

<b>Post Title:</b>	<b>Class Teacher, KS2</b>
<b>School:</b>	<b>Westcourt Primary &amp; Nursery School</b>
<b>Location:</b>	<b>Silver Road, Gravesend, DA12 4JG</b>
<b>Contract Type:</b>	<b>Full time</b>
<b>Contract Term:</b>	<b>Temporary (Maternity Cover)</b>
<b>Hours/Percentage of Week:</b>	<b>32.50 hours per week / 100%</b>
<b>Weeks per year:</b>	<b>52</b>
<b>Grade:</b>	<b>Teachers Main Pay Scale</b>
<b>Post Start Date:</b>	<b>February 2021</b>
<b>Closing Date for Applications:</b>	<b>Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2020, 10am</b>
<b>Interview Date:</b>	<b>Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2020</b>

We are looking for an enthusiastic year 6 Teacher to cover a maternity leave from February 2021. The class is well established having a great attitude to teaching and learning.

There is a range of abilities within the class and the class is supported by an experienced teaching assistant.

**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 effective communicators 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 who 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, made up 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 as well as 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 member of staff 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 helping 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.

At this time we are sadly unable to encourage visits to the school, so please visit our website at <https://www.westcourt.kent.sch.uk/>. Please contact Miss Sexton, Headteacher via email at [headteacher@westcourt.kent.sch.uk](mailto: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. CV's will not be accepted. Applications should be submitted via email to [headteacher@westcourt.kent.sch.uk](mailto:headteacher@westcourt.kent.sch.uk) by **10am, Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> November**. Alternatively, you can post your completed application form to Miss Sexton, Headteacher at Westcourt Primary School, Silver Road, Gravesend, DA12 4JG.

Westcourt Primary & Nursery School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Offers of employment are subject to a satisfactory Disclosure and Barring check and other employment checks. Westcourt Primary & Nursery School is committed to equality and diversity in employment practice and service delivery. References will be requested for those shortlisted ONLY and prior to interview.

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