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Class Teacher – KS2 or EYFS

Job details

Salary: Main scale

Contract type: Full-time

Reporting to: Head of School Assistant Head/Phase Leader

We have a fantastic opportunity for an enthusiastic and creative teacher to join our experienced team of staff.

Parkwood Primary School is a small school based in Finsbury park, Hackney, North London. We are a diverse community pupils, aged 2-11 years.

As well as being a community primary school we also hold the unique accreditation of Spanish International School, as provided by the Spanish Embassy. This was given in recognition of our outstanding approach to language provision.

We are extremely proud of Parkwood Primary School and its uniqueness in providing children with rich experiences and education, preparing them for the next step in their lives. We have a real family ethos within the school where pupils feel they are safe and belong.

We teach our children to be:

- persevering
- thoughtful
- generous
- leaders
- respectful
- confident
- patient

We are looking for an enthusiastic, creative and collaborative teacher who can set high standards, motivate, inspire, and bring humour and enjoyment into all areas of school life.

We offer extensive training and career development for our teachers, in addition to regular opportunities for self-study/research informed practise and peer coaching. We have a very stable, committed and hardworking staff who really work well together in a supportive way.

The successful candidate will:

- Be absolutely dedicated to raising standards for **all** children.
- Be able to enthuse, inspire and engage children.
- Support the unique approach to language learning at Parkwood
- Plan and deliver high quality lessons.
- Have excellent interpersonal skills with pupils, staff and parents.

We highly recommend a visit to the school to find out all the great things we do as well as to understand our context and talk through the role. Please contact the school office through admin@parkwood.hackney.sch.uk or 02088025366.

To apply, please download and complete the Hackney application form, including the personal statement **with reference to the job description and person specification**. If you cannot download an application please email admin@parkwood.hackney.sch.uk and one will be sent to you. CVs and letters of application will not be accepted.

Candidates are advised that references will be taken up during the shortlisting process. Candidates are asked to ensure that their referees are warned of the need to respond within the timescale set. In all cases at least two professional references are required.

Parkwood Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Appointment to this post is subject to an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check (DBS) as well as other pre-appointment checks outlined in Keeping Children Safe in Education (September 2024).

At Parkwood we ensure fairness and equal opportunities throughout our staff team and welcome applications from suitably skilled candidates regardless of ethnicity, gender, disability, sexuality, religion or age. Parkwood is an actively anti-racist school.

The closing date for applications is 9am, Monday 2nd June 2025, however we are likely to appoint when a suitable candidate is found, so we would encourage early applications, so that we can appoint as soon as possible. Applications will be checked on a regular basis.

These should be sent by email to admin@parkwood.hackney.sch.uk. Interviews will be held the week beginning on Monday 26th June 2025.