



DEPUTY HEADTEACHER

Job Description

1. To undertake a range of leadership and management roles and responsibilities as agreed with the headteacher.
2. To deputise for the headteacher, as required.
3. To work collaboratively within the SLT to create, implement and review whole school policies and procedures.
4. To adopt a high profile amongst staff and pupils, promoting high expectations and achievements.
5. To represent and promote Morpeth School both internally through assemblies and meeting with families and visitors, and externally within the local community including other schools, the local authority and other agencies, as relevant.
6. To participate in, and lead, professional activities for staff.
7. To carry out all professional duties commensurate with this post as directed by the Headteacher.

Selection criteria

1. Evidence of effective teaching in an inclusive school, and the ability to share good practice.
2. Evidence of a wide range of leadership skills.
3. Evidence of an understanding of how to create and sustain an environment, within a fully inclusive school, where all pupils can achieve academic and personal success.
4. Evidence of the ability to lead and manage successful whole school initiatives from inception, through implementation to completion.
5. Knowledge and understanding of how monitoring, evaluation and review can lead to improved pupil achievement.
6. Knowledge, and critical understanding, of key issues currently facing school leadership teams.
7. Evidence of the ability to think creatively and solve problems.
8. Evidence of a commitment to your own and others' continuous professional development.