**Post title:** Early Years Teacher

**Primary Location:** Shatterlocks Infant and Nursery School

**Reporting to:**

**Liaising with:** Head Teacher, Trust (SSET) Leadership Team, School Leadership Team, Deputy/Assistant Head Teacher, Teaching and Support Staff, external agencies, students and parents.

**Key Responsibilities**

* **Curriculum Planning:** Develop and implement a comprehensive curriculum that meets the developmental needs of children aged 0-5 years.
* **Classroom Management:** Maintain a well-organized, clean, and safe classroom environment.
* **Child Development:** Monitor and assess the developmental progress of each child, providing individualized support as needed.
* **Engagement:** Foster a positive and inclusive atmosphere that encourages children to explore, learn, and grow.
* **Communication:** Maintain open and effective communication with parents and caregivers, providing regular updates on their child's progress and any concerns.
* **Team Collaboration:** Work collaboratively with other staff members to ensure a cohesive and supportive team environment.
* **Professional Development:** Participate in ongoing professional development opportunities to stay current with best practices in early childhood education.

**Qualifications**

* A recognized qualification in Early Childhood Education (e.g., CACHE Level 3, NVQ Level 3, or equivalent).
* Previous experience working with young children in a nursery or early years setting.
* Strong understanding of child development and early years curriculum.
* Excellent communication and interpersonal skills.
* Patience, creativity, and a nurturing attitude.
* First Aid certification is desirable.

**Skills and Attributes**

* Passionate about early childhood education and child development.
* Ability to create a fun and engaging learning environment.
* Strong organizational and time management skills.
* Ability to work effectively as part of a team.
* Commitment to continuous professional development.