

Name of School/Academy	Ashton Keynes C of E Primary School		
DfE number	8653002		
Full Job vacancy title	Deputy Head Teacher		
Please select a category	Schools - Teaching <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Non-Teaching <input type="checkbox"/>	Headteacher <input type="checkbox"/>
Salary range	£ - £ L3- L7	£43144 - £44707	Per annum/pro-rata
Is a DBS required?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Please see page 2.	No <input type="checkbox"/>

Job advert

Hours of work: Full time

Contract type: Permanent

Closing date (and time): 12 noon 24th February

Interview date: 5th/6th March

Commencement date: 1st September 2020

Additional information

Due to the recent external promotion of our Deputy Head Teacher, we are looking to appoint their replacement. Do you have the drive and ambition to to join a school that:

- Provides the very best learning and life experiences for our children
- Won the Pride of the Cotswolds School of the Year Award in 2018
- Achieved Outstanding in our Challenge Partners review 2018 & 2019
- Was ranked first in the Wiltshire League tables overall performance at the end of key stage two in 2017 and in the top 2% of all school nationally in 2017 & 2018
- Was in The Times top 250 school nationally
- Achieved outstanding in our SIAMS inspection in May 2017
- Receiving the Church School Partnership award from Bristol Diocese.
- Had a hugely successful OFSTED inspection where we were "a whisker away from outstanding"
- Have a Forest Schools Team that led our children to a gold medal in the Malvern Garden Show 2019
- Promotes staff and pupil wellbeing
- Is constantly striving to be the best we can be and 'Reach for the Stars'

The Head Teacher and Governors are looking to appoint a talented, enthusiastic and highly organised Deputy Headteacher who is an inspirational class teacher to join our team in September 2020. The successful candidate would enter our school at an thrilling time where the school is already shining but continues to go from strength to strength.

This post will hold a majority class teaching role, therefore we are looking for a leader who has high aspirations which result in very high quality teaching and learning. You need to be inspired to offer wonderful opportunities for our children to learn and grow. Ideally you will have proven outstanding teaching and learning outcome, excellent people and management skills, good knowledge of effective learning, be innovative in your approach to teaching and have the skills to inspire and help lead our highly committed team.

Are you the person to help us reach for the stars and shine even brighter?

We are looking for someone special who:

- Is an outstanding **classroom practitioner** able to lead by example
- Is dedicated to continue to **raise standards** and make a difference for all our children
- Has the imagination to further develop our shine curriculum so that it continues to **lift standards** whilst enthusing pupils
- Has proven leadership and management skills with the ability to lead and **inspire staff** and secure school improvement
- Can demonstrate excellent **organisational and interpersonal** skills
- Is prepared to go that extra mile **and make a difference** to the lives and life chances of our children
- Is committed to promoting pupil voice, parental engagement and community involvement
- Is flexible, a problem solver, is keen to learn and is enthusiastic
- Will be committed to our school vision, ethos and determination to drive Team AK forward
- Will promote the school's Christian values and ethos.
- Is committed to safeguarding and will become a DDSL
- Has a good sense of humour and team spirit.

Team AK can offer you:

- Enthusiastic, friendly and well behaved children who are eager to learn
- A school where positive relationships are incredibly important on every level
- A talented, supportive and genuinely fun staffing team
- A committed governing body
- Excellent leadership support and development; the previous post holder achieved Headship after only 3.5 years in post with us!
- A dynamic and forward thinking leadership team
- A traditional school within beautiful grounds and excellent newly built facilities
- Maximum opportunities for personal and professional development
- A thriving and supportive village and church community.
- Lots of hard work, fun and laughter
- The chance to shine!

Please visit our website to find out all about our school and why you should come and join us!

Visits to the School are strongly encouraged. To arrange this please contact the School on 01285 861436.

Team AK hope to see you soon!

Ashton Keynes CofE 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.

All applicants will be subject to a Disclosure and Barring Service check before appointment is confirmed.