



SENCO

Employer: Nova Primary School
Location: Bristol
Salary: MPS/TLR 2
Contract: Part-time Maternity contract- 3 days per week- there is some flexibility with this
Live on Site until: Monday 11th October 2021
Applications close: Monday 11th October 2021- 9:30am
Start Date: Monday 7th February- there is some flexibility with this
NQTs Considered: NA

Nova Primary School is focussed on shaping tomorrow's generation, today.

We are seeking to appoint an aspiring or experienced SENCO to **cover our amazing SENCO's** forthcoming maternity leave. This is an excellent, non-class based opportunity to develop your passion for SEN in a school which has a great track record for providing the very best support for vulnerable learners. As an incentive, we would like to offer up to £1000 towards the SENCO national award if the successful candidate should not already hold this essential qualification.

Our school is vibrant and has high aspirations for all its stakeholders. We see learning as limitless and this ethos permeates everything we say and do. As well as being spacious and well-resourced, we boast extensive green spaces, including a garden and large pond. Excellent teaching, outdoor learning, trips, an exciting diverse curriculum underpinned by our values of Trust, Friendship, Discovery and Success and ample opportunities for pupil voice constitute our core offer to every child, whatever their needs or abilities.

Our new SENCO will lead SEN provision across the school ensuring Nova continues to provide the very best education for all.

You will:

- ✓ Be an outstanding, qualified teacher, dedicated to inclusion
- ✓ Have experience and knowledge across the primary age range
- ✓ Have a proven track record of impactful, inspirational middle or senior leadership
- ✓ Have the relevant additional qualification to be a successful SENCO or be prepared to commence the award, and an understanding of SEN legislation and best practice
- ✓ Be driven to provide the very best learning opportunities for all children, without limits
- ✓ Be kind, positive, resilient and deeply committed to providing equity of opportunity to young people

We can offer you;

- ✓ A fantastic working environment with your own office space
- ✓ The most welcoming, incredible young people you could ask for
- ✓ A dedicated team of learning support assistants and learning mentors with a focus on positive inclusion in the school
- ✓ A strong, dedicated workforce who are united in their purpose and vision
- ✓ A supportive and comprehensive wellbeing offer together with free membership to our **School's Advisory Service, which includes access to free counselling, 24-7 GP phone and video consultations and physiotherapy to name a few**
- ✓ Free on-site parking

- ✓ A professional ethos which encourages new, creative thinking and ambition, but also staff well-being and work/life balance

We would strongly encourage all potential applicants to come and visit to get a feel for the school and what we can offer. Please telephone our Office Manager to book a visit on one of the following days and times:

Thursday 23rd September 1:30pm

Monday 27th September 10:00am

Monday 27th September 4:00pm

Closing date: Monday 11th October 2021- 9:30am

Interviews: Tuesday 19th October 2021

Nova Primary is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, young people and vulnerable adults and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. An enhanced DBS check is required for the successful applicant.

The ability to converse at ease with members of the public and provide advice in accurate spoken English is essential for the post.

We are also committed to securing genuine equality of opportunity, in all aspects of our activities as an employer and education provider.