



March 2025

Dear Colleague,

On behalf of the Governors of Helmshore Primary School, I would like to thank you for your interest in the post of Key Stage 1 (Year 2) Class Teacher (Main Pay Range 1-6) at Helmshore Primary School to commence September 2025.

We are a successful, thriving school that delivers an enriched, exciting and creative curriculum. We have a caring ethos and the children and their learning is at the heart of everything we do. Our aim is to inspire and support learners, including children, parents, staff and members of the school community to enable them to fulfil their aspirations and “become the best they are able to be”.

Helmshore Primary School is a large school with 385 pupils organised into 14 classes. It is in a semi-rural location and serves the families of Helmshore and surrounding area. Despite its size it is a friendly, caring school with an inclusive ethos. The staff team is hard working and committed to school improvement, high academic standards, exemplary behaviour, good attendance and punctuality and effective Safeguarding.

The Governors are seeking to appoint a motivated, inspirational teacher to join its successful and motivated team. The candidate must be an excellent practitioner who is committed to play a full part in the life of the school and is determined to achieve the very best for every child.

The candidate should have an excellent understanding of Key Stage 1. They should be able to plan and deliver Good and Outstanding lessons across the curriculum. The candidate should also have good knowledge of assessing pupil progress and understand the part they play in raising standards. A passion for creating an inspirational learning environment and attractive classroom displays is important.

The candidate must be highly committed, enthusiastic and show great initiative. They should be willing and able to make a positive contribution to the wider life of Helmshore Primary School.

Further details about the school can be found by visiting the school website [www.helmshoreprimaryschool.co.uk](http://www.helmshoreprimaryschool.co.uk). Alternatively, if you would like to visit our school prior to making an application please contact the school office to arrange a visit.

Visits are available at the following times:

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> March at 9.30am

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> March at 1.15pm

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> March at 9.30am

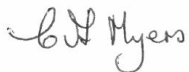
The Governing Board is thorough in their approach to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of our children. The appointment and interview process will explore issues relating to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. The post will be subject to DBS enhanced clearance and in line with Keeping Children Safe in Education 2024 an online search will be carried out as part of our due diligence on shortlisted candidates.

Please note the closing date for applications is **Monday, 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025 at 12.00pm.**

Completed applications should be return by post to **Mrs C A Myers (Headteacher), Helmshore Primary School, Gregory Fold, Helmshore, Rossendale, Lancashire, BB4 4JW** or by emailing **office@helmshore.lancs.sch.uk.**

Thank you for your interest in the school. We look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,



**Mrs C A Myers**  
Headteacher