

Rhyl Community Primary School

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Dear Applicant,

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

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. Rhyl has extensive additional provision including 2 year old nursery, children's centre family services, extensive family and adult learning and community services running from the school.

It is a very exciting time to join our school as we continue to expand and develop. Rhyl has an excellent reputation for outstanding inclusive practice in the local authority and we are looking to develop this to provide support to local schools whilst extending what we can offer to our families and the community of schools in Camden. The school currently hosts the Camden Primary Inclusion Satellite which provides a two term intervention support for pupils at risk of exclusion.

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 a large Inclusion Team and the school has a strong commitment to Inclusion at every level. Due to the high level of need at Rhyl, we have identified and prioritised an assistant SENDCo post to provide a high level of in-class support for staff and children as well as completing administrative responsibilities. This is an excellent opportunity for a teacher aspiring to become a SENDCo and we offer support and funding for the SENDCo accreditation. You will receive a high level of support and training on the job from the leadership team, SENDCo and a team of outside professionals who work with the school.

We are an outward facing school and work very effectively with a wide range of outside agencies and professionals. There is an emphasis placed on CPD for all staff in developing their inclusive practice and as a result our team includes much expertise. We are especially proud of our record in supporting children who have exceptionally high levels of need and SEMH needs to enable them to successfully achieve within our mainstream provision.

We have an award-winning kitchen garden and teaching kitchen and work closely with a number of outside organisations to promote growing and cooking within the curriculum as well as with Adopt a Chef and the Ritz who run regular 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 firsthand our excellent facilities and the many teaching and learning spaces we have available.

Visits are strongly encouraged; to arrange a visit please phone the school office on 020 7485 4899.

The closing date for applications is at noon on Friday 24 January. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted, with interviews and tasks taking place week beginning 27 January 2025

I hope that you find the enclosed information helpful and 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

