



Post Title:	Class Teacher
Salary & grade:	MPS/UPS + SEN
Hours	Full time
	Fixed term for 12 months from September 2023
Line manager/s:	Member of the Senior Leadership Team (SLT) and the governing body
Supervisory Responsibility:	The post holder will be responsible for the leadership and management of a team of Teaching Assistants

Main purpose of the job:

- Be responsible for the learning and wellbeing of all pupils in the class(es)
- Ensuring equality of opportunity for all.
- Be responsible and accountable for achieving the highest possible standards in work and conduct.
- Treat pupils with dignity, building relationships rooted in mutual respect, and at all times observing boundaries appropriate to a Teacher's professional position.
- Work pro-actively and effectively in collaboration and partnership with learners, parents and carers, governors, colleagues and other professionals in the best interests of pupils.
- Take responsibility for promoting and safeguarding the welfare of children and young people within the school.

Key duties and responsibilities

Teaching:

- Deliver the curriculum as relevant to the age and ability group/subject/s that you teach.
- Be responsible for the preparation and development of teaching materials, teaching programmes and pastoral arrangements.
- Be accountable for the attainment, progress and outcomes of pupils' you teach.
- Be aware of pupils' capabilities, their prior knowledge and plan teaching appropriately to build on this demonstrating knowledge and understanding of how pupils learn.
- If teaching early reading, demonstrate a clear understanding of appropriate teaching strategies e.g. systematic synthetic phonics.
- Use an appropriate range of observation, assessment, monitoring and recording strategies as a basis for setting challenging learning objectives for pupils of all backgrounds, abilities and dispositions, monitoring learners' progress and levels of attainment.
- Make accurate and productive use of assessment to secure pupils' progress.
- Give pupils regular feedback, both orally and through accurate marking, and encourage pupils to respond to the feedback, reflect on progress, their emerging needs and to take a responsible and conscientious attitude to their own work and study.
- Use relevant data to monitor progress, set targets, and plan subsequent lessons.
- Work with families on individual targets and plan other out-of-class activities to consolidate and extend the knowledge and understanding pupils have acquired.

Behaviour and Safety:

- Create a safe, purposeful and stimulating environment for pupils, rooted in mutual respect and establish a

framework for discipline with a range of strategies, using a positive behaviour support ethos.

- Manage classes effectively, using approaches which are appropriate to pupils' needs in order to inspire, motivate and challenge pupils.
- Be a positive role model and demonstrate consistently the positive attitudes, values and behaviour, which are expected of pupils.
- Have high expectations of behaviour, promoting self-control and independence of all learners.
- Be responsible for promoting and safeguarding the welfare of children and young people within the school, raising any concerns following school protocol/procedures.

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Team working and collaboration:

- Participate in any relevant meetings/professional development opportunities at the school, which relate to the learners, curriculum or organisation of the school including pastoral arrangements and assemblies.
- Work as a team member and identify opportunities for working with colleagues and sharing the development of effective practice.
- Ensure that colleagues working with you are appropriately involved in supporting learning and understand the roles they are expected to fulfil.
- Take part as required in the review, development and management of the activities relating to the curriculum, organisation and pastoral functions of the school.

Fulfil wider professional responsibilities:

- Work collaboratively with others to develop effective professional relationships.
- Deploy support staff effectively as appropriate.
- Communicate effectively with parents and carers with regard to pupils' achievements and well-being using school systems/processes.
- Communicate and co-operate with relevant external professionals and services.
- Make a positive contribution to the wider life and ethos of the school.
- To lead and manage a specialist area of interest which could include the development of a subject across the school or an area prioritised within the school's improvement plan.

Professional development:

- Regularly review the effectiveness of your teaching and assessment procedures and its impact on pupils' progress, attainment and well-being, refining your approaches where necessary responding to advice and feedback from colleagues.
- Be responsible for improving your teaching through participating fully in training and development opportunities identified by the school or as developed through the ECT Induction Programme.
- Pro-actively participate with arrangements made in accordance with the Appraisal Regulations 2012.

Other:

- To have professional regard for the ethos, policies and practices of the school in which you teach, and maintain high standards in your own attendance and punctuality.
- Other such reasonable duties as determined and delegated by the Senior Leadership Team or Nexus MAT CEO consistent with the grade of the post and the experience of the Post holder.

Equal Opportunities

We are committed to achieving equal opportunities in the way we deliver services to the community and in our employment arrangements. We expect all employees to understand and promote this policy in their work.

Health and Safety

All employees have a responsibility for their own health and safety and that of others when carrying out their duties and must help us to apply our general statement of health and safety policy.

Safeguarding

Nexus Multi Academy Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

The application form plays a crucial part in the selection process, both in deciding whether you will be invited to an interview and at the interview itself. It is vital that you complete his form as fully and accurately as possible. We will not make any assumptions about your experience, knowledge, skills and abilities to do the job. Please ensure you read the Advertisement, Job Description, Person Specification and other accompanying information carefully before you start. All part of the application form must be completed.