



The Forest Federation
of Soudley, Steam Mills and Woodside Primary Schools

Advert for Early Years lead practitioner maternity cover

We would like to appoint a maternity leave cover for our Early Years lead practitioner. The successful person will work in our happy and vibrant pre-school at Woodside Primary School. The role is to start on 20th Jan 2025 (tbc) for 30 hours a week, over five days a week, term time only.

Pay details: Grade 5 point 11-14 pro rata. Starting point dependant on skills/experience.

We wish to appoint an applicant who:

- Has proven experience of working with Early Years children
- Understands how young children learn and have a range of strategies to support
- Is able to demonstrate strong communication and supportive skills
- Can work within a team but also independently
- Can fulfil the requirements of the attached job description and specification
- Is able to build warm and positive relationships with pupils, parents and staff

We can offer you a chance to work with a committed and positive team, professional development and lovely children! The school is set in a stunning location with lots of outdoor space to explore and use. We have very experienced and friendly staff, an Early Years lead, Family Support Worker and SENDCo.

Please see the school vacancy page for job description, specification and the GCC application form. Please send a completed application via email to admin@woodside.gloucs.sch.uk by 9am on Mon 25th Nov 2024. Interviews will be held on Fri 29th Nov 2024.

Please note that in line with Safer Recruitment we will be calling references as part of the shortlisting process. This school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people, and expects all staff, and volunteers, to share the same commitment. This position is subject to an enhanced DBS check. The post is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act (ROA) 1974. This is a Federation contract, so the successful candidate may be required to work at any of the three schools, although that is unlikely in this case.