

Forest School Teacher - Job Description Responsible to the Head of School Salary Scale: Kent range 6

Respect, Compassion, Community, Perseverance, Aspiration, Independence

Article 29: Education must develop every child's personality, talents and abilities to the full. It must encourage the child's respect for human rights, as well as respect for their parents, their own and other cultures, and the environment.

Hours of work: 3 days per week – 19.5 hours, KR6 £25,127 per annum based on actual hours, £11,390.32

Start Date: September 2024

Purpose of Job:

- To lead, plan and deliver Forest School programmes in whole class sessions.
- To further embed the school's Christian values within the ethos of outdoor learning.

Duties and responsibilities

- Teach and plan for the Forest Schools programme, teaching within the school grounds.
- Ensure health and safety procedures relating to children, staff and volunteers are observed.
- Manage the fire pit safely.
- Administer first aid as the need arises.
- Check and maintain tools and other kit.
- To help promote the Forest School.
- To participate in annual performance appraisal and to agree with your Line Manager targets for the following year.
- To support the upkeep and maintenance of the Forest School blog.
- To undertake all duties reasonably requested by the Head of School or CEO.

Personal and Professional Conduct

- 1. Support and make a positive contribution to the aims and ethos of the school
- 2. Set a good example in terms of dress, conduct, punctuality and attendance
- 3. Deploy support staff effectively
- 4. Communicate with parents effectively with regard to pupils' progress, achievements and well being

- 5. Uphold the school's behaviour code and uniform regulations
- 6. Attend and contribute to staff meetings, when required.
- 7. Adhere to all school policies, including code of conduct
- 8. Commit to own professional development through school based research projects
- 9. Retain a positive attitude towards the role and where issues arise, discuss with Head of School the enable the issue to be resolved
- 10. Model positivity towards others and support team members in overcoming issues and difficulties that may arise