



YEW TREE
PRIMARY ACADEMY

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KS2 CLASS TEACHER

1 X Permanent

1 X Maternity cover

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Closing date: Friday 14th June 2024 at 12pm, noon

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MEMBER OF THE
WADE DEACON TRUST



KS2 Class Teacher

JOB SUMMARY

SALARY: MPS/ UPS.
£30,000 - £46,525

START DATE: 1st
September 2024

WORKING PATTERN:
Full Time

CONTRACT:
1 x Permanent, 1 x
Maternity Cover

We are seeking to appoint an outstanding and inspirational KS2 Class Teacher to join our successful school. We are also looking to appoint a KS2 Class Teacher on a temporary basis to cover a maternity leave.

We pride ourselves in providing a secure, friendly, family environment, alongside high expectations, in which each child is encouraged to develop their skills and talents to the full. Our experienced staff, who collectively have a wealth of knowledge to drive forward innovative and inclusive education for all, are passionate about supporting pupils in making the best possible progress. You will share these values and be able to enthuse and motivate our pupils with your passion, presence and creative teaching approaches.

We have a clear vision that encourages all of our community to DREAMBIG for Excellence for All. With an unwavering child-centred ethos, we put our pupils at the heart of every decision we make.

We can offer you fantastic, eager children and supportive parents. Our dynamic and friendly staff are passionate about raising standards and aspirations for all children. Our school is well resourced and has a supportive and reflective Senior Leadership Team, Local Governing Body and Multi Academy Trust. We have a whole school commitment to professional development, as we believe that development of staff is a key aspect in raising standards for our pupils. As a member of the Wade Deacon Trust, we can offer you numerous exciting opportunities to further develop your career.

The Wade Deacon Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The post is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974, and is subject to an enhanced DBS check and satisfactory medical clearance



PRINCIPAL'S WELCOME

Thank you for your interest in this post at Yew Tree Primary Academy. We are extremely proud of our school and how pupils and staff work together in order to achieve the highest possible educational outcomes for all.

Yew Tree is a warm and welcoming school at the heart of the community in Halewood. We are committed to making the difference for all our children and young people. We are very much a school that places our children at the heart of all we do.

Our aim, across both our mainstream provision and our specialist provision, is to produce well-rounded young people who are prepared for our ever-changing world. Alongside the academic and creative learning, we want our children to be happy while with us and to develop a 'wellbeing' toolkit to take them on into adolescence and adulthood. We all feel immense pride in our achievements so far, and are confident in taking the school on an even more successful journey in the future.

Through a combined skills and knowledge-rich curriculum, engaging teaching, great relationships and strong partnerships, we work hard to ensure that Yew Tree is the best possible primary school experience for every child.

Our learning culture extends to all members of the school community and is based on high expectations for all.

Visitors often tell us that their first impression of the school is of a friendly, warm and stimulating learning community.

This is an excellent opportunity to join our successful school and to play a crucial role in our schools' further growth and success.

This application pack is designed to help you decide whether or not you feel that this school is one in which you would like to further your career by helping our children to DREAMBIG for Excellence for All.

Applications will be assessed on evidence of personal competence, communication skills, leadership qualities and personal attributes.

We would encourage you to come and find out more by getting in touch to arrange a tour of our school.

We look forward to receiving your application.

Mrs R O'Hanlon



ABOUT OUR SCHOOL

Yew Tree Primary Academy is a unique school, where 243 pupils are able to thrive and achieve their full potential within our mainstream Nursery, and Primary School, as well as within our Designated Specialist Provision (DSP).

We believe that children can achieve personal excellence through the teaching and modelling of our core values of determination, resilience, empowerment, adventure, motivation, being beautifully behaved, inclusive and generous, which drive all aspects of school life. We provide learners with their own learning toolkit through our vision to DREAM BIG for Excellence for All.

We have a continued commitment to making a difference for all of our children, with superb care, nurture and support as the foundation stones of our inclusive approach. With an unwavering child-centred ethos, we put our children at the heart of every decision we make.

Our most recent OFSTED inspection (Jan 2023) judged the school to be GOOD in all areas – a testament to the commitment and hard work of pupils, staff and parents

At Yew Tree it is our intention that our curriculum is balanced, provoking intellectual curiosity through building knowledge, extending opportunities to raise aspiration by having high expectations for all. This ensures learners have the cultural capital to confidently and competently take their place in society: developing critical thinking and the ability to express their own thoughts, feelings and ideas, as confident and resilient life-long learners. Each child continually practises taking risks; learning from mistakes and persevering towards their most ambitious goals with the qualities of mind empowering them to face any challenge.

On the 1st September 2018 Yew Tree Primary Academy joined the Wade Deacon Trust with a joint commitment to excellence.

Wade Deacon Trust

The Wade Deacon Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. This post is subject to pre-employment checks including an enhanced DBS disclosure, satisfactory medical clearance and evidence of eligibility to work in the UK. If you are shortlisted for interview, you will be asked to complete a Criminal Records Self-Disclosure form.



WHY WORK AT YEW TREE PRIMARY ACADEMY?

Yew Tree Primary Academy provides an exciting and extremely rewarding environment in which you can develop your skills and above all, enjoy your career.

We are an incredibly supportive school, who values your wellbeing. As a valued member of our team, you will enjoy the rewards of working alongside equally enthusiastic, dynamic and talented colleagues.

You will be joining Yew Tree at an exciting point along its journey, after recently being judged to be a GOOD school by OFSTED in Jan 2023 and being awarded IQM Flagship status for the third year. The reports state that:

'Staff enjoy working at the school. They benefit from regular training and development. Staff told inspectors that leaders are mindful of their workload and well-being.'
(OFSTED)

'Staff have high expectations of pupils' behaviour and achievement. Pupil's considerate behaviour in class ensures that disruption in lessons is rare.'
(OFSTED)

'Yew Tree Primary Academy is a growing and superbly inclusive community primary academy. It is a vibrant, ever-changing, and developing community ...'
(IQM)

Wade Deacon Trust

Yew Tree Primary Academy is a school in a growing multi-academy trust, The Wade Deacon Trust. The Trust is focused upon improving life chances for students and communities providing sustainable school improvement; and schools joining the Trust do so with the prime aim of improving each other so that they can all become outstanding schools.

The Trust comprises of nine academies working as equal partners, who strive for excellence in all they do for the benefit of their pupils.

The Trust aims to provide a supportive and collaborative context in which the schools can grow and develop. That support takes many forms but has a clear focus on high expectations, school improvement and continuous professional development, thus ensuring that all pupils can fulfil their potential.



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HOW TO APPLY

Application Forms

Any interested candidate should apply by completing the online application form and a personal statement addressing the following points:

- why you are interested in this post and how you have prepared yourself so far
- what contributions you feel you can make to students' development within our school
- any particular areas of strength and expertise you feel you may have

Our online application form is available via the school website; www.yewtreeknowsley.co.uk
If you have any difficulty completing the application form, please contact the school via email at c.graham@yewtreeknowsley.co.uk

Application Deadline

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Any questions, please contact

c.graham@yewtreeknowsley.co.uk

Safeguarding

The Wade Deacon Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The post is subject to an enhanced DBS check and satisfactory medical clearance.

This post is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 and therefore applicants are required to declare all unspent cautions and convictions; and also any adult cautions or spent convictions that are not protected as defined by the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exceptions) Order 1975 (Amendment) (England and Wales) Order 2020.

For further information on criminal record self-declaration please refer the guidance available on our website at

<http://www.wadedeacontrust.com/work-with-us/how-to-apply/criminal-records-sel/>





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