

Woodlea Junior School
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Temporary Class Teacher, October 2025 or sooner

Woodlea is a great school to work at: happy, supportive, mindful of work life balance, content parents, a caring governing body and not to mention ... our amazing children!

Please come and visit us to see for yourself?

The successful applicant will join our talented, enthusiastic, hardworking team and have whole class teaching responsibility, as well as making a valuable contribution to the wider life of the school.

Woodlea is at an exciting time on our next stage of growth and development. We are looking for someone who will inspire and challenge our children to grow intellectually and culturally, and to be endlessly ambitious for them.

Woodlea Junior School is an above average-sized school with 226 children on roll. Our children are taught in 8 classes; two per year group, which are mixed ability.

Children at Woodlea benefit from being part of a school family where they feel secure, valued and cared for. Our children enjoy studying a wide, varied and rich curriculum and we aim to provide them with opportunities to support the community they live in and people they live amongst. The wider community includes supportive parents and governors, who are knowledgeable, supportive and play an active role within the life of the school.

We are looking for someone who is committed to securing high standards of teaching and learning, has a positive influence and is passionate about making a difference to all our children at Woodlea, enabling them to grow ambitions by unlocking their potential.

This role is suitable for both ECTs and more experienced teachers: within your supporting statement, please state your areas of expertise, interests and strengths.

Without exception, everyone who visits Woodlea Junior School is impressed by the warm welcome they receive. They comment on the behaviour and respectful manner of all our children, the calm purposeful work ethic and the clarity of our aspiration for all at Woodlea.

Key Dates

Visits to the school

- Monday 8th September, 9.30am
- Tuesday 9th September, 2pm
- Friday 12th September, 1.30pm
- Tuesday 16th September, 9.30am

Closing date & Shortlisting

- Monday 22nd September, 12pm

Lesson Observations

- Weeks beginning 22nd and 29th September

Following all lesson observations, if successful, you will be invited to Woodlea for your interview

Invite to interview - Tuesday 7th October

If you are ambitious and passionate about making a difference to our children and would like to join a strong and dedicated team of exceptional educators, I hope you will apply for the advertised post.

In your letter, please state any relevant experience for the post and curriculum interests and strengths. I look forward to meeting you during one of the visits to the school.

Please do not hesitate to contact school or visit the school website www.woodleajuniors.co.uk if you require any further information.

Regards,

Jillian Shorrocks

Headteacher