

<b>Post Title:</b>	<b>Key Stage 1 Class Teacher</b>
<b>School:</b>	<b>Springhead Park Primary School</b>
<b>Location:</b>	<b>Gravesend</b>
<b>Contract Type:</b>	<b>Part time (0.6 Contract/3days per week)</b>
<b>Contract Term:</b>	<b>Permanent</b>
<b>Weeks per year:</b>	<b>52</b>
<b>Grade:</b>	<b>Main Pay Scale</b>
<b>Post Start Date:</b>	<b>September 2022</b>
<b>Closing Date for Applications:</b>	<b>Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2022</b>
<b>Interview Date:</b>	<b>Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2022</b>

After successfully opening in September 2020, Springhead Park Primary continues to grow and develop, offering a holistic approach to primary education for the local community.

We are looking to appoint a dynamic class teacher to make learning fun and exciting whilst also helping our pupils reach the highest standards. The teacher we are looking for will need to build strong relationships with our pupils, families and staff, supporting our strong sense of community; they will have a progressive attitude to learning, showing a willingness to take risks and be creative within lessons; have high standards and expectations, to help all children, regardless of need or background, to reach their potential. This role will include taking responsibility for a subject area to contribute to the development of whole school priorities and support your career professional development.

Please read below to get a better understanding of our Vision and Ethos.

Springhead Park Primary is an empowering place of learning; children are taught to the highest academic standards, and they love to learn. We aim to educate the whole child: their brain, their heart, their talents and their outlook. We will achieve this through a real breadth and richness of our everyday curriculum, ensuring that every child has an entitlement to the whole curriculum in order to find their individual talents and passions.

To meet this aim, which we will build our educational culture on the following four pillars:

- **Academic success:** to succeed in life, we will ensure that our children have the basic skills to access the world around them and understand how they can contribute.
- **Experiential, Enquiry-Led Learning:** we will create circumstances whereby children can explore problems, current issues and themes, then create their own innovative solutions. In this way we will develop our pupil's knowledge, curiosity, resilience and creative problem-solving skills.
- **Learning beyond the classroom:** children will be inspired by heritage sites, cultural opportunities, the arts, sporting opportunities and make efforts to engage in issues that will affect their communities and the future.
- **Complimentary technology:** children will have regular access to technology to help them access their learning, develop creative solutions and communicate their thoughts, ideas and creations across the entire curriculum.

As a newly opened school, Springhead Park can offer you the chance to contribute to establishing this holistic, creative and empowering culture from the very beginning of our children's educational journey.

For further information about the school, please visit our website:  
<https://springhead-park-primary-school.secure-primariesite.net>

## Your Opportunity

We are looking for a talented Key Stage 1 classroom teacher to share a class with one of our existing teachers. You will need to be a strong teacher, someone who can make learning fun yet challenging, inspire young minds, and meet the needs of every child and also be able to work collaboratively with colleagues. The role would be suitable for a recently qualified or more experienced teacher as we take all staff members career progression seriously. This includes bespoke mentoring/coaching in school, opportunities for professional development pathways within the Primary First Trust and support to achieve nationally recognised qualifications.

We are working hard to make our school an amazing place for learners, with an exciting, broad and rich curriculum delivered to happy, high-achieving children through innovative and challenging teaching. As we are a brand-new school, this unique opportunity will give you the chance to help establish our brand of learning and ensure that our educational culture is one of curiosity, self-reflection and optimism.

You will be joining a supportive and friendly staff team, the most amazingly friendly and outgoing children and parents who appreciate your efforts. We will take your professional and career development seriously and support you to hone your classroom craft and help you move towards your longer-term career goals.

We work in collaboration with our Trust, The Primary First Trust, which currently consists of ten primary schools in Medway, Kent and Bexley. This gives us a wide support network and allows our staff to grow professionally and our children to achieve excellence.

We would love to speak to you about this opportunity and visits to the school are warmly encouraged. Please call or email the school office and we will be happy to arrange this.

Tel:01474 555155

Email: [office@springhead.kent.sch.uk](mailto:office@springhead.kent.sch.uk)

Further details about this vacancy are available to download from the downloads section below.

## Your Application

To apply for this vacancy please complete the attached application form, available to download from the downloads section below, paying particular attention to Section 4 of the form to indicate how you satisfy the criteria set out in the Person Specification. You will also be required to complete and return a Self-Disclosure form with your application. CV's will not be accepted. Applications should be submitted via email to [office@springhead.kent.sch.uk](mailto:office@springhead.kent.sch.uk) by **Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2022**. Alternatively, you can post your completed application form to the Head Teacher, Mr Wayne Clayton, at Springhead Park Primary School, Springhead Parkway, Northfleet, DA11 8BY.

The Primary First Trust and Springhead Park Primary School are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The Primary First Trust and Springhead Park Primary School operates an equal opportunities policy.

References will be requested for those shortlisted ONLY and prior to interview.