



## Reception Class Teacher (Maternity Cover)– St Barnabas and St Philip's School

*Our highly popular one-form entry primary school in the heart of Kensington is looking for a class teacher from October 2022.*

**Salary:** Inner London Weighting (M1-6 or UPS 1-3)

**Contract:** Full time, Maternity Cover *Part-time considered*

**Start Date:** October 2022

### **About Our School**

St Barnabas and St Philip's Church of England Primary School is a popular one-form-entry primary school located in the heart of Kensington.

In October 2021 we were inspected by Ofsted and received a Requires Improvement grade, after over 14 years of remaining at Outstanding status. While the judgement came as a disappointment to the school community, governors and senior leaders are determined to address the key points raised in the report and as such have already formed a partnership with an experienced external school improvement partner to bring the school back to an Outstanding status.

From September, a new Headteacher has been appointed and this is a fantastic opportunity to be part of a strong new team, where you will have the chance to make a significant difference to the school and its community.

### **Our Values**

As a Church of England School, we share close links with our parish communities at St Barnabas and St Philip's churches with a Christian ethos central to everything we do. Our core values of Friendship, Trust and Peace underpin school life with a view to ensuring we nurture the social, emotional, and spiritual well-being of pupils alongside providing a challenging and engaging curriculum.

### **Our Successful Candidate**

We are looking to appoint a committed and creative class teacher who works well in a team and has high aspirations for all pupils.

### **Our Offer**

Although our school is in the heart of the capital, we are proud of our strong sense of community, which is reflected in the active role our parents/carers take in their children's education and the wider life of our school. We can offer the successful candidate the chance to really make an impact on the future of our school and our pupils.

As a class teacher you will also benefit from:

- A brand-new classroom environment that was renovated over the Summer break
- The chance to be part of a committed and friendly team
- Excellent professional development opportunities
- Networking opportunities and partnership with other schools in the local authority and the LDBS.
- A well-established staff team with genuine passion for ensuring the very best outcomes for our pupils.
- Friendly and engaged children who are enthusiastic about learning

### **School Visits**

Visits to the school are encouraged. To arrange a visit from the week commencing Monday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2022 please contact Rebecca Timms (Headteacher) on [admin@sbsp.rbkc.sch.uk](mailto:admin@sbsp.rbkc.sch.uk) or 020 793 795 99.

If you are not able to make these visit dates, we may still be able to accommodate you upon request or arrange an opportunity to speak with our new headteacher.

### **Application Instructions**

All candidates are encouraged to review the Job Description and Person Specification for this role. Please complete an application form, including a personal statement no longer than 3 sides of A4 which details how you meet the criteria outlined in our person specification. CV's alone will not be accepted.

**Closing date for applications:** Friday 30th September 2022 at 12.00pm

**Shortlisting:** Friday 30th September 2022 (evening)

**Interview Date:** 5<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> October 2022

*St Barnabas and St Philip's Church of England Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The successful candidate will be subject to an enhanced DBS check, Children's Barred List check, pre-employment medical questionnaire, satisfactory reference checks and other pre-employment checks which may include psychometric assessment and social media screening.*