

Teacher Application Pack (Part-time Temporary)

Let your light shine that people may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven.

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Prestbury CE Primary School

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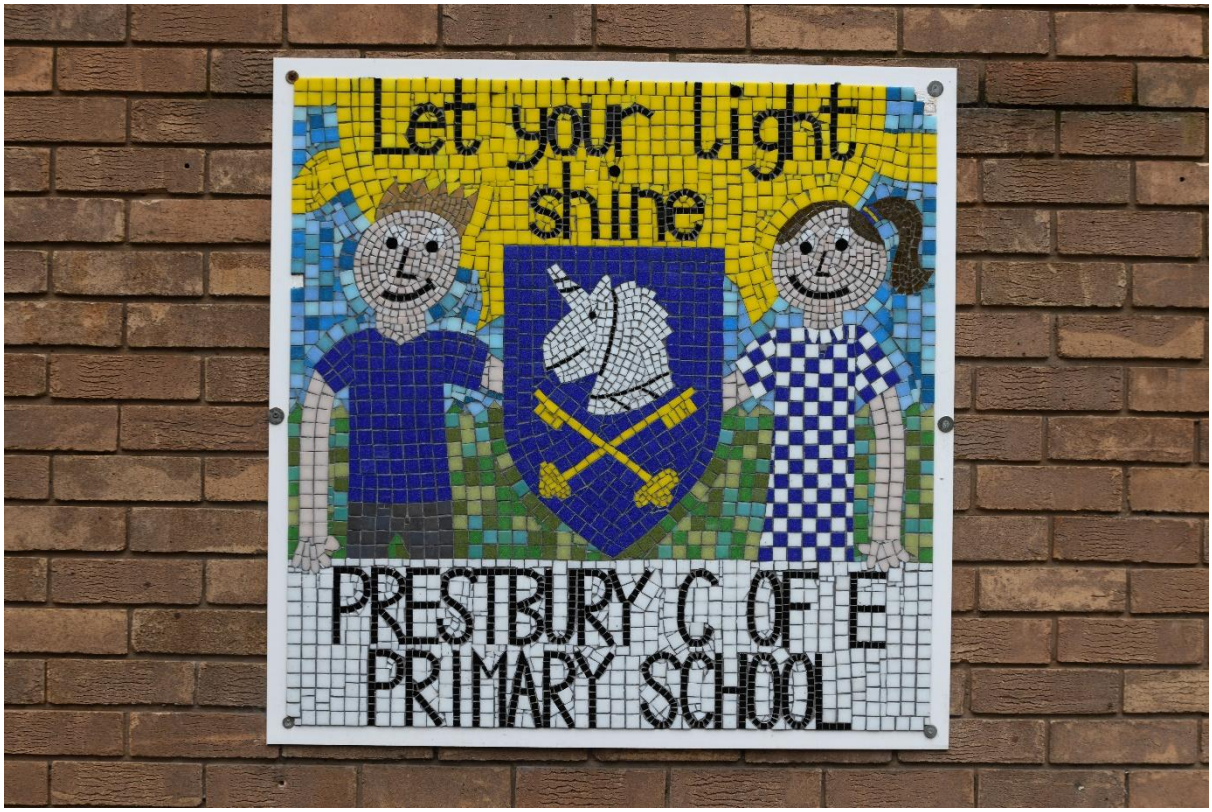
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Welcome to Prestbury CE Primary School





Welcome to Prestbury Church of England Primary School.

It is our pleasure to give you a warm welcome to Prestbury Church of England Primary School. We have a fantastic staff team, supportive parents, strong community links, including with St. Peter's Church, and above all, great children who are a joy to be with. It is a joy and privilege to serve and be part of such a special school community as Co-heads.

We believe each child is unique, with different gifts, talents and personality and are passionate about being an inclusive school.

We are so pleased that as well as strong academic outcomes, with results significantly above national and in the highest 20% of all schools nationally, we focus on the whole child, with the school graded Outstanding for Personal Development in our most recent Ofsted report. Working in partnership with our families, Prestbury CE Primary School is a place where each child is able to flourish.

We consider our school to be a team which includes governors, staff, parents, children, the church, the local community and our friends in Kenya at the Open Arms Academy. We are blessed with our staff team and are looking for the right person to join our teaching team in EYFS.

If you have not yet had the opportunity to visit, we hope that you will accept our invitation to come and see for yourself. We look forward to meeting you.

David Capener & Samantha Townes
Co-Headteachers

Safeguarding Statement

At Prestbury CE Primary School, the welfare of our children is paramount. This school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

All staff should understand their responsibility to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people. Staff are responsible for their own actions and behaviour and should avoid any conduct which would lead any reasonable person to question their motivation and intentions. Staff should work and be seen to work, in an open and transparent way.

Attitudes towards promoting and safeguarding the welfare of children and young people will be scrutinised during the selection process for the post that they have applied for. If you are appointed to this post, the information in relation to safeguarding and protecting children and young people will be provided at induction. This practical guidance for safe working practice will provide information about which behaviours constitute safe practice and which behaviours should be avoided.

All post holders are subject to a satisfactory Enhanced DBS and Barred List check.
Our policy and practice are in line with the Department for Education's 'Keeping Children Safe in Education' Guidance 2021.



Job Description

Job Title: Reception Teacher: part-time (2 days a week: Monday and Tuesday)

Grade: MPS

Subject leadership: Joint PSHE Subject leader

Term: Temporary for two terms

From: January 4th 2027

Accountable to: Key Stage Leader

The Governors of this forward-thinking school are looking to appoint a highly motivated and enthusiastic teacher to join our Early Years team and teach in one of our Reception classes.

Prestbury Church of England Primary School is a popular school in the heart of East Cheshire. Our Reception classes provide a nurturing and stimulating environment where children are encouraged to develop a love of learning and build strong foundations for their educational journey. The successful candidate will be joining a hardworking, dedicated and supportive team.

Our school vision statement, 'Let your light shine', is at the heart of all areas of our school. We are looking for a teacher who is passionate about Early Years education, has high expectations of all pupils and understands the importance of play, exploration and developing independence in the Early Years.

We are proud of the high standards of teaching, learning and personal development within our school and are looking for someone who will build on these through their commitment, creativity and enthusiasm.

Above all, we want to welcome the right person into our caring and mutually supportive team. As a Church School, we would welcome applications from practising Christians and those who would show commitment to supporting the school as a faith community.



Person Specification/Selection Criteria

PERSON SPECIFICATION POST TITLE: Teacher – Reception part-time temporary (Joint PSHE subject leader)

	CRITERIA	STATUS
RELEVANT EXPERIENCE	Experience of teaching EYFS Experience of developing and maintaining parental involvement. A subject leader (PSHE)	E D D
EDUCATION AND TRAINING	Qualified Teacher Status Evidence of further appropriate professional development. Additional qualifications	E D D
GENERAL AND SPECIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS	Effective interpersonal and communication skills. Effective organisational and administrational skills. Knowledge of current educational issues and development. Clear Education Philosophy which includes: Understanding of how pupils learn. Provision of effective learning environment including pastoral support for pupils of all abilities. Planning for effective delivery and assessment of the curriculum. Good knowledge of the EYFS curriculum and outcomes.	E E E E E E E

ANY ADDITIONAL FACTORS	Positive approach to the changing climate of education. A commitment to the aims of a Church of England Primary School and be able to promote the Christian ethos within the school	E E



How to Apply

To apply, please complete and return the Church of England application form for this specific role, together with a letter of application of not more than two sides of A4 in size 11 font.

Closing date: **noon Friday 20th November 2026**

Proposed interview dates: **Tuesday 1st December (am) 2026**

In your letter of application please include:

- How your skills and experiences have prepared you for this post. Please pay particular attention to the job description and person specification whilst writing your letter with a focus on your suitability for the post gained from past experiences.
- What you personally would bring to Prestbury CE Primary School.

Please note we accept electronic applications via sbm@prestbury.cheshire.sch.uk. Please be aware we cannot accept responsibility for mis-sent or late applications. If you are called for an interview, you will be asked to sign a paper copy of your application to ensure the declaration requirements are complete.

CVs will not be accepted. It is standard practice in the education sector to seek references for shortlisted candidates prior to interview.

Electronic applications are preferred or you may send a completed application form and letter to: Prestbury CE Primary School, Bollin Grove, Prestbury Cheshire SK10 4JJ

Telephone Number: 01625 469630

School Website Address: https://prestbury.school/

Applications to be returned to: Mr David Capener and Miss Samantha Townes

We warmly welcome visits to our school and would encourage prospective applicants to come and see our wonderful school in action. If you would like to arrange a visit before applying, please contact our school office, who will be happy to help organise this for you.

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