

# KS1 Teacher Job Description – The Grove Infant and Nursery School

Job Title: KS1 Class Teacher

Responsible to: KS1 Leader / Deputy Headteacher

Contract Type: Fixed term

Pay Scale: Main Pay Scale (MPS) -

## **Purpose of the Role**

To deliver high-quality teaching and learning experiences to children in Key Stage 1, fostering their academic, social, and emotional development in line with the school's vision: Happy + Inspired = Success.

## **Key Responsibilities**

### **Teaching & Learning**

- Plan with the support of Year group and deliver engaging lessons using the Key Stage 1 National Curriculum,
- Use Bug Club Phonics and Talk for Writing strategies to support literacy development.
- Promote reasoning and problem-solving in Maths using concrete resources like Numicon, tens frames, and number lines.
- Incorporate practical experiences, visits, and visitors to make learning real and memorable.

## **Assessment & Progress**

- Use formative and summative assessment to monitor pupil progress.
- Maintain accurate records and contribute to pupil reports and parent consultations.
- Support children in achieving excellent outcomes in national assessments, including the Year 1 Phonics Screening Check.

#### **Classroom Environment**

- Create a safe, inclusive, and stimulating classroom that reflects the school's values.
- Promote positive behaviour and emotional wellbeing through consistent routines and expectations.
- Work collaboratively with teaching assistants and support staff to meet individual pupil needs.

### **Professional Duties**

- Participate in staff meetings, INSET days, and whole-school initiatives.
- Engage in ongoing professional development and reflective practice.



- Uphold safeguarding procedures and contribute to the school's inclusive ethos.
- Liaise with parents, carers, and external agencies as needed.

# **Person Specification**

## **Essential**

- Qualified Teacher Status (QTS)
- Strong understanding of KS1 curriculum and pedagogy
- Commitment to inclusive education and safeguarding
- Ability to work collaboratively within a team

## **Desirable**

- Experience with phonics and early reading strategies
- Experience supporting children with SEND