



Edlington Victoria Academy

“Reach for the Stars”



Foundation Stage Leader

Required April 2022

MPS/UPS + TLR2b (£25,714 - £41,604)

The Directors of Exceed Learning Partnership wish to appoint a Foundation Stage Leader who would make an outstanding contribution to the education within our academy.

We would expect:-

- An Outstanding Practitioner with a creative and energetic approach to Teaching & Learning. Clear knowledge and understanding of the New National Curriculum.
- To lead an area of specialism for more experienced candidates.
- To be highly proficient in assessment for learning and effective in subsequent analysis in order to improve pupil outcomes.
- Strong literacy and numeracy skills.
- Excellent organisational skills.
- Experience of working with children with a range of needs.
- A good communicator with excellent interpersonal skills.
- A team player who contributes to whole school improvement.

We would offer:-

- Excellent career development working in a OFSTED rated ‘good’ academy.
- Talented and hard-working professional colleagues who are committed to children’s success across the curriculum.
- The most up to date research and opportunities to further develop professionally with excellent CPD programmes.
- Wonderful pupils and parents who support the academy in all its aspirations.

Edlington Victoria Academy is a highly popular and successful academy which has been rated as ‘good’ by Ofsted. The Executive Principal of the Trust is a National Leader of Education and the Principal of the Academy is an outstanding leader. As a Trust and an Academy, we are passionate about meeting all children's needs, ensuring their happiness and making the most of their individual talents. The focus on developing a lifelong love of learning is underpinned by rigorous attention to the development of essential skills and tools. We aim to balance high academic standards with particular expertise and emphasis on the creative arts. The Governors are committed to providing the very best educational opportunities for the children of Edlington. It is an exciting opportunity for you to join this team and ‘make a difference.’

We are a large primary academy, with a 52 place nursery. We have 8 classes throughout Key Stage 1 and Key stage 2. The academy has a very strong community ethos which influences all aspects of school life. Classrooms are equipped with Smart touch screens, lap tops and IPADS. The academy has developed a very strong and committed Leadership & Management Team who support the work of

the Executive Principal and Principal in leading/managing this academy. The academy has a high number of support staff to enhance learning opportunities including Pastoral Support team, HLTA and ICT technicians. It was graded as 'good' by Ofsted in July 2016. The Principal is a Specialist Leader of Education and an enhanced moderator for Key Stage 1. Sporting activities and achievements are a key feature of the academy. We use the Sports Coaches to provide the highest quality provision and to ensure that the widest range of activities are possible. In addition a large number of extra-curricular sporting activities are available for pupils during lunch time and after school. These are run by staff, playground leaders and the pupils'.

We promote diversity and applications are welcome from all, irrespective of sex, sexuality, race, religion, marital status, age or disability. The academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Appointments will be subject to Vetting and Barring Scheme disclosure.

Prospective applicants are very welcome to visit the academy Application packs are available from the academy or online on Doncaster Jobs.

Telephone Number 01709 862175

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The Directors and Governors of Exceed Learning Partnership are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and applicants will undergo child protection screening appropriate to the post, including checks with past employers. The role is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 and therefore candidates will be subject to an enhanced DBS certificate, the role is engaged in regulated activity and will therefore require a children's barred list check. Shortlisted Applicants will be required to complete a self-disclosure

The closing date for all applications: *21 February 2022 at 12pm*

Shortlisting date: *23 February 2022 from 9am*

Interviews: *28 February 2022 from 9am*

E-mail: ldyer@victoria.doncaster.sch.uk.

Our Academy Motto is: 'Reach for the Stars'

Principal: Mrs E Clark