**Dolphinholme CE Primary School**

**Teacher Job Description**

**POST**: **Reception teacher, EYFS Lead and KS1 Lead**

**SCHOOL**: Dolphinholme CE Primary School

**PAY RANGE**: Main Pay Scale – UPS3

**Post information**

***‘With God at the heart of everything we do, we educate by encouraging a sense of wonder, praise and mutual respect. We offer every child opportunities for success, making them confidently equipped for life’s journey.’***

An exciting opportunity has arisen to join Team Dolphinholme and so the children, staff and governors are seeking to appoint an outstanding Reception class teacher to lead the progress, attainment and development of our pupils within the EYFS department. This includes our pre-school, Little Dolphins, and Reception Class. We are also looking for someone who has extensive experience of teaching in KS1 as the post will require leadership of this phase. This post has arisen due to the current post holder moving on to alternative employment and therefore the post advertised is a full-time, permanent position.

The post holder will need to have:

* Experience of teaching and learning of children from 2 yr. olds to the end of KS1.
* Experience of leading and developing Early Years Literacy and Maths.
* Willingness to lead all aspects of the English curriculum across the whole school.
* Experience of working with SEND children and if possible, basic Makaton training.

The post would be suitable for experienced candidates.

We are excited about the prospect of adding a new teacher to our welcoming, enthusiastic and skilled team who are always open to new ideas. In return, they would be well supported by the experienced colleagues already employed at Dolphinholme.

Visits to the school are warmly welcomed and encouraged where possible.

**School information:**

***5“I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing’ John 15:5***

Dolphinholme CE Primary School is a small rural school in the village of Dolphinholme which is just south of Lancaster, 5 minutes from Junction 33. Our school sits in the beautiful, picturesque Trough of Bowland and we are lucky to have such amazing views and grounds. We currently have 86 children on roll split across a pure Reception class of 14 children, and then mixed aged Y1/2, Y3/4 and Y5/6 classes.

Dolphinholme is a warm and welcoming school where we put children and their families at the heart of everything we do. We are a Church of England School and celebrate our distinctive Christian ethos. We encourage children to be respectful, forgiving and compassionate and we provide a nurturing, inclusive and safe community built on Christian Values that inspire positive and trusting relationships between school, families and the wider community.

We are committed to providing the best education within a caring, family atmosphere. In all we do, we aim to instil in all our pupils an awareness of their own strengths, abilities, talents and responsibilities so that they can become good citizens in the world in which they live.