

OUR LADY IMMACULATE

CATHOLIC ACADEMIES TRUST

Lead Teacher for reading

Northampton/Bedford

September 2020

£41,065 - £43,144 (FTE) (Leadership scale: L1 – L3)

Fixed Term – 2 years

Our Lady Immaculate Catholic Academies Trust is a new large Catholic Multi Academy Trust situated in the northern half of the Catholic Diocese of Northampton formed by the merger of three former Catholic Trusts in February 2020.

The Trust currently leads and manages nine Catholic primary schools located across the geographical area of Northamptonshire and Bedfordshire and, two Catholic secondary schools, one in Northampton - Thomas Becket and one in Bedford - St Thomas More. We are proud to have our own Teaching School, 'Inspirit', based in Bedford providing professional development for NQTs, leaders, governors, teachers and other key staff employed in primary and secondary education.

The Trust is seeking a highly committed and passionate individual who is able to support our staff and build capacity within all our schools to lead, teach and support Reading across all school Key Stages and across all curriculum areas.

You should already be a fully qualified teacher with experience and knowledge of strategies to improve reading across all age groups. You should have coached and trained others and be capable of working both independently and with colleagues. You would be joining a nurturing and caring working environment underpinned by a Catholic ethos and educational focus, whose aim is for every pupil to leave with a strong moral purpose, high aspirations and immense pride in what they have achieved during their time in our schools.

You would be joining the Trust at an extremely exciting time as it continues on an incredible journey of growth, innovation and school improvement. Through a focussed but child centred attention on pupil progress and end of Key Stage outcomes, a strong emphasis on staff professional development and centralised day-to-day support with Finance, HR, Operations, IT and operational management, we have built the foundations for a bright and exciting future for the Trust and its schools.

Further information about the Trust can be viewed at www.olicatschools.org

Normally you would have the opportunity to visit however, in these unprecedented times this is unfortunately not possible. Alternatively, if you wish to discuss the role with the Trust Director of School Improvement please contact the Trust HR Lead in the first instance who will arrange.

If you would like a candidate pack and an application form please contact Mrs Jo Brake-Oakes, Trust HR Lead either by telephoning 07725 067647 or email: TrustHR@olicatschools.org.

Completed applications should be emailed to the Trust HR Lead by no later than 12 noon on Monday 4th May to: TrustHR@olicatschools.org