Job Description: EYFS Class Teacher

**Location:** Somers Road, Southsea, PO5 4LS

**Reporting to:** Head of School

**The Role**

To provide outstanding teaching and learning to ensure high attainment of all their pupils

**Key responsibilities**

Provide a nurturing classroom and school environment that helps pupils to develop as learners

Helping to maintain/establish discipline across the whole academy

Contribute to the effective working of the Academy

**Outcomes and activities**

**Teaching and Learning**

With direction from the line manager, plan and prepare effective teaching modules and lessons

Teach engaging and effective lessons that motivate, inspire and improve pupil attainment

Use regular assessments to monitor progress and set targets

Respond accordingly to the results of such monitoring

Ensure that all pupils achieve at chronological age level or, if well below level, make significant and continuing progress towards achieving at level

Maintain regular and productive communication with parents, to report on progress, sanctions and rewards and all other communications

**Academy Culture**

Help create a strong academy community, characterised by consistent, orderly behaviour and caring, respectful relationships.

Help develop a school culture and ethos that is utterly committed to achievement.

**Other**

Undertake other various responsibilities as directed by the Headteacher

Undertake the main professional duties of a teacher as set out in the ARK Schools pay and conditions of service document.

Option of taking on other duties, such as supervising children at lunch time.

**Person Specification: Primary Teacher**

**Qualification Criteria**

Qualified to degree level and above

Qualified to teach in the UK

Right to work in the UK

**Experience**

Experience of raising attainment of all pupils

Evidence of continually improving the teaching and learning in their year group though schemes of work, assessment and extra-curricular activities etc

**Behaviours**

**Leadership**

Effective team member and leader.

High expectations for accountability and consistency.

Vision aligned with ARK’s high aspirations, high expectations of self and others.

Genuine passion and a belief in the potential of every pupil.

Motivation to continually improve standards and achieve excellence.

Commitment to the safeguarding and welfare of all pupils.

**Teaching and Learning**

Excellent classroom practitioner.

Effective and systematic behaviour management, with clear boundaries, sanctions, praise and reward.

Has good communication, planning and organisational skills.

Demonstrates resilience, motivation and commitment to driving up standards of achievement.

Acts as a role model to staff and pupils.

Commitment to regular and on-going professional development and training to establish outstanding classroom practice.

**Other**

This post is subject to an enhanced DBS disclosure.