



## JOB DESCRIPTION



<b>Post title:</b>	Classroom Teacher
<b>Salary Range:</b>	Main Pay Range (Depending on experience)
<b>Contract Type:</b>	Temporary – 12 months from September 2024
<b>Responsible to:</b>	Headteacher

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Buckden Church of England Primary Academy is part of ACT, a newly formed Multi Academy Trust and is a vibrant and welcoming primary school. We pride ourselves on being a school that is at the heart of the local community, having strong links with our local parish church of St Mary's and the local community of Buckden.

As a Church of England school we place an emphasis on the development of the whole child – both academically and spiritually. The school has a strong Christian ethos, underpinned by a core set of aims and values developed by our wider community.

Our school was rated Outstanding in July 2015, we are continually striving to improve, and 'do things better'. Our primary focus is and will always be to continue to raise standards, whilst also endeavouring to provide a broader, stimulating and more engaging curriculum for everyone in our school, and give each and every child the best possible start to education that they can have.

The original school, now over a hundred years old, has been enlarged in four phases as the village has grown and there are now almost 350 children on roll. The majority of children come from the villages of Buckden, Southoe and Diddington, although there are a significant number who come from Huntingdon and surrounding villages.

As a Main Pay Range teacher you are required to be competent in all elements of the Teacher Standards, to discharge the Teachers Responsibilities as set out in Part 6 Contractual Framework for Teachers of the School Teachers Pay and Conditions Document 2013, and as may be amended by subsequent documents, and to act in accordance with the school's ethos, policies and practices, under the direction of the Headteacher/Executive Principal.

### **MAIN OBJECTIVES:**

#### **1 Teaching**

- 1.1 Plan and teach lessons and sequences of lessons to the class(es) you are assigned to teach within the context of the school's plans, curriculum and schemes of work in order to achieve target levels of pupil attainment, progress and outcomes;
- 1.2 Assess, monitor, record and report on the learning needs, progress and achievements of assigned pupils.
- 1.3 Set and mark work to be carried out by the pupil in school and elsewhere.
- 1.4 Participate in arrangements for preparing pupils for external examinations.

## **2 Whole school organisation, strategy and development**

- 2.1 Contribute to the development, implementation and evaluation of the school's policies, practices and procedures in such a way as to support the school's values and vision.
- 2.2 Work with others on curriculum and/or pupil development to secure co-ordinated outcomes.
- 2.3 Supervise and so far as practicable teach any pupils where the person timetabled to take the class is not available to do so. (You will not be required to provide such cover for more than 38 hours in any school year).

## **3 Health, safety and discipline**

- 3.1 Promote the safety and well-being of pupils in accordance with the school's Child Protection and other relevant policies.
- 3.2 Maintain good order and discipline among pupils in accordance with the school behaviour policy.

## **4 Management of staff and resources**

- 4.1 Direct and supervise support staff assigned to you and, where appropriate, other teachers.
- 4.2 Contribute to the recruitment, selection, appointment and professional development of other teachers and support staff.
- 4.3 Deploy resources delegated to you in accordance with school policies.

## **5 Professional development**

- 5.1 Participate in arrangements for the appraisal and review of your own performance and, where appropriate, that of other teachers and support staff.
- 5.2 Participate in arrangements for your own further training and professional development and, where appropriate, that of other teachers and support staff including induction.

## **6 Communication**

- 6.1 Communicate with pupils, parents and carers in accordance with the school ethos, policies and practice.

## **7 Working with colleagues and other relevant professionals**

- 7.1 Collaborate and work with colleagues and other relevant professionals within and beyond the school.
- 7.2 Participating in administrative and organisational tasks, including the direction or supervision of persons providing support for the teachers in the school, which require the exercise of your professional skills and judgment.

## **8 Fulfil wider professional responsibilities**

- 8.1 Make a positive contribution to the wider life and ethos of the school;

Specific details of the accountabilities (e.g. the allocated curriculum and/or pupil development accountability under paragraph 2.2 above) should be recorded below and reviewed annually by the appraiser.

Paragraph	Specific Additional Accountabilities

This job description and related documents provides the standards and framework for Performance Management Objectives for a Main Pay Range Teacher which will be set under the school's Appraisal Policy before, or as soon as practicable after, the start of each appraisal period.

The objectives set will be Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Realistic and Time-bound and will be appropriate to the teacher's role and level of experience. The appraiser and appraisee will seek to agree the objectives but, if that is not possible, the appraiser will determine the objectives. Objectives may be revised if circumstances change. The objectives set for each teacher will, if achieved, contribute to the school's plans for improving the school's educational provision and performance and improving the educational opportunities of pupils at that school.