



Job Description for a Class Teacher

Responsible to: Headteacher

Purpose of Job:

Principle Responsibilities

- To plan and deliver an engaging and motivating lessons and an appropriate, broad, balanced, relevant, differentiated and challenging curriculum to all pupils appropriate to their needs
- To design and refine approaches to teaching that are effective and consistently well matched to learning objectives, integrating recent developments, including those relating to pedagogy.
- To regularly assess, record and report on all aspects of pupils' progress and development
- Contribute to raising standards of pupil attainment
- To provide or contribute to oral and written assessments relating to individual pupils or groups of pupils, internally, with parents and outside agencies
- To ensure high standards of behaviour so effective learning can take place, and good relationships can be formed within the school community
- To show continuing professional development of teaching expertise, subject and key stage knowledge to enrich the learning experience within and beyond the teacher's designated classes.
- To give advice on the development, health and well-being of children, promoting an active and healthy lifestyle.
- To apply teaching skills which lead to learners achieving well, relative to their prior attainment, making progress as good as, or better than, similar learners nationally.
- Contribute to the monitoring and development of a curriculum area to ensure appropriate opportunities are offered for learner aspirations to be met.
- Work collaboratively, within and beyond the classroom, with support staff (including directing their day to day work), teachers, other professionals, parents, agencies and communities to enhance teaching and learning and to promote the positive contribution and well-being of learners.
- Show excellent commitment to the safeguarding of children and promoting children's welfare.
- The post holder must act in compliance with data protection principles by respecting the privacy of personal information held by the school.
- The post holder must carry out their duties with full regard to the school's Equal Opportunities Policy, Code of Conduct, Child Protection Policy and all other policies.
- The work of schools changes and develops continuously which in turn requires staff to adapt and adjust. The duties and responsibilities above should not therefore be regarded as immutable but may change in line with national prescription on teachers' terms and conditions of employment and/or any relevant school improvement priorities set from time to time.
- Whilst the main duties and responsibilities of the post are set out above, each individual task to be undertaken has not been identified. Teachers will be expected to comply with any reasonable request from their line manager to undertake work related to teaching and learning that is not specified within this job description and which is commensurate with the level of the post.

