Teacher of the Deaf MPR/UPR + SEN 1/2 (£25,714 - £41,604 + £2,270 - £4,479) 1 Permanent Full Time Post Required for September 2022

Head Teacher - Mrs Alison Carter Longwill Primary School for Deaf Children, Bell Hill, Northfield, Birmingham B31 1LD Telephone: 0121 475 3923, Email: <u>enquiry@longwill.bham.sch.uk</u> Website: <u>www.longwill.bham.sch.uk</u>

Our highly successful innovative and welcoming primary special school currently caters for 65 pupils between the ages of 2 - 11 years who are Deaf and require a sign bilingual education. The school has a national reputation as a centre of excellence in Deaf Education. We seek to appoint a committed, skilful and excellent Teacher of the Deaf who is passionate about learning and wishes to work within our sign bilingual setting.

Longwill is a small, friendly school which offers an excellent education to Deaf pupils from throughout the West Midlands. We are looking for a primary classroom practitioner who:

- Is a qualified Teacher
- Is either a QToD or has the commitment to train to be a Qualified Teacher of the Deaf
- Is an outstanding classroom practitioner or has high expectations for pupils and is an excellent communicator.
- Thinks creatively.
- Is enthusiastic, motivated and a lifelong learner
- Is able to work well in teams.
- Has the ability to communicate in British Sign Language (minimum Level 1)
- Is committed to develop further their signing skills to at least Level 2, or beyond, on appointment.

We can offer you:

- An innovative and exciting special school environment, committed to providing the best opportunities for Deaf children and staff.
- The opportunity to work in a school which priortises the continued professional development of its staff
- Delightful and hardworking Deaf sign bilingual children.
- A supportive environment with dedicated and highly skilled staff.

A commitment to CPD is essential.

Possibility of a TLR point for management responsibilities for the right candidate.

Applications are welcome from Teachers who are both Qualified Teachers of the Deaf and those who are either currently training, or would wish to in the future.

Informal visits are strongly encouraged, there will be one taking place on **28th April 2022** between 1.30 pm and 3.30 pm. If this is not suitable another one may be available by request. Please contact our School Business Manager – Ms Jacqui Smith or Headteacher Mrs Alison Carter on 0121 475 3923 or email <u>j.smith@longwill.bham.sch.uk</u> or <u>a.carter@longwill.bham.sch.uk</u>

Closing Date for Applications: 5th May 2022 @ 4.00 pm

For further information and an Application Pack please look on the school website, contact the school by phone or email <u>enquiry@longwill.bham.sch.uk</u> Please note that we are unable to accept CV's.

Interviews to be held week commencing 16th May 2022

Birmingham City Council is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff to share this commitment. An enhanced DBS check is required for all successful applicants.

Successful applicant(s) will need to provide evidence of their Identity and Right to Work in the UK.