



BRIGHTON COLLEGE
INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
BANGKOK

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Teacher of Key Stage 1

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY 21ST FEBRUARY 2025

START DATE: AUGUST 2025

ABOUT BRIGHTON COLLEGE BANGKOK

Brighton College Bangkok is a dynamic, fast-growing and exciting school looking for an enthusiastic and passionate Teacher of Key Stage 1. This is a unique opportunity to join an exceptional and hard working team with the united goal of ensuring that every child reaches their potential both academically and socially, by pushing boundaries and broadening horizons.

Our expectation is that all teachers at the College will show a desire to collaborate and inspire pupils, demonstrating the highest standards in terms of organisational and pedagogical skills with a willingness to contribute to the rich co-curricular life of this busy school.

Working for a Brighton College school

Brighton College schools are fantastic places to work. Brighton College is the leading co-educational school in the UK and was named 'UK School of the Decade' by *The Sunday Times*. Brighton College Bangkok was named 'British International School of the Year' at the Independent Schools of the Year Awards 2024.

All Brighton College schools are renowned for their excellent academic results and innovative approaches to teaching and learning, and to curriculum development, all while placing kindness and community at their hearts. Since opening in 2016, Brighton College Bangkok has grown impressively at around 100 pupils a year. The school achieves outstanding academic results over 70% A*-A in our current 4 year rolling average, with pupils securing places at the world's highest ranking universities.



The Brighton College Family of Schools includes four Prep Schools in the UK and six current international schools. In total over 8,000 pupils are educated in Brighton College schools around the world. Working at a Brighton College school means having a base in one of eight exciting cosmopolitan cities - London, Brighton, Bangkok, Dubai, Al Ain, Abu Dhabi, Singapore and Hanoi.

This international network provides teachers and school leaders with the potential to make fruitful connections, and brings a range of opportunities for career progression and promotion. In addition, staff at Brighton schools frequently share best practice and benefit from CPD across the whole group.

Most importantly, Brighton College schools are happy places. Staff and pupils feel fulfilled, and our emphasis on kindness fosters a thriving intellectual, sporting and performing arts culture. We hope you will enjoy this opportunity to join a fantastic group of professionals working across our family of schools.



We take great pride in recruiting only the very best teachers to Brighton College Bangkok. We know that outstanding teachers change lives. Our teaching at all levels is characterised by passion, academic rigour and innovation, with teachers taking an active role in designing and delivering our bespoke version of the English National Curriculum.



Brighton College Bangkok has regularly won awards for its outstanding educational provision and academic excellence. Three times a finalist (2022, 2023, 2024) for the prestigious Independent School of The Year awards in the **British International School of the Year** category, the school won the award in 2024. Brighton College Bangkok is also a winner of **Inclusion and Equality** awards as well as for **Community Engagement**. The College is recognised as designing and building some of the most innovative learning spaces in the region and for its hosting of the biggest annual Model United Nations conference in South East Asia. Brighton College Bangkok strives to use its award-winning facilities to bring young people together in so many wonderful ways.

BRIGHTON COLLEGE
INTERNATIONAL
SCHOOLS



850+
teaching
staff



30
subjects
offered



150+ CHARITIES AND PROJECTS SUPPORTED

11 SCHOOLS IN THE BRIGHTON
COLLEGE FAMILY



25+ NUMBER OF COUNTRIES
WHERE OLD BRIGHTONIANS
ATTEND UNIVERSITY



8,000+
pupils in
our schools



AFFORDABLE LIVING

Bangkok may be Thailand's capital and a true mega-city, but the cost of living is low. Utilities, food and entertainment are a fraction of the costs in the UK or the US and, whether you choose to live simply or enjoy life's little luxuries, numerous accommodation options are available for a range of budgets.



TASTY FOOD

Thai food has a reputation for being fresh, light and healthy – it's also delicious, thanks to the liberal use of fresh herbs and chilli. Bangkok has one of the richest food scenes in Asia, with food vendors, hole-in-the wall restaurants, and a host of upmarket international dining options. You'll be spoilt for choice in this capital of excellent cuisine.



FESTIVALS & CULTURE

Immerse yourself in Thai culture. Over 400 gleaming temples co-exist with skyscrapers in a fascinating blend of the ancient and hyper-modern. In Bangkok, Buddhist festivals go hand in hand with global and international ones. Visit the floating markets; enjoy the Songkran Water Festival; and welcome in the Thai New Year with temple visits, food and celebrations.



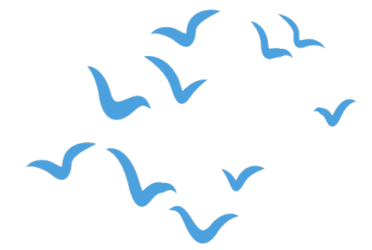
VIBRANT SOCIAL LIFE

Bangkokians are very welcoming and hospitable; Thailand is known as the Land of Smiles after all! Whether you're attending a show; listening to music; sipping a cocktail in a rooftop bar admiring the skyline sunset over the Chao Phraya River; or shopping at the bustling night markets, Bangkok's social scene has something for everyone.



COMMUNITY LIVING

With a significant and active expat community, Bangkok has a range of healthcare and education facilities, grocery stores and restaurants catering for a range of international tastes. Whether living in a city centre Condominium, Housing Community, or a traditional Thai House, neighbours quickly welcome you as part of their group.



10 reasons to live in Bangkok

Celebrated as one of the best cities in the world, there are plenty of reasons to choose Bangkok as your home. From food to art and architecture; access to stunning islands and big city excitement, here are ten reasons to live and work in Bangkok.



CITY OF ANGELS

Known in Thai as "Krung Thep" to the locals, the "City of Angels" (with Royal Palaces and the lore of Vishvakarma) is a vibrant city that has something for everyone. Bangkok's unique blend of modernity and tradition means you will feel equally at home strolling through a city-centre tropical forest park; taking a traditional boat tour on the river and canals; shopping in the latest high-tech malls or historical markets; or enjoying the tranquility of a temple.



ISLANDS & HIGHLANDS

With International and Domestic airports accessible via an excellent public transport system Bangkok makes the perfect base. Travelling to the famous white sandy beaches of islands such as Ko Samui; the hill towns and mountains around Chiang Mai; and elephant spotting in the tropical forest allow you to get in touch with nature. Ancient villages, rivers, caves and beaches are all within easy reach of the city for fantastic day trips.



DIVERSE & COSMOPOLITAN

Bangkok is the hub of Thailand and its cultural and historical centre. Home to hundreds of different cultures and nationals, you will quickly find your niche and feel at home. Enjoy haute-cuisine delivered by Michelin starred chefs; find peace and serenity in incense-filled temples; shop for glamorous brands in boutique shops; explore the buzzing art and music scenes; or just watch a train squeeze through the market stalls.



GREEN

There are a large number of parks and green spaces scattered throughout the city. Benjakitti Forest Park offers stunning views of the city and its forest, from numerous boardwalks, sprawling across a vast and verdant 180 acre site. Given the trees, mangroves and water features, it is hard to believe you are still in the heart of one of the largest cities in the world. Join locals for a jog, whilst listening to the wonderful bird song.



CONVENIENCE & SAFETY

Anything you need can be accessed at all hours. No matter how late, you can find a food stall making fresh Pad Thai or other roadside delicacies. There are countless ways to get around including the Skytrain, MRT (subway), motorbike taxis, boat taxis, tuk-tuks, buses, and regular taxis. It's a city that you will feel safe and at home in. Thai people are very accepting of foreigners and are always willing to help with a smile.





Brighton College Bangkok is looking to appoint a Key Stage 1 Teacher. For the right candidate, this challenge represents an exciting and highly rewarding experience.

About the role

TEACHER OF KEY STAGE 1

Personal Skills

- Enthusiastic and passionate about education with a sound understanding of UK best practice
- Flexible and adaptable to the varied demands of working in a world-class school environment
- A highly positive and optimistic mindset - able offer a lot, and to encourage and motivate others
- The capacity to lead and to inspire others and to be an active participant in dynamic teams
- Creative and innovative thinking - an aspiration for what is possible, across and beyond the curriculum
- Able to work successfully under pressure, with excellent time-management and organisational skills
- A keenness to participate and to engage with all training, development, induction and appraisal processes
- Able to present a professional image in line with the high expectations of Brighton College
- A talented communicator, orally and in writing
- A confident and competent user of IT in the classroom and for administrative purposes
- To lead by example in all areas of school life and to be a powerful role model for colleagues as an outstanding practitioner
- To teach and carry out other professional duties as required by senior leaders, and to lead and actively support the College vision and values at all times.

Teaching and Learning

- To encourage all pupils to reach their academic and creative potential through enthusiastic and personalised teaching, tailored challenge, rigorous record keeping.
- To be aware of, and comply with, all the College policies including those for marking and assessment, teaching and learning and reporting
- To develop and share schemes of work and resources, using in-house formats
- To assist with covering colleagues as required
- To attend all meetings and INSET as required
- To prepare, invigilate and assess, as required, internal and external tests and examinations
- To work as a Tutor or Support Tutor in a specified year group
- To show an active interest in each child's pastoral care, and to foster the personal and social developments of each pupil
- To actively promote the social, moral and cultural ethos of the College community
- To create an atmosphere of support by being aware of, and fully compliant with, all the College Policies.
- To promote exemplary behaviour and a responsible attitude among pupils
- To be aware of and act upon all policies regarding the safeguarding of children

Professional Responsibilities

- To promote pride in the College among the pupil body through high standards of dress behaviour and commitment
- To ensure that all communication is acted upon appropriately and in a timely manner
- To attend Parents' Evenings, Assemblies and other school events during term time as the Head may from time to time require
- To be responsible for all College resources, particularly those in your care, reporting damage or loss to the appropriate authority within the College
- To contribute to the virtual learning environment, the website, social media and publications in support of your work
- To contribute to College Self Evaluation and Development Plan
- To carry out any reasonable professional request made by the Headmaster, Head of School or line manager



Person Specification

All roles at Brighton College Bangkok require levels of qualifications and experience commensurate with life in a busy and high-performing school.

Candidates will require the interpersonal skills to engage with a wide range of stakeholders from different cultural backgrounds, and the intellect, sensitivity and humility to collaborate with a team of staff who will all play a vital role in creating a culture of kindness and safeguarding children.

Candidates will also be required to show a clear commitment to Brighton College's mission, values and educational philosophy.

EXPERIENCE AND EXPECTATIONS

- A good, relevant Honours Degree with PGCE and/or Qualified Teacher Status (QTS) is a requirement.
- Strong academic and intellectual credentials, including the ability to command the respect of staff, pupils and parents in this academically selective school.
- A strong commitment to continuing professional development with a proven track record of self-improvement and ambition in this area.
- Knowledge of all the skills and qualities that make for great teachers such as enthusiasm, the desire to innovate, team working, ambition for every pupil, excellent communication skills.
- A strong evidence base of outstanding pedagogy, of teaching and learning strategies and an excellent record as a teacher.
- A keenness to contribute to all dimensions of College life, especially co-curricular activities, clubs and societies.
- To be an ambassador of the College at all times, in school and in Thailand.

PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

- To promote pride in the College among the pupil body through high standards of dress, personal behaviour and commitment.
- To be an enthusiastic attendee and contributor to the school's CPD programme.
- To attend parents' evenings, assemblies, productions, sporting and other special school events during term time as the senior team may require.
- To be responsible for all College resources, particularly those in your care, reporting damage or loss to the appropriate authority within the College
- To foster a close partnership with parents, initiating contact in appropriate circumstances and ensuring that there is a record of this.
- From a pastoral and regulatory point-of-view, a full awareness of the vital importance of safeguarding children and adherence to all responsibilities and expectations at all times.
- Engaging with and adhering to the College's staff Code of Conduct, and promoting the values of confidence, curiosity and kindness at all times.



The application process

To apply, please upload all information to the "Documents" section on the TES online platform by **Friday 21st February 2025**.

Please include:

- An application letter of no more than two sides addressed to Mr. **Nick Gallop** (Head Master, Brighton College Bangkok) outlining your strengths (including co-curricular) and stating why you wish to be considered for the role.
- An up-to-date copy of your CV
- A completed TES online application form
- Three referees on your TES online application form, one of whom must be your current or most recent Head of School or Principal (the most senior member of academic staff).

Remuneration

- A competitive salary
- A relocation allowance
- Accommodation allowance
- 100% remission of school fees at Brighton College Bangkok for two children, subject to the usual standards and procedures for admission
- Medical insurance for the post holder, dependent spouse and up to two children
- Fight allowance to point of origin for the postholder, dependent spouse and up to two children at the end of contract.

Safeguarding

Brighton College is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of our pupils and expects all employees to share this commitment.

All applicants should read the College's Child Protection Policy, which is available on our website, and are required to declare any information as requested on the application form.

Enhanced disclosure with the Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) in the UK and a local police certificate will be requested for the successful candidate.