

Wincheap Foundation Primary School Class Teacher

Job Description

- 1. Ensure the delivery of a broad, balanced and relevant curriculum.
- 2. Attend to the pastoral, emotional and social development of each child.
- 3. Offer a stable, caring environment where the children are encouraged to progress in a calm, structured atmosphere.
- 4. Create friendly but firm relationships, taking responsibility for the safety and welfare of the children in your care in and out of the classroom during school hours.
- 5. Know the children, their background and their parents and carers.
- 6. Encourage high standards of behaviour, work and presentation both in your classroom and throughout the school.
- 7. Be willing to share your good practice with others in staff development and school improvement activities.
- 8. Attend and contribute to all staff meetings.
- 9. In line with the schools values, plan lessons that develop children's independent learning skills, along with their creativity and perseverance.
- 10. Follow the agreed school teaching and organisational policies.
- 11. Plan and prepare lessons with clear learning outcomes.
- 12. Adhere to the school's marking policy, giving feedback to pupils about their work.
- 13. Communicate and cooperate with agencies outside the school with legitimate interests in the child.
- 14. Know the available apparatus and equipment available throughout the school.
- 15. Continue to set high standards of conduct and work when carrying out school-wide duties.
- 16. Be aware of the children's spiritual and moral development and where possible to help and influence them in the correct way.
- 17. Be aware that a class teacher influences children in speech, manner and dress and set high standards in all three.
- 18. Be aware of the latest developments and thinking in education and to be ready to adapt.
- 19. Ensure that children leave classrooms, work areas and cloakrooms in a reasonable state for cleaners and to help to ensure cupboards and storerooms are kept tidy.
- 20. Encourage and expect pupils to respect furniture, the building, equipment and displays and to avoid waste wherever possible.
- 21. Report matters of Health and Safety to the head teacher.
- 22. Report matters of child protection to the DSL.
- 23. Develop positive partnerships with parents with the express aim of enhancing children's learning and well-being.

- 24. Participate in Performance Management or NQT Induction activities as an aid to professional development, taking advantage of CPD opportunities where appropriate.
- 25. Participate in arrangements for preparing pupils for external examinations.
- 26. Carry out those duties for which you are responsible through school rotas and also those activities which are expected of you through your directed time such as break-time duties and leading assemblies.
- 27. Provide or contribute to verbal and written assessments, reports and references relating to individual pupils and groups of pupils.
- 28. In the course of your duties, work closely in consultation with the head teacher, being prepared to teach throughout the school when required, fulfilling such duties as requested of you.