Days Lane Primary School

Seeking high standards in a happy, inclusive school.

Dear Applicant

Thank you for your interest in our vacancy for a Year 3 class teacher, to cover a maternity leave from February 2019 (Spring 2), until the end of the academic year. The post is for a main scale/UPS class teacher.

Days Lane is a very popular and successful three form entry community school providing an inclusive, caring and stimulating learning environment for children aged three to eleven. The school has a tradition of high academic success and offers a range of enriching activities.

On 1 April 2014 the school became a stand-alone academy. The conversion to academy status was very much supported by governors, staff and parents. Whilst we are a stand-alone academy, we remain committed to working closely with a network of other primary schools in Bexley.

At Days Lane Primary, we strive for excellence and set high standards for all. Good can never be good enough for our children and we aspire to be an outstanding school. We encourage children's progress and celebrate their achievements. Staff, governors and parents work closely together to support children's learning and community links are strong. We are looking for a teacher who shares our philosophy that children deserve the best, and who is committed to giving of their best. The successful candidate will have high expectations of all children and be able to inspire and motivate. He or she will be, or have the potential to become, an excellent practitioner.

Enclosed is information on the post, its requirements and an application form. Visits to the school are warmly welcome and highly recommended. Appointments can be arranged by contacting Miss Mendy on 0208 300 1697 or emailing her on admin@dayslaneprimary.couk You may also like to look at our website www.dayslaneprimary.co.uk as a further source of information. **The final date for receiving applications is Monday 10 December 2018.** Please note that **interviews will be held on Thursday 13 December.**

Days Lane Primary School actively promotes the welfare and safety of children and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The post is subject to an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check.

The post is considered to be a customer –facing position; as such it falls within scope of the Code of Practice on English language requirement for public sector workers. The school therefore has statutory duty under Part 7 of the Immigration Act 2016 to ensure that post holders have a command of spoken English sufficient for the effective performance of the job requirement. The appropriate standards are set out in the person specification. These will be applied during the recruitment selection and probationary stages.

This is a great opportunity for the right candidate to become part of a friendly and highly motivated team! I very much look forward to meeting you.

Yours sincerely,

Joanna Trusty
Headteacher