RODE AND NORTON ST PHILIP SCHOOL FEDERATION



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Teaching Assistant (TA) Grade 15 point 3 to 4 (£9.62-£9.81 per hr) Hours: 0830-3:15 Mon-Fri term time only Contract Type: Fixed Term (up to 31st August 2022) From: October 12th 2021 (or as soon after this date as possible)

This is an exciting opportunity to join our forward-thinking talented team. Rode and Norton St. Philip First School Federation is a popular and welcoming community based across two village first schools 20 minutes south of Bath. Both sites are idyllic, surrounded by countryside and with very supportive parents and village communities. We offer a creative curriculum in a nurturing learning environment where we aim to 'ignite a creative spark' in both staff and children.

We have big dreams for our staff as well as our children. We are looking for a special person who shares our vision and values. Are you committed, willing to go 'above and beyond' to provide a fantastic learning experience for our children?

Our children are highly motivated and excited by learning. Creativity is at the heart of our school and we provide numerous opportunities for staff and children to immerse themselves in the Arts, Literature, Performance and Film. Staff are trusted and encouraged to innovate and research new ideas.

We are looking for a candidate who is:

- Fun and friendly, genuinely interested in helping children to learn
- has excellent interpersonal skills and an ability to build strong relationships
- nurturing and able to encourage the best from every child allowing all to shine
- keen to work in a team and contribute to the wider life of our schools
- interested in developing their own skills and talents.

In return we can offer:

- A stable team of experienced supportive colleagues who enjoy their work
- An idyllic rural village school environment with single year group classes
- talented creative children and families
- A commitment to developing a healthy work/life balance
- A school in which children are genuinely at the heart of everything we do

We welcome applications from candidates who are committed to doing their very best for our schools and community. There is potential for the contract to be extended beyond the end date, pending a review of our staffing structure.

If you believe that you could be the special person we are looking for then we would like to hear from you. To arrange a Covid-safe visit to the school please contact the Office Team on 01373 834327 or 01373 830523.

For further information and an application form please visit our website <u>www.rodeandnortonschoolfederation.co.uk</u> Applications should be emailed to our School Business Manager: <u>KTwitchen1@educ.somerset.gov.uk</u>

Hours of work: 28.75 per week

Contract Type: Fixed Term

Closing Date: Monday 27th September 2021, 9am.

Shortlisting Date: Monday 27th September 2021

Interview Date: Thursday 30th September 2021

Commencement date: 12th October 2021 (or as soon as possible thereafter)

Rode and Norton School Federation is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. All applicants will be subject to a full Disclosure and Barring Service check before appointment is confirmed.