



Teaching and Learning Responsibilities Job Description

Purpose of Job	 As the person with the Teaching and Learning Leader responsible for English within the school To be accountable for leading, managing and developing English within the school. Raising standards of pupil attainment and achievement within English and to monitor and support pupil progress. To be accountable for pupil progress and development within English To develop and enhance the teaching practice of others.
Impact Beyond Assigned Pupils	 In conjunction with the Head Teacher and Leadership Team, be responsible for the preparation, maintenance, implementation and management of the school's policy and scheme of work for English. To monitor, assess and continuously review the implementation of policy and practice to ensure continuity and progression, breadth, depth and balance across the whole school. To contribute to the setting of school aims and objectives relating to English and to contribute to the School Improvement Plan by compiling an action plan in respect of English. To ensure that the subject area reflects cross-curricular elements; in particular, multi-cultural issues, equality of opportunity and personal and social education. To work with the Leadership Team on the target setting process and on identifying relevant success criteria for English. To identify those children that require intervention programmes, organising the support required and monitoring the success of the implementation of these programmes. To monitor standards by: ensuring the maintenance of up to date and accurate information on the subject area; analysing and evaluate performance data provided; identifying and taking appropriate action on issues arising from data, systems and reports, and reviewing progress; producing reports including the use of value added data; managing the collection of data on the subject; ensuring all members of staff are familiar with the national expectations for their class/end of year level and the key stage targets in the subject area. To evaluate the findings of any reviews / audits and establish in consultation with the Head Teacher what needs to be achieved in order to raise standards in the subject.

Leadership Development and Enhancement of the Teaching Practice of Others

- Act as a consultant to staff in English, advising on planning, continuous professional development, resources, teaching strategies, assessment and record keeping.
- To support colleagues by peer coaching, including provision of demonstration lessons and informal observation.
- To conduct regular audits of provision of English, monitoring and evaluating standards of pupil achievement, quality of teaching and coverage of the curriculum.
- To conduct lesson observation in line with school procedures, including agreeing focus for observation, provision for feedback and identification of actions for subsequent development.
- To actively review own practice and be a successful model for other teachers in the relevant area/s of the curriculum and to maintain a high and positive profile.

Accountability, leadership, management, development of English

- Promote and co-ordinate the teaching of English throughout the school, according to the requirements of the National Curriculum and any other new initiatives from the DfE and OFSTED.
- To plan and lead staff meetings and workshops on English.
- Keep up to date with new developments in the subject area.
- Develop a scheme of work for the subject suitable to the needs of a primary school catering for 3 11 year olds.
- Take responsibility for maintaining and evaluating all material resources with a system of easy accessibility. To consult colleagues and be responsible for ordering resources within an agreed budget in full consultation with the Head/Deputy.
- To keep governors informed and up to date on a regular basis on school policy or policies and practice through reports to the governing body as required by the Head Teacher.
- To participate in appropriate Inset and personal and professional development within the school and outside in full consultation with the Head/Deputy.
- To co-ordinate and keep under review planning, assessment and record keeping for the relevant area/s of the curriculum;
- Monitor English according to the school's monitoring policy
- Develop and maintain a portfolio of work within the subject area.