

Shrewsbury International School

Job Opportunity

Position / Job Primary Teacher (Early Years / Key Stage 1)

Specification:

Posting Date: 24th November 2017

Closing Date: 12th January 2018

Department: Primary

Salary: Shrewsbury International School QTS salary scale applies.

Benefits: An excellent international package of benefits including:

- Two-year contracts;
- Excellent brand new accommodation close to the city centre Bangkok for singles and couples is available adjacent to the school (currently under construction). There will also be the option for singles, couples and families at Bangkok Garden, a short journey from the school (www.bangkokgarden.com). The accommodation is provided free of charge, although a small tax deduction is made at source. There is also an option to 'live out' with an allowance given for this.
- Flights at the beginning and end of each contract;
- Relocation allowance at the beginning and end of employment;
- Medical insurance with BUPA;
- Generous support for personal professional development

General:

Following the success of Shrewsbury International School Bangkok Riverside where 1700 students study in one of Southeast Asia's top performing schools, a brand new second campus will be opened in the heart of the city in August 2018.

Shrewsbury International School Bangkok (City Campus) will share the same values, ethos and mission of the Riverside Campus and will cater exclusively for primary aged children. 640 places will be available from Early Years 1 (Age 3+) to Year 6 (Ages 11+).

Both campuses will come together to form Shrewsbury International School Bangkok and children from City Campus will graduate to Riverside in Year 7 (Age 12+).

City Campus will establish its own unique identity and the two campuses will integrate and liaise with each other creating exciting opportunities for both children and for staff.

The school itself is currently under construction, ahead of schedule. It will be operating on 25,000sqm of learning space. There are 4 major buildings which have the capacity to fit 640 students. A dance studio, air conditioned gymnastic centre, ball courts and indoor running track and two swimming pools, football pitch and outdoor running track are all designed bespoke for primary aged children.

The classrooms are designed with flexibility in mind for different learning styles and collaboration. They will be fitted with Furnware furniture and Community Playthings; a natural environment creating an oasis in the city.

The link with Shrewsbury School UK (www.shrewsbury.org.uk) is taken very seriously and, year-on-year, develops into a world-class educational partnership.

Position
Summary:

Class Teachers work within a supportive year group team of four teachers coordinated by a Year Team Leader or Phase Leader. Each team works closely and plans together. All classes have a full time Teaching Assistant and a level of EAL support. Class teachers are responsible for the class and the teaching of the Early Years Foundation Stage profile (EY teachers) English, Mathematics,

Science, Humanities, Art and Learning for Life (Key Stage 1). Linked learning, creativity and an added international dimension enrich the curriculum. A range of subject specialist taught lessons further enhance the provision. A vibrant after school activity programme, 'You Time' is contributed to by all class teachers. The Primary School will be resourced, thriving and successful with a range of ICT resources available to aid learning. Our students are diligent, motivated and enthusiastic. We benefit from close communication and relationships with our parent body.

Candidate

The successful candidate:

Profile:

- Will be a fully qualified teacher with QTS
- Will be a dedicated outstanding teacher capable of inspiring students:
- Will have a full working knowledge of The National Curriculum for England for Key Stage 1 and/ or Development Matters guidance for the EYFS;
- Will have the ability and aspiration to attain high standards;
- Will have a track record of exceptional pastoral care and be able to prioritise the happiness and wellbeing of all students;
- Will have either experience of working with English Language Learners (ELL) or a desire to broaden his / her experience and skills in EAL teaching and learning strategies;
- Will have excellent assessment for learning skills;
- Will have a flexible and creative approach to working within the school curriculum and structures;
- Will have demonstrated an appreciation of the value of the extra-curricular dimension in developing the potential of students:
- Will have excellent interpersonal attributes with children, colleagues, parents and other professionals;
- Will have a positive approach to professional development particularly in the areas of EAL and ICT;
- Will have a strong commitment and positive attitude to team work; have the experience and mind set to make a productive contribution to support and develop this across the school.

Will have the ability to work within and apply all school policies
 e.g. behavior management, child protection, Health and
 Safety, Equal Opportunities etc.

Desirable

A minimum of 3 years teaching experience

Criteria:

Teaching in the UK and/or with the English National Curriculum will be an advantage.

Child

Safeguarding:

Shrewsbury International School is committed to Safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children.

The successful candidate will be required to:

- Attend in-house Child Safeguarding programmes
- Promote and safeguard the welfare of all students in the school
- Report to the Child Protection Officer any concerns they have for the welfare of a student. This may include unsafe practices witnessed within the school as outlined in the school's Whistleblowing Policy
- Keep professional relationships with students where personal boundaries are respected and maintained
- Seek advice from a Line Manager or Child Protection Officer with issues or concerns related to Child Safeguarding.

Requirements:

- Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service Check (DBS) prior to the start of contract.
- Formal proof of identity with photo ID (Original Driving License / Passport).
- 3 signed, confidential references (one of which will be from the candidate's current headteacher) before the start of contract.
- Verification of original qualifications.

How to Apply:

Applications will be only be accepted through the school application portal, at www.shrewsbury.ac.th/city-campus-vacancies.

Further Details: Full details of the school are available on our website at http://city.shrewsbury.ac.th

Any queries should be forwarded to Ms. Amanda Dennison, Principal, Shrewsbury International School City Campus amanda.d@shrewsbury.ac.th