



# SHREWSBURY INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

BANGKOK

Shrewsbury International School

## Job Opportunity

Position / Job Junior School Cover Teacher (full time)

Specification:

Posting Date: 9<sup>th</sup> August 2019

Closing Date: Applications will be considered as they arrive

Department: Pre Prep and Prep

Salary: Shrewsbury International School QTS salary scale applies.

Benefits: An excellent international package of benefits including:

- Two-year contracts;
- Excellent accommodation in Central Bangkok for singles and couples is available subject to availability at The Chatrium, adjacent to the school ([www.chatrium.com](http://www.chatrium.com)) or for singles, couples and families at Bangkok Garden, only minutes from the school ([www.bangkokgarden.com](http://www.bangkokgarden.com)). The accommodation is provided free of charge, although a small tax deduction is made at source.
- Flights at the beginning and end of each contract;
- Relocation allowance at the beginning and end of employment;
- Medical insurance with Aetna (Thailand);
- Generous support for personal professional development

Position Summary: The Cover teacher will have a planned fixed timetable of cover for class teachers. However, this will be adjusted in the event of planned absence (CPD for example) or unplanned absence (sickness for example) of a class teacher.

Class Teachers work within a supportive year group team of five teachers coordinated by a Year Team 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) Literary, Numeracy, Science, Humanities, Art and Learning for Life. Linked learning, creativity and an added international dimension enrich the curriculum. A range of subject specialist taught lessons further enhance the curriculum. A vibrant after school activity programme, 'You Time' is contributed to by all class and cover teachers. The Junior School is well 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.

General: Shrewsbury is one of South East Asia's outstanding international schools, with enrolment of 1700 students from Early Years to Sixth Form, exceptional examination results and particular strengths in the creative arts, design and sport. The school itself enjoys a delightful and spectacular setting, right on the banks of the Chao Phraya River in the heart of Bangkok. The school is readily accessed by road and boats, which provide an easy and quick link to Bangkok's Skytrain and the city centre. The link with Shrewsbury School UK ([www.shrewsbury.org.uk](http://www.shrewsbury.org.uk)) is taken very seriously and, year-on-year, develops into a world-class educational partnership.

Candidate Profile: The successful candidate:

- will be fully qualified teacher with QTS
- will be a dedicated teacher capable of inspiring students;
- will have a full working knowledge of The National Curriculum for England for Key Stage 1 or Key Stage 2 and/ or Development Matters guidance for the EYFS;

- will have the ability and aspiration to attain high standards;
- 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 assessment for learning skills;
- will have a flexible 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 skills and a positive approach to professional development particularly in the areas of EAL and ICT;
- will have the ability to work within and apply all school policies e.g. behaviour management, child protection, Health and Safety, Equal Opportunities etc

Child  
Safeguarding:

Shrewsbury International School is committed to Safeguarding and Child Protection 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 Speak Out (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:

- International Child Protection Certificate (ICPC) prior to the start of contract.
- Formal proof of identity with photo ID (Original Driving License / Passport).

- 2 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 only be accepted on the official Shrewsbury International School Application Form, which is available on the school website "Job Vacancies" page.

Further Details: Full details of the school are available on our website at [www.shrewsbury.ac.th](http://www.shrewsbury.ac.th).

Any queries should be forwarded to Vice Principal (Head of Junior), Ms. Sally Weston ([sally.w@shrewsbury.ac.th](mailto:sally.w@shrewsbury.ac.th))