

# St Matthew's C of E Primary School, Preston Job Description – Class Teacher MPS Post: Class Teacher

Responsible to: Headteacher and the Governing Body of the School

#### Main Activities and Responsibilities

The Postholder will take responsibility for a class of children determined on an annual basis by the Headteacher and in accordance with the duties listed below.

#### **Duties**

To carry out the professional duties covered by the latest School Teachers' Pay and Conditions Document. In addition, certain particular duties are reasonably required to be exercised and completed. It is a contractual duty of the Postholder to ensure that their professional duties are discharged effectively. The Postholder must meet the latest Teacher's Standards.

- The Postholder is responsible to their line manager for their duties, responsibilities and teaching tasks.
- The Postholder will provide at least good teaching and learning provision in their designated class/year group.
- The Postholder will interact on a professional level with all colleagues and establish and maintain good working relationships which promote the development and effective delivery of the school curriculum and maximize children's achievement.
- The Postholder will be responsible for the supervision of the work of support staff.
- The Postholder will undertake the teaching of pupils in their class and the associated pastoral and administrative duties in respect of those pupils as well as the general responsibilities in the school as agreed with the Headteacher.
- The Postholder will be responsible for effectively and successfully leading subject areas as agreed with the Headteacher.

## The Class Teacher will:

- Implement agreed school policies and guidelines and ensure that equal opportunities are implemented in the classroom and throughout the school.
- Support initiatives decided by the Leadership Team.
- Plan effectively to meet the needs of all pupils, ensuring teaching methods build on prior learning and has clearly identified learning objectives and success criteria.
- Ensure that learning is provided to both challenge and support learners to make good progress.
- Se able to set clear targets based on prior attainment, for pupils' learning.



- Provide consistently good conditions for learning where resources are well organised and accessible.
- Ensure learners receive well focused, diagnostic comments which check their understanding and help them to see how to improve.
- Wake effective use of ICT to enhance learning and teaching.
- Track pupils' attainment to ensure they make at least good progress.
- Promote the school's code of conduct amongst pupils, in accordance with the school's behaviour policy.
- Participate in meetings which relate to the school's management, curriculum, administration or organisation.
- Sommunicate and co-operate with specialists from outside agencies.
- Ensure planning identifies the role of other adults and that they are directed effectively and support learning.
- Ensure you work in partnership with parents and keep them informed of their child's progress and attainment.

## Other Responsibilities

In addition, to undertake such duties of a similar nature as may be reasonably directed by the Headteacher from time to time.

The duties and responsibilities of the post may vary from time to time according to the changing needs of the school.

To ensure all safeguarding procedures are followed to promote the welfare of all children.

## **Conditions of Service**

Governed by the National Agreement on Pay and Conditions of service, supplemented by local conditions as agreed by the Governors.

## Equal Opportunity

The Postholder will be expected to carry out all duties in the context of and in compliance with the Local Authority and School's Equal Opportunities Policies.

## <u>UPS</u>

Post Threshold Teachers should meet the post-threshold standards as well as the core standards.

Signature of Postholder	
Signature of Headteacher	

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