

Gillibrand Primary School is a fantastic community primary school in Chorley which currently has 209 pupils on roll. The Governors of Gillibrand Primary School are seeking to appoint a dedicated, passionate and inspirational class teacher and SENCO for September 2022 (or sooner if possible). This is a great opportunity for the right candidate to contribute and continue to develop Gillibrand as an amazing school and have an impact on the lives of all our children.

We are looking for a SENCO who:

- has the children and their best interests at the heart of everything they do
- has an excellent understanding of teaching, learning and assessment and is an exceptional classroom practitioner, leading by example
- has the resilience, self-motivation and enthusiasm to work with the head teacher and SLT to continue to provide the very best for all children including children with SEND
- Has strong organisational skills, the ability to prioritise and meet deadlines
- has good interpersonal skills and the ability work effectively as part of a team and also work well with a range of outside agencies

We can offer you:

- happy, well behaved children who are eager to learn in an atmosphere where they all feel valued and respected
- a dedicated, experienced and supportive staff and governing body.
- a welcoming school environment
- a commitment to professional development and an openness to any new ideas that will benefit our children;
- opportunities to develop your leadership and management skills within a friendly and forward thinking school.
- opportunities to work within a strong cluster of local schools

Candidates are warmly invited and encouraged to visit the school on the following days.

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> January @ 1.30am or 4:00 pm

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> January @ 9:30pm or 4:00pm

Please contact the school office to book an appointment as groups will be limited due to our current Covid risk assessment. Please also telephone school to speak to the Headteacher Mrs Ashley Clayton on 012572 74983, if you require any further information.

Closing date: Friday 4<sup>th</sup> February 2022

Shortlisting: Monday 7<sup>th</sup> February 2022

**The interview process will consist of 2 stages. If you successfully complete Stage 1 you will be taken through to Stage 2**

PART 1: Observed teaching: W/C 21<sup>st</sup> February 2022

PART 2: Interview: Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2022

As a school we are committed to safeguarding our children and the successful candidate will be subject to enhanced DBS and other relevant employment checks.

The post you are applying for is covered by the Rehabilitation of Offenders (Exceptions) Act 1975. If successful you will be required to apply to the Disclosure and Barring Service for a 'disclosure'.