

20th May 21

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Kings Road Primary School



Dear Perspective Applicant,

Thank you for taking the time and trouble to get this far. We have decided to advertise for teacher for our school. In short, this is a utility teacher and is a 1 year contract. The teacher must be able to start on 6th September 2021. I consider this to be a utility role and whoever applies will need to be prepared to teach any year group, from Nursery to Y6 and be flexible.

I have been at Kings Road for six years and am proud to say that the school is brimming with excellence, dedication and positivity. The children are great to work with, as are the staff; it truly is a pleasure to be part of this team – we feel that we are in the midst of something special.

Whilst the vision for this role is that the successful candidate will be asked to cover PPA and classes in all year groups, they will also be asked to stand in should there be a staff absence, which could also be any year group. Should there be time we will also ask the successful applicant to teach boosters across the school. Whilst we are not ruling out anybody and NQTs may apply I do feel that this position lends itself to a more experienced teacher due to the complexity of the role.

The interview will be face to face and will include the candidate teaching to a small group of pupils. We will ensure that all Covid measures, including social distancing are in place.

The school is ethnically diverse, which is a strength as each day we learn so much about each other, it does mean that we have to tailor our teaching and learning to suit cultural and language differences.

We are looking forward to working with our new teacher, we will ensure that a good monitoring program is established. The new member of our team must be ambitious for the highest standards in English and Mathematics, but also in the wider curriculum and to genuinely care about children. I have included our vision and values document so that you can see what type of school we aspire to be.

Kings Road is a wonderful school to be a part of. It is brimming with hard-working and positive people who are dedicated in creating an exceptional environment for all children and adults alike. We are after a team player and someone who is willing to immerse themselves fully into all aspects of the job.

You'll see on the accompanying sheet, the dates that have been scheduled for interviews and deadlines. . I have also set up a meet the team Zoom before the deadline date. This will be held at 3.30 on 23rd June. I would urge you to join us, if so please contact the school office on 0161 881 3571 where we will inform you of the passcode. We think that this is a really important part of the process. We know that candidates spend a lot of time writing applications and we want to invest in this process too. This is why I urge you to either attend, or let us know why you can't. During this time we'll get chance to chat to you, find out a little bit more information behind the perspective application and for the staff to meet you over a cup of virtual tea (and you us!).

Finally, please may I request that accompanying application form is completed, including adding the covering letter into the supporting information section. Please don't extend this section to more than two pages. There is no need to attach any other information, such as CVs or training information.

I look forward to meeting you.

Kindest Regards

Darren Morgan