ELLEN TINKHAM SCHOOL JOB DESCRIPTION

POST GRADING:- TEACHER, MPS - UPS + 1 SEN POINT

School Overview

Ellen Tinkham school is an 'Outstanding' Special School for children and young people aged 3 – 19 years, with severe and profound and multiple learning difficulties. A Person Centred Approach is embedded across the school, with an ethos of "Everyone will be the best they can be, everyone has a voice, no one is excluded".

The teacher will undertake duties in accordance with the latest School Teachers Pay & Conditions Document and is responsible through the Senior Managers to the Head Teacher.

Responsibilities will be:

- 1. To organise the class timetable.
- 2. To organise, co-ordinate and manage the work of support staff.
- 3. To oversee the planning and delivery of work of HLTA's, when necessary.
- 4. To plan objectives termly within individual programmes of work for each pupil.
- 5. To evaluate and assess the individual programmes termly, and compile a report for the Annual Reviews, within given timescales.
- 6. To promote the general progress and well being of individual pupils and of any assigned class or group.
- 7. To promote and safeguard the welfare of children and young people.
- 7. To record and report on the progress each pupil makes within the structure of the school's curriculum.
- 8. To provide and evaluate medium term planning, relevant to the age and ability of the pupils.
- 9. To provide for a wide range of teaching and learning styles to ensure pupil progress and achievement and to maintain each pupils motivation.
- 10. To participate in arrangements for further training and professional development as a teacher.
- 11. To participate in meetings at the school which relate to curriculum or the administration of the school.
- 12. To foster good relations with parents via home/school diaries, parents evenings and at all other times.
- 13. To foster good relations and communications with persons or organisations outside the school.

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- 14. To work collaboratively with therapy and medical staff within school.
- 15. To foster continuity of individual children's programmes transferred from one class to another and to other schools or agencies.
- 16. To set work/activities for class during time of planned absence, and collaborate with HLTA and/or Grade D TA to ensure delivery of appropriate work/activities.
- 17. To ensure a high standard of pupil work and behaviour in the classroom and beyond, to include high quality displays.
- 18 To attend annual Performance Development Review.
- 19. To contribute, on occasion, to the selection for appointment of other teachers and support staff.
- 20 To take part, as may be required, in the review, development and management of activities related to the curriculum, organisation and pastoral functions of the school.
- 21. To register the attendance of pupils.
- 22 To ensure the safety of pupils at all times by:-

Not leaving classes unattended; punctuality when on duty; vigilance during practical lessons; escorting pupils to assemblies or to other in-school venues as appropriate, or out of the building to and from their transport or during evacuation, and when off site on educational visits.

- 23. To be responsible for promoting and safeguarding the welfare of children and young people throughout the school.
- 24. To provide subject leadership across the school, within an agreed area.
- 25. To be prepared to administer emergency medication and carryout feeding programmes.
- 26. Adhere to H&S requirements, including completion of risk assessments.

This document outlines the duties required of the post holder for the time being, to indicate a level of responsibility. It is not a comprehensive or exclusive list and from time to time duties may be varied, which will not change the level of responsibility or general character of the job.

Signed

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