

Dear Applicant,

As Head Teacher I am extremely proud to be leading Castle Primary School through these exciting changes supported by hardworking and committed staff. Our school offers children high quality learning experiences in a semi-rural setting, encouraging them to develop new skills and knowledge both in the classroom and the outdoors.

Castle Primary School provides an outstanding educational experience for children from 3 to 11 years old. We offer:

- · a varied curriculum which stimulates children both physically and mentally.
- · an environment where children feel safe and supported.
- a setting that is spacious and exciting.

Each child is encouraged to develop their independence and confidence whilst working together to learn new skills and art forms. We provide enriched outdoor learning sessions for all ages through our Forest School provision enabling every child to interact with our wonderful surroundings.

We also place importance on the performing arts ensuring that each child can reach their potential within a range of drama, dance and singing lessons. The children enjoy performing on many occasions for their families, culminating in our end of year presentation evening.

Castle Primary School converted to an Academy on 1st March 2015 joining with Congleton High School and Black Firs Primary as part of Congleton Multi-Academy Trust, this became the Learning Alliance in Sept 2020. In September 2023 the Learning Alliance merged with The Learning for Life Partnership to form The Learning Partnership. This is a trust of 14 schools which will deliver education to 7500 pupils.

By working together and sharing all our expertise it is envisaged that our family of schools will continue to grow and develop, providing exceptional learning opportunities for all of our pupils. Castle Primary School is a feeder for Congleton High School.

Our school has continued to grow over the last year whilst maintaining the values and community feeling of a small school. We enjoy good success with our results at both Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2. Our Early Years children also achieved a Good Level of development.

Please contact the school on 01782 433218 if you would like to arrange a visit to look round.

Miss Jill Mason

Head Teacher