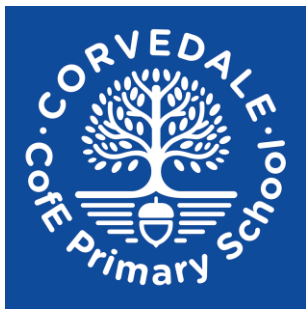




Closing date 05/01/2026

Shortlisting 12/01/2026

Interviews 26/01/2026

"Love God, Love Learning, Love Life"

HEADTEACHER

SHROPSHIRE

Start Date	April 2026
Salary	L9 – L15 (£63,070 – £73,105)
School Type	Voluntary Aided
Contract Type	Full-time, permanent
Teaching Commitment	0.4 per week (<i>reviewable in the context of pupil numbers and budget</i>)

Our school has been consistently rated good in all areas by Ofsted. We operate with a balanced budget and pupil numbers are forecast to grow. We are seeking an inspiring headteacher to lead the school and our amazing team as they plan for and deliver this growth, building on our school's many strengths while remaining committed to our vision and the wellbeing happiness and achievement of our children.

Corvedale is a small, friendly, family-orientated primary school, situated in the village of Diddlebury, nestled at the heart of the picturesque Corvedale, between the historic towns of Ludlow and Much Wenlock. We cater for children from 2 to 11 years of age. Families choose our school and nursery because children receive exciting and challenging learning experiences, supported by an extensive curriculum within a fabulous setting.

Our whole school ethos is founded on Christian values, and we explicitly link our mission statement to our values through our curriculum planning and collective worship.

We believe that the 'special feel' at Corvedale is to do with our caring, friendly atmosphere. We want to provide an environment which nurtures happy, confident and independent children, who make good choices and contribute positively to society.

Our enthusiastic team of staff, children and governors, together with the whole school community will support you in your new role. We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. This post is subject to an enhanced DBS check.

ROLE & RESPONSIBILITIES

- Provide professional vision and leadership for the school and nursery which secures its success and improvement, ensuring high quality education and improved standards of learning and outcomes for all pupils.
- Maintain and develop our Christian Ethos in collaboration with the governing body, diocese and staff.
- Establish and articulate a strategic vision, aims and objectives for the school and nursery, together with the governing body and in consultation with the school community.
- Identify problems and barriers to school and nursery effectiveness and develop strategies for school improvement that are realistic, timely and suited to the school's context in collaboration with other professionals.
- Ensure that these improvement strategies are implemented effectively.
- Monitor and report progress towards achieving the school and nursery's aims and objectives.
- Allocate financial resources appropriately, efficiently and effectively.
- Ensure that, and satisfy the governors that, school policies and practices comply with national, local and school requirements and monitor and evaluate their impact taking appropriate improvement actions.
- Lead strategic projects at the school as agreed with the governing body.
- Represent the school in the outside world professionally.
- Prepare the school for assessment by Ofsted and SIAMS.

A better way of learning more about our school is to visit our website, or the school itself where we would be very happy to show you around – visits are strongly encouraged. To make an appointment please contact the school administrator on **01584 841630**. To apply visit [Current Vacancies – Shropshire Council](#).