Headteacher, Redcar and Cleveland
Closing date: 1st October 2020

Handale Primary School
Redcar and Cleveland

Salary: L15 – L21 **Date Posted:** 19th Sep 2020

Contract type: Full Time **Contract term:** Permanent

Closing date: 1st Oct 2020 (midnight) **Start date:** January 2021

The Governing Body of Handale Primary School are looking for a motivated, inspirational and experienced leader who will lead our school with passion who can harness our vision, ethos and values to inspire pupils, support parents/carers and deliver benefits to the local community.

Handale Primary School is a Foundation School within the East Cleveland Co-operative Learning Trust and is a local authority maintained primary school. Handale Primary school is situated close to the North Yorkshire border and enjoys easy access to coast and country. Consequently, the school places importance on using the local area to enhance teaching and learning. The school has close contacts with the local churches and community.

The school has a warm and welcoming family atmosphere, where, we place a great emphasis on working in partnership with parents/carers, children, governors, and the community that we serve.
The school is successful and has been judged "good" by Ofsted in February 2020. The quality of our teaching is consistently good and carefully monitored.

Our opportunity

This is an excellent opportunity for an outstanding leader to lead, shape and further develop our wonderful school. You will be working alongside a committed team of staff and a governing body that is ambitious and has high aspirations for all pupils and staff. You will need to adopt a 'Whole School' approach when setting out your plans for the school and have the aspiration, resilience and the ability to build positive and trusting relationships and build on a culture of learning and ambition that will see our children develop, grow and contribute an active part in today's society.

To succeed, you will need the following skills and abilities:

- Managerial & Team building
- Teaching (ensuring the development of the whole child)
- Maintaining our strong Ethos and Values
- Building Relationships with the local and wider community
- Ability to analyse school data
- Adopting best practice.

The Governors are looking for a Headteacher with a passion for promoting excellence in teaching and learning and a strong focus on pupils' achievement and development as well as

the ability to deliver positive outcomes for all pupils, regardless of background or ability

We can offer you:

- A happy and friendly school, with delightful children who respect each other and have a thirst for learning.
- A culture which allows all staff to thrive and develop.
- An opportunity to see the huge potential that exists and the time to make Handale Primary School a beacon of excellence in primary education.
- Support from the Local Authority, East Cleveland Co-operative Learning Trust, Governing Board and a staff team who are experienced, committed and passionate about our school.
- A Governing Body committed to providing support on all matters including more sensitive or difficult issues and including the wellbeing of all staff members.
- The school is part of the local authority where the Headteachers meet regularly. This provides a support network for sharing ideas and best practice.

For more information and how to apply please visit our dedicated website -

www.handaleprimaryschool.co.uk

Key dates:

School visits: There is a virtual tour of the school available on our school website, individual visits can be arranged by contacting the Headteacher at office@handale.rac.sch.uk or 01287 640416

Application closing date: midnight 1st October 2020

Shortlisting: Monday 12th October

Interviews: 20th and 21st of October
**interview days may change depending on Covid-19 restrictions

When applying please consider the following:

Supporting Information

The supporting information section of your application should clearly evidence your ability to meet the requirements we have outlined in the person specification. This will be used to shortlist applicants for this role and therefore it is imperative that you provide evidence as requested.

References

When completing your application, please provide two employment references.

Please e-mail completed application forms to: office@handale.rac.sch.uk and place FAO Daren Fowler in the subject line. Thank you.

Handale Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people. We expect all staff to share this commitment. This post is subject to an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) disclosure along with other relevant employment checks.