



February 2019

Dear Applicant

KS 2 Class Teacher

Thank you for your interest in Pinner Park Junior School.

Our school

Pinner Park Junior School is currently a 4 form entry junior school but will soon become a primary school. The school is located in a pleasant residential area near Headstone Lane Recreation Ground and Headstone Lane tube station is minutes away.

The school currently has 480 pupils on roll but from the summer term this will increase to 840, as we will be amalgamating with Pinner Park Infant School to become Pinner Park Primary School. This is an exciting time to be joining our school with lots of opportunities for your future development.

The school is a Gold Rights Respecting school with an ethos that promotes a high standard of respect and discipline. It is rich in cultural diversity and includes a warm, caring ethos with respect and high expectations of behaviour towards all members of the community. There is a committed and supportive staff and Governing Body, specialist Music teaching and high parental interest. We are a great family community and staff tend to stay with us for many years.

More information about our school is available on our website.

Our staff and the post

We are proud of the diversity of our staff at all levels within the organisation.

We are looking for an excellent KS2 practitioner who is highly motivated and who will play a key role in raising achievement for our children.

There are opportunities for career development within the school for those who want it.

Applications must be returned to the school by 4pm on Thursday 21st March. Interviews will take place on Thursday 28th March.

How to apply

We want you to get a good sense of us and our children so do try to arrange a visit. This should be during school time and our children will be pleased to show you their school. The senior team will also be on hand to answer any questions you might have. If you would like to visit the school before applying please contact the school office.

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If you decide to apply, avoid writing too much. We have included the Job Description for Pinner Park Junior School Class Teachers. Address the criteria for the Job Description in a

supporting statement. Be succinct, give clear, practical evidence and the impact you have made. You will also need to provide clear evidence of a good or better grade in a formal lesson observation.

The selection process will include:

- an interview
- a presentation on effective behaviour management or meeting the needs of different pupils in my classroom
- 30 minute lesson observation of your choice to showcase your understanding of learning in a lesson. You can select your own learning intention and should bring any special resources.

Please be thinking about this in advance so you can be fully prepared between shortlisting and selection.

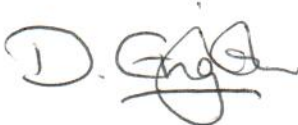
We would like you to bring along some practical examples of your work and be prepared to talk us through this during a short interview. This should include examples of children's work, your planning and assessment and anything else you think would help support your application.

Pinner Park is a Rights Respecting School and is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. DBS screening will apply to this post and references from past employers will be sought. If shortlisted, we will take up any discrepancies or anomalies in the information provided or issues arising from references at interview and we will contact current and previous employers as part of our pre-appointment checks.

You will also need to bring to your interview proof of your teaching qualifications in the form of original certificates, your passport/proof of your right to work in this country and the completed part 2 of the enclosed Self-disclosure form. Without these documents your interview might not take place.

It is really important to us to get the right person for Pinner Park. This would be a great opportunity for you to join a school that is going places fast and to be part of that journey. If you think we might be the school for you then please apply. I look forward to meeting you.

Yours sincerely



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