**JOB DESCRIPTION**

School: Thomas Barnes Primary School Location: Hopwas, Tamworth

Job title: Class Teacher Salary range: Main Scale

The responsibilities of the post are to be performed in accordance with the provisions of the most up to date edition of the School Teachers’ Pay and Conditions document and within the range of teacher’s duties set out in that document.

**Job purpose**

To carry out professional duties and to have responsibility for an assigned class.

To be responsible for the day-to-day work and management of the class and the safety and welfare of the pupils, during on-site and off-site activities.

To promote the aims and objectives of the school and maintain its philosophy of education.

To embody the school’s vision and values (the 5Cs)

To lead a subject/ subjects across the whole school

**Main duties and responsibilities**

* To create and manage a caring, supportive, purposeful environment which is conductive to children’s learning.
* To plan and prepare lessons in order to deliver the National Curriculum ensuring breadth and balance in all subjects.
* To identify clear teaching objectives and learning outcomes, with appropriate challenge and high expectations.
* To maintain good order and discipline among the pupils, safeguarding their health and safety.
* To organise and manage groups or individual pupils ensuring differentiation of learning needs, reflecting all abilities.
* To plan opportunities to develop the social, emotional and cultural aspects of pupils’ learning.
* To maintain a regular system of monitoring, assessment, record-keeping and reporting of children’s progress.
* To prepare appropriate records for the transfer of pupils.
* To ensure effective us of support staff within the classroom, including parent helpers.
* To participate in staff meetings as required.
* Contribute to the development and co-ordination of a particular area of the curriculum.
* To ensure that school policies are reflected in daily practice.
* To communicate and consult with parents over all aspects of their children’s education academic, social and emotional.
* To liaise with outside agencies when appropriate e.g. Educational Psychologist.
* To continue professional development.
* To meet with parents and appropriate agencies, to contribute positively to the children concerned.
* To support the Headteacher in promoting the ethos of the school.
* To promote equality as an integral part of the role and to treat everyone with fairness and dignity.
* To recognise health and safety is a responsibility of every employee, to take reasonable care of self and others and to comply with the Schools Health and Safety policy and any school specific procedures/ rules that apply to this role.

An annual review of this job description and allocation of particular responsibilities will take place as part of the Performance Management Review.