



Gilbert Inglefield Academy
Believe, Achieve, Succeed

Reading Specialist

Required for April 2022 or sooner.

Permanent Contract – 30 hours per week Point 12-17

Term-time only

Closing date: Monday 21st February 2022

Interview date: Friday 25th February 2022

Do you love reading?

We are looking for an engaging professional for this brand-new role. The role will require you to:

- Deliver our reading interventions
- Run and lead our brand-new library provision
- Ensure our literature is diverse, engaging and of excellent quality.
- Have a good understanding early reading and development?
- Engage the wider community in reading workshops and events.
- Lead whole class sessions in the library
- Work with English department to ensure all children leave Gilberts with a passion for reading.

We want to ensure every pupil to flourish in reading and able to join the next stage in their education confident to access the curriculum. We are looking for someone who will work with our English department to identify pupils who need additional support and to provide early reading interventions. We are keen to ensure all pupils can find themselves in literature through a diverse and engaging library. We want to raise the profile of reading through workshops and events that promote the power of reading. We want someone who takes pride in their environment so that when children walk into the library they can see the endless possibilities it has to offer.

Our academy provides a unique opportunity to teach both key stage two and key stage three children. We work with children age 9 – 13 (Y5 – Y8) and this age range enables us to put the curriculum at the heart of what we do. There are no national tests or exams at the end of key stage three and this empowers teachers to focus on driving a broad and balanced curriculum. You will be surrounded by professionals from a range of backgrounds including both primary and secondary training. Teachers share pedagogical practice with each other and there is a genuine sense of a learning community.

Our aim is to ensure that through the highest quality teaching of a broad, balanced and challenging curriculum in a stimulating environment, each pupil flourishes. With an excellent pastoral care system, we foster an environment where children feel safe and able to learn. We are a community that values each child and provides them with the opportunity to fulfil their potential and enjoy learning. We believe in building a child's confidence, adaptability and resilience for the future within an ordered and structured environment, where high expectations are a habit.

Gilbert Inglefield Academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. All appointments are subject to enhanced DBS checks.

We would love to tell you more about our wonderful school. Please visit www.gilbertinglefield.com for more information and an application form. Visits to the school are welcomed.

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