Mainstream Autism Base Manager

New opening at Meadows First School and Parkside Middle School, Bromsgrove

Start Date: 5 September 2022

Salary: Main Scale/UPS with TLR2 (£2,873) plus SEN allowance

Contract: Full Time and Permanent

We are seeking to appoint an enthusiastic and committed Mainstream Autism Base (MAB) Leader to join our team. You will have the responsibility for leadership and management, assessment and teaching within the Base and for integrating the children into the main school. This post will provide an exciting opportunity for a successful practitioner to use their own skills and lead others in supporting pupils with ASD. It requires a high level of independence and excellent organisational and interpersonal skills.

You will manage the work of the base, which involves supporting a group of pupils with ASD which can include children from Reception age up to year 8. You will lead a team of teaching assistants in providing for the needs of pupils at the ASD base on a flexible and tailored basis. You may also, on occasions, provide advice and guidance to mainstream staff, in schools in the area.

You will have successful experience of working with youngsters with ASD, and will have excellent interpersonal skills and the ability to foster close partnership working with the staff and parents at the school as well as the ability to manage complex multi-agency working.

We are looking for someone who:

- Is an outstanding teacher who has the highest expectations of teaching and learning.
- Has the vision and the skills to develop a personalised curriculum which will inspire our pupils to excellence.
- Has experience of planning and delivering a modified and differentiated curriculum for individuals.
- Has the ability to motivate and inspire a dedicated MAB team and the expertise and confidence to contribute to the MAB's future development.
- Is committed to our whole school ethos of inclusion.
- Possesses excellent interpersonal, organisational and communication skills.

We offer:

- A positive and enthusiastic staff committed to achieving the best for all pupils.
- A bright, cheerful, well-resourced and maintained MAB and school.
- A caring, creative atmosphere, which strives for high standards.
- A community which works in partnership with us and supports the school.
- A great opportunity to develop your professional skills in SEN/ASD provision.

Meadows First School and Parkside Middle School are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and as such expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. An enhanced DBS check is required for all successful applicants.

Informal visits to the School prior to application are warmly welcomed; please contact the school to arrange a visit. Closing date: 9am Monday 16th May 2022 and interviews will take place on Wednesday 25th May.

For an informal discussion about the role, please telephone/email the Head Teachers.