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Reception Teacher (with potential Year Group Leader Responsibilities)

James Wolfe Primary School with Centre for Deaf Children

Location: *Randall Place Campus, Greenwich SE10 9LA*

Salary: *Mainscale (+ TLR for Leadership Responsibility if also appointed)*

Commencing: *After Interview or September 2026*

Lead the first steps of a lifelong journey in the heart of Maritime Greenwich.

James Wolfe Primary is a dynamic, four-form entry school looking for an exceptional and experienced practitioner to step into the role of **Reception teacher with the potential of being the Lead Teacher for the year group**. Based at our specialist Early Years and Key Stage 1 campus at Randall Place, you will be a part of and have the opportunity to lead a passionate team in delivering a rich, inspiring, and fully inclusive curriculum.

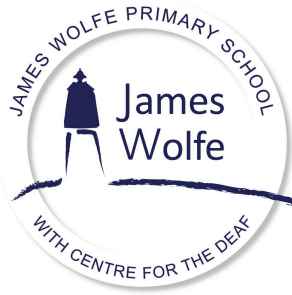
The Role

This is a pivotal role for a teacher to work as part of our highly valued Reception team. As the Reception teacher you will:

- *Show how your teaching has directly improved outcomes (e.g. GLD—Good Level of Development) for diverse groups of learners.*
- *Demonstrate a sophisticated understanding of how to balance child-initiated play with purposeful, adult-led "teachable moments."*
- *Show how you create a "third teacher" through a stimulating indoor and outdoor environment that encourages independence for all children.*

If you are applying for the Year Group Leader for the four classes, you must be highly skilled and knowledgeable and have experience in Early Years teaching. As a result you will:

- *Oversee the teaching and learning across four Reception classes, ensuring high-quality provision and outcomes.*
- *Be an exemplary classroom teacher, setting the standard for EYFS pedagogy.*
- *Work closely to oversee our wider Reception team and our SEND team to create a fully inclusive experience for all children, including those with SEND.*
- *Ensure all children achieve their potential despite their starting point*
- *Support and empower your fellow teachers and support staff to flourish.*



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What James Wolfe Will Offer

We offer a unique professional environment where inclusion isn't just a buzzword, it's part of our identity.

- *A highly committed, enthusiastic and dedicated staffing team to support and guide your practice.*
- *All members of our community have the opportunity to learn British Sign Language (BSL).*
- *Experience the benefits of a large school with the close-knit feel of a dedicated EYFS team who works closely together*
- *We value a curriculum that is as diverse and vibrant as the community we serve.*
- *A fantastic location to work in with incredible transport links and a wonderfully vibrant location to work in.*

Who We Are Looking For

- *You are an experienced teacher with a track record of success in EYFS. This post is not suitable for ECTs.*
- *You have a deep understanding of the EYFS framework and a passion for creative, play-based learning.*
- *You are eager to embrace our inclusive ethos and are interested in (or already proficient in) BSL.*
- *At James Wolfe, our strength lies in our diversity. We serve a community that represents a rich tapestry of cultures, languages, and life experiences. We are committed to building a staff team that reflects the children we teach. We warmly welcome applications from educators of all backgrounds, including those from global majority communities, those who identify as LGBTQ+, and those with disabilities. We are a disability-confident employer and are particularly interested in candidates who bring a global perspective or a commitment to inclusive communication.*

How to Apply

We actively encourage and welcome visits from prospective candidates to see our Randall Place Campus in action.

- **To arrange a visit:** Please contact our Business Leader, **Zoe Lucken**, on **020 8858 2472** or email **sbm@jameswolfe.greenwich.sch.uk**.
- **Application Pack:** Downloadable from our website at **www.jameswolfe.greenwich.sch.uk**.
- **Submission:** Completed applications should be emailed to **sbm@jameswolfe.greenwich.sch.uk**.

Closing Date: Friday 8th May

Interviews: Wednesday 13th May

James Wolfe is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of all children. The successful applicant will be required to complete an enhanced DBS check.