Rhyl Community Primary School

EYFS & Year 1

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Year 2 - Year 6

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Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in the post of Deputy Head Teacher at our school. We hope that you enjoy looking through the information provided, and that you decide to apply and join our great team.

The Governing Body is looking to appoint an exemplary, experienced leader with a proven track record, high expectations and very good interpersonal skills. In return we will provide them with enthusiastic and well-behaved learners, a genuine commitment to continuing and enhancing their professional development, dedicated time to manage responsibilities and a warm and friendly working environment. This is an excellent opportunity for you to further your professional development and to develop your leadership and management experience in preparation for headship.

This is a non-class based role with a regular teaching commitment to support Year 6 for one session per day. You will work closely with the Head of School and other Deputy Head and will have day to day responsibility for managing the Rhyl Street site (Y2 - Y6) together with the Head of School. The key responsibilities of the post are:

- Leadership of curriculum and assessment across the school
- Responsibility for midday provision, after school clubs and extra-curricular opportunities for pupils
- Responsibility for organisational matters including timetables, cover arrangements, rotas and routines
- Designated Safeguarding Lead
- Key member of the strategic leadership team with shared responsibility for teaching and learning

About our School

Rhyl Community Primary School is a very happy school with genuinely fantastic staff and really lovely children. We are a two form entry primary school across two school sites. We merged with another local primary school in September 2022 and are proud to have opened a 2 year old provision, extensive Family and adult learning with a children's centre and community hub development later this year. Rhyl is a unique school in Camden and leads the way as a school serving the community with extensive wrap around services. It is a very exciting time to join our school as we continue to expand and develop.

We have a high number of children with wide ranging and complex Special Educational Needs and are strongly committed to inclusion for everyone. Rhyl is recognised as providing excellent inclusive provision for children with complex needs and this is due to our highly skilled and committed staff. We want our pupils to have the highest aspirations and the highest achievement possible. Our children are well-motivated, enthusiastic and eager to learn. We have developed an exciting cross-curricular and creative curriculum which provides meaningful learning experiences for all of our children.





















We have an award-winning kitchen garden and teaching kitchen and work closely with the Jamie Oliver Food Foundation to promote growing and cooking within the curriculum as well as with Adopt a Chef and the Ritz who have adopted the school and run workshops with the children. Music is integral to all that we do and we have won many awards as well as having close partnerships with the London Symphony Orchestra and the Barbican. Literacy and reading are the foundation of our curriculum which is a theme based approach and provides dedicated opportunities for children to learn through the expressive arts as well as through regular visits to London venues.

Rhyl is an Outstanding school with many exceptional attributes. We have a challenging intake, but never allow this to lower our expectations of pupils and their achievement.

We are an ambitious school and are keen to recruit only the very best candidate to join our fantastic team. Think about your skills, expertise and ambitions carefully and apply for the post with us if you like what you read. We are looking for a talented leader to further enrich our school and further develop our practice. First and foremost we are looking for an exciting and inspiring teacher who has passion and cares about the difference they make to children's lives. We are also looking for someone who has a passion and excellent understanding about the needs of children with additional needs and who are most vulnerable. If this is you, then come and have a look for yourself or telephone to find out more. When you visit the school you will see first hand our excellent facilities and the many teaching and learning spaces we have available.

Visits are strongly encouraged, but we recognise that time is short and it may not be possible to visit during the working day. Senior Leadership is a big step and you need to make the right choice. This involves finding out everything that you can about the school, looking around and seeing what it's really like and asking challenging questions. Ideally you will visit when the school is in operation.

To arrange a visit please phone the school office on 020 7485 4899.

The closing date for applications is at noon on Wednesday 16 October 2024. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted, with interviews and tasks taking place during week beginning 21 October 2024.

I hope that you find the enclosed information helpful and would very much like to speak with you to tell you more about our school and answer any questions you may have. Please do contact me on my mobile for an informal conversation: 07803 210390

I look forward to meeting you, and showing you a little more of what makes Rhyl Community Primary School so special.

With best wishes

Helen Connor

Executive Head Teacher

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