



BATH & WELLS
Multi Academy Trust

'That they may have life, life in all its fullness' John 10:10

'All things are possible for one who believes'

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**Upper KS2 Class Teacher – Full Time
Permanent contract from 1st September 2024
Main Scale – M1 - 6**

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St Georges Citizens | Stewards of the Earth

Our vision is that with faith and belief we can transform lives – not only in our own school but also beyond, in our local and international communities, creating global citizens of the future who are stewards of the earth. We want our children to leave St Georges with the knowledge and skills to flourish in life, and the dispositions to help others to flourish as well.

The governors, pupils and staff of St Georges Church School and Nursery are looking to appoint an ambitious teacher to join our innovative school which offers a range of opportunities for someone wishing to continue or develop as an 'expert' teacher. Our school is a family, with a strong community and a mission to create classrooms where children achieve more than they think possible.

This is an exciting opportunity for an energetic, innovative and inclusive teacher, who is able to foster positive relationships with the whole school community. We are a 'good' school where leaders are 'passionate about providing a good education and care for all our pupils'. We are a school that continually seeks out progression for ourselves and our children in an ever-changing educational landscape – St Georges does not stand still. Adults are supported to fulfil their highest aspirations, so that all members of our learning community can live life in all its fullness (John 10:10) and become active contributors to building a better world. St Georges citizens are stewards of the Earth.

St Georges School and Nursery is committed to the philosophy that learning is limitless, and everything is possible. We believe there is a special spark in everyone, and that every child is intelligent and extraordinary.

If your educational philosophy chimes with ours we would love to hear from you. We are seeking to appoint an exceptional Upper Key Stage 2 teacher from 1 September 2024 who believes passionately in our vision, mission and values and can work with the headteacher and senior leaders to realise this in being part of creating an excellent and forward-thinking school.

Our values for learning & our curriculum

At St Georges we are creating an inclusive culture, rooted in Christian values but also appreciating the importance of celebrating our multi and non-faith families in a socially diverse environment. Our vision that all things are possible, encourages us to reach out across boundaries, building friendships and community with all people. We place emphasis on having common values and shared principles for life.

For children to grow into ambitious young people who are morally, spiritually, and culturally aware, and who are able to contribute positively to society and the lives of others, we understand that our school ethos and curriculum need to be woven with understanding, acceptance and mutual respect. Our school builds a culture of respect, responsibility, kindness and courage, where everyone is committed to quality learning and citizenship. School structures such as crew, community groups, exhibitions of learning and community work ensure that every person in our community is known and cared for, our young future leaders are nurtured, and contributions to the school and world are celebrated. John Wesley, the founder of the Methodist Church, urged his followers to "Do all the good you can, by all the means you can, in all the ways you can, in all the places you can, at all the times you can, to all the people you can, as long as ever you can. Inspired by this, everyone is supported to strive to do better and be better; to be the best version of themselves and to be more than they thought possible.



About our school:

- St Georges was inspected by SIAMs in November 2023. See the website if you would like to read: [St Georges Church School and Nursery - Inspection Reports \(OFSTED and SIAMS\)](#)
- St Georges has 204 pupils (with an additional 37 children in the nursery). It enjoys an excellent reputation in the local community and remains consistently over-subscribed.
- Our school's ecumenical foundation is supported by the Church of England, the Methodist Church and the Baptist Church, and our Christian vision and values lie at the heart of all that we do.
- We are proud of our school and of the work that has already been done to accelerate learning opportunities. Our leadership team and staff continue to focus on excellent teaching and on creating stimulating learning environments within a culture of high expectations.

We are looking for a successful teacher who:

- Has excellent communication skills, who can inspire, challenge, support and nurture children, sustaining the high morale that exists within the school, while maintaining and strengthening links with parents, our ecumenical partners and the wider community.
- Is passionate about excellence in teaching and learning, and about enabling every child to flourish and become the best version of themselves.
- Has high expectations of pupils, colleagues and themselves.
- Is able to empower and motivate children.
- Has a thirst for professional development and always striving to be the best version of yourself.

We can offer you:

- A strong school community with a distinctively Christian ethos, having a clear focus on children as individuals, united as an inclusive family.
- A vibrant and uplifting school, where pupils, staff and governors enjoy working together and where everyone is encouraged to achieve more than they thought possible.
- Friendly, happy and enthusiastic pupils who enjoy coming to school, behave well and are eager to learn, and who take pride in their school, their classmates and their teachers.
- An experienced and dedicated staff team, who work energetically and professionally to sustain the school improvement journey, embracing new ideas and opportunities to develop their professional skills.
- Excellent relationships between pupils and staff and between staff and governors, based on high levels of mutual respect, care and responsibility.
- An engaged and supportive Local Governing Committee.
- A commitment to continued professional development for staff at all levels.
- The support of the Bath & Wells Multi Academy Trust, with exciting opportunities for a high level of collaboration and CPD. Schools work collaboratively for locally identified and driven school improvement and professional development.
- Benefits of working for the Bath & Wells Multi Academy Trust which include a generous pension scheme, enhanced sickness and parental benefits and a supportive working environment.

Visits from prospective candidates to the school prior to the application are strongly encouraged and warmly welcomed. Please book an appointment via phone (01934 426901) or email the School Office Manager, Catherine Andrews at office@stgeorges.bwmat.org

These are the available slots for visiting to tour the school and meet the headteacher:

- Monday 30th April at 9.30am
- Thurs 2nd May at 1.30pm
- Wed 8th May at 10.30am



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- Wed 8th May at 4.30pm

Benefits of working for the Bath & Wells Multi Academy Trust include: a generous pension scheme, enhanced sickness and parental benefits and a supportive working environment.

The Bath & Wells Multi Academy Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, young people and vulnerable adults and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. This post is subject to an enhanced DBS and all relevant pre-employment checks.

Application forms should be accompanied by a supporting statement that sets out how you meet the person specification in terms of skills and experience and also how your educational philosophy aligns with ours and sent to the school office by post or email the School Office Manager – office@stgeorges.bwmat.org

Closing date: Monday 13th May at 9am

Shortlisting: Monday 13th May

Possible observations of candidates in their schools: Friday 17th May

Interview date: Wednesday 22nd May

This post will commence: 1st September 2024