

Post Title:	Class Teacher, KS2
School:	Westcourt Primary & Nursery School
Location:	Silver Road, Gravesend, DA12 4JG
Contract Type:	Full time
Contract Term:	Permanent
Percentage of Week:	100% FTE
Weeks per year:	52
Grade:	Teachers Main Pay Scale
Post Start Date:	TBC
Closing Date for Applications:	Noon, Friday 7th October 2022
Interview Date:	Week Commencing 10th October 2022

We are looking for an enthusiastic KS2 Class Teacher to join Westcourt Primary School. The class is well established and has a great attitude to teaching and learning. There is a range of abilities within the class, with an experienced Teaching Assistant supporting the class.

The successful candidate will:

- Be able to demonstrate excellent classroom practice and a commitment to ensuring the best possible outcomes for all children.
- Inspire our children as resourceful, independent, creative, and happy learners.
- Be an enthusiastic team member who shares the vision of the school.
- Be an effective communicator with staff, parents, and children.

We can offer:

- An opportunity to join a welcoming, friendly, and fun school team committed to the children's education, progress, and a lifetime love of learning.
- A highly committed and supportive leadership team that support and mentor staff.
- A committed and dedicated governing body.
- Wonderful children who are at the heart of our community.

The school began its transition to a two-form entry in September 2016 and will reach full expansion by 2022. The school joined the Primary First Trust in February 2017. There is a 52-place nursery in the school. The school has a diverse intake, consisting of 15 ethnic groups; 31% of pupils have English as an additional language (EAL). The school has extensive grounds, including playgrounds, a field and Multi-Use Game Area. All of these are used to enhance pupils' learning experiences.

The school is situated in the east of Gravesend, offering quick links to the A2/M2. The site is extensive, giving staff good car parking facilities and a dedicated PPA room and a staff room. The building is well-maintained, offering a good working environment. The school values staff well-being and support is put in place for new staff members so that they are quickly integrated into the school community. We have a supportive staff community with calm well-mannered children. The school is well resourced, and there are opportunities for continued professional development.

Your interview day is a mutual process aligned to help you to decide if Westcourt Primary & Nursery School is the right school for you to advance your career. We aim to make it as supportive as possible.

Please visit our website at <https://www.westcourt.kent.sch.uk/> or contact Margaret Sexton, Headteacher, via email at headteacher@westcourt.kent.sch.uk if you have any questions regarding the position.

You can also learn more about us by visiting our website <https://www.westcourt.kent.sch.uk/>.

Alternatively, search for us on Facebook or Twitter:

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/Westcourt-Primary-and-Nursery-School-112722067255224/>

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/SchoolWestcourt?s=09>

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. CVs will not be accepted. Applications should be submitted via email to headteacher@westcourt.kent.sch.uk by **Noon, Friday 7th October 2022**. Alternatively, you can post your completed application form to Margaret Sexton at Westcourt Primary & Nursery School, Silver Road, Gravesend, Kent, DA12 4JG.

The Primary First Trust and Westcourt Primary & Nursery School are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Offers of employment are subject to a satisfactory Disclosure and Barring check and other employment checks.

The Primary First Trust and Westcourt Primary & Nursery School are committed to equality and diversity in employment practice and service delivery. References will be requested for those shortlisted ONLY and before the interview.