The Recruitment Advert



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HEADTEACHER

Required from September 2025

Group 1 ISR L6 £56,316 - L12 £65,286 * TBC subject to updated STPC 2024

Due to the retirement of our current Headteacher, our Governing Body is seeking to appoint a visionary Headteacher and exceptional classroom teacher, inspired by the creative and ecological preschools and infant-toddler centres of Reggio Emilia. They should have a deep understanding of early education and possess effective leadership and management skills to take up the position in September 2025.

Madeley Nursery School is a small community school at the edge of the UNESCO world heritage site of the Ironbridge Gorge. This is a thriving community providing early education and care to children from 2 to 4 years old.

The post involves up to a 0.5 teaching commitment.

Ofsted has judged this beautiful school to be outstanding since 2007.

"Children get off to a great start to their education at Madeley Nursery School. Leaders are highly ambitious for all children. They offer an exciting child-centred, creative approach to learning for every child." Ofsted 2023.

Visits to the school are warmly welcomed and can be arranged by contacting the School Administrator on 01952 388210 or alternatively by emailing madeley.nursery@taw.org.uk.

To Apply

All completed application forms and your response to the supplementary question should be returned to shirley.thompson@telford.gov.uk or Shirley Thompson, School Governance, Telford & Wrekin Council, 6A Darby House, Lawn Central, Telford, TF3 4JA

Sorry but CVs will not be accepted.

We are committed to equality, diversity and to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people. We expect all staff and volunteers to share in this commitment. Appointment to this post is subject to an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check as well as other pre-appointment checks outlined in Keeping Children Safe in Education (September 2024). This post also requires checks under the Childcare Disqualification Regulations and Childcare Act 2006.

We invite you to read our Child Protection and Safeguarding Policy and Safer Recruitment Policy before applying for this post, both of which are available on our school website.

Rehabilitation of offenders: This post is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 and the amendments to the Exceptions Order 1975, 2013 and 2020. Which means that when applying for certain jobs and activities certain spent convictions and cautions are 'protected', so they do not need to be disclosed to employers, and if they are disclosed, employers cannot take them into account. Further information about filtering offences can be found in the DBS filtering guide. An online search will also be carried out as part of due diligence on all short-listed candidates.

Closing Date: Thursday 17th October – 12 noon

Shortlisting Date: Friday 18th October

Interview Date: Wednesday 6th November and Thursday 7th November

