beautiful South Downs village of Hurstpierpoint. We value the individual strengths and needs of each individual child and use these to plan for meaningful and supportive learning experiences for the children. Our wonderful school site includes a woodland area, field, astro-turf pitch and swimming pool, which enrich the opportunities offered across the broad and balanced curriculum.

We have over 600 children on-roll from EYFS to Year 6, arranged into three classes in each year group. We are now seeking to appoint a new Deputy Headteacher to join our school's Senior Leadership Team. This role is non-class based, although there will be some opportunities to teach across the school. The successful candidate will be responsible for the development of the school's curriculum and the quality of teaching and learning across the school. They will also work closely with the Headteacher and Assistant Headteachers to drive the school forwards, embracing innovation and continual improvement opportunities.

We are blessed with a very supportive and welcoming staff team, who work closely together to share good practice. Professional development is a priority for the school, with opportunities for career progression and recognised leadership training and qualifications.

If you would like to find out more about this opportunity or arrange to visit the school, please contact the school office to make an appointment to meet with Mr Alister Sutherland (Headteacher).

At St Lawrence C.E. Primary School, we take our role in ensuring the safeguarding of young people very seriously. Safer recruitment checks are in place when recruiting to all roles within our school.

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS: 14th May 2026 (midday)

SHORTLISTING: 15th May 2026

INTERVIEWS: Week beginning 18th May 2026

Visits to the school are welcomed. If you would like to arrange a tour or to discuss the role further please contact the school office: **01273 833229** or office@stlawrencehurst.co.uk and all applications should be sent to this email address.