

# Job Advert Teacher of Key Stage 1 and Year Group Lead – August 2024

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#### Brighton College Abu Dhabi wishes to recruit a Teacher of Key Stage One

Brighton College Abu Dhabi, the sister school of Brighton College UK, is a leading Independent-style British International School located in the United Arab Emirates. With a prime location on Abu Dhabi Island and a purpose-built state-of-the-art campus, which is nearing its seventh anniversary, the school is heavily over-subscribed.

A key component of Brighton's internationalization is the importance its places upon ensuring that its sister schools are authentically interpreting its values and ethos. Each school combines academic excellence with a wealth of extra-curricular



opportunities, all underpinned by a deep commitment to the individual needs and enthusiasms of every child, and each values the importance of the individual: every boy and girl in the Brighton family of schools is valued for his or her own sake and encouraged to develop his or her talents to the full, in a community where there are no stereotypes and where every achievement, however small, is noticed.

Brighton's success is built upon recruiting genuinely inspirational teachers who can enthuse about their subject and will help to create an exciting and vibrant intellectual environment in which children can explore their interests, develop their existing talents, and acquire new ones.

We are currently seeking to appoint experienced, well-qualified, and inspirational teacher to join us in August 2024. This is a unique opportunity to join an exceptional and hardworking team with the united goal of ensuring that every child reaches their potential both academically and socially, by pushing boundaries and broadening horizons. Our positioning as one of the leading academic schools in the Middle East, are testament to the dedication and hard work of our common room.

Packages are amongst the best globally with an excellent basic salary and comprehensive benefits. We also offer exceptional levels of financial support for Continuing Professional Development.

#### **Pre-Prep School**

The KS1 Class Teacher is central to the education of children in the Pre-Prep School. This is a demanding and varied role in which the teacher will need to have a genuine love of working with young children, to share in their wonder and to inspire them to learn. They will need to have a genuine passion for teaching and learning and understand how young children learn and grow both academically and socially and emotionally.



# PERSON SPECIFICATION

- Essential qualities will include the ability to work collaboratively and to present to parents, pupils, and colleagues a warm, engaging, and approachable personality.
- The successful candidate will have a Bachelor of Education or an Early Childhood Education degree, or a degree and teaching qualification from a recognised academic institution.
- A distinguished record of teaching
- A strong record of professional development
- The successful candidate for this challenging and rewarding position will have at least 2 years' experience.

# JOB DESCRIPTION

Responsible for:	The KS1 Class Teacher is central to the education of children in the Pre-Prep School. This is a demanding and varied role in which the teacher will need to have a genuine love of working with young children, to share in their wonder and to inspire them to greatness. They will need to be flexible with their schedule and able to manage change at short notice with a calmness under pressure. Above all else they will ensure that in all aspects of their work, the needs of the children are the main consideration.
Consulting with:	All staff.
Reporting to:	Assistant Head of KS1, Head of Pre-Prep & Nursery School

# RESPONSIBILITIES OF POSITION

- To support and promote the school's ethos, aims and core values in order to promote the welfare, progress and continued development of the school and its children.
- As part of the MLT, monitor the quality of planning and teaching and learning across the year group, including the analysis of performance data.
- To contribute to the strategic direction and development of the year group, including updating the year group action plan and the development, implementation and monitoring of improvement plans based on year group self-evaluation.
- To ensure high standards of teaching and learning, behaviour, attendance and punctuality from pupils, in accordance with agreed school policy and practice
- To teach creative, engaging, and outstanding lessons, according to the educational needs of the pupils in his /her allocated class.



- To have up to date knowledge and understanding of the British Curriculum for KS1.
- To ensure all children make accelerated progress by ensuring you know each child's next steps through regular formative assessment.
- To be fully committed to personal professional development, attending courses and meetings as agreed with the Head of School and generally keeping up to date with new initiatives.
- To maintain a professional relationship with both colleagues and parents and to promote the school's best interests both in and out of working hours.
- Such other duties as the Head of Pre-Prep may from time to time require.

#### REMUNERATION

- An attractive salary
- Accommodation
- School fee remission
- Private medical insurance for the post holder and his/her dependants.

All of the above in line with specific school policies

### APPLICATIONS

All applications must consist of the following completed documents:

1. Letter of application addressed to Ms Kelly Mansbridge, Head of Pre-Prep of Brighton College, Abu Dhabi

2. Completed teacher application form (available on website)

3. CV (maximum 4 pages)

NOTE: We reserve the right to interview and offer to a strong candidate prior to the closing date. It is strongly recommended that candidates submit their applications as soon as possible.