

Initial Teacher Training (ITT) Professional Tutor

Job description

Professional Duties:

The ITT Tutor will work under the direction of the ITT Strategic Manager.

This will involve:

- Action planning, monitoring and evaluation
- Assessing trainees' attainment and progress against the standards for QTS (including observation of their teaching and marking of school based tasks)
- Tracking and supporting trainee teachers' progress
- Liaising with and directing the work of admin staff
- Communicating with and visiting partnership schools
- Supporting colleagues (e.g. professional and school-based tutors) in carrying out their role
- Reviewing and writing programme documentation
- Ensuring that the specific area of provision is appropriately resourced
- Delivering centre based training sessions
- Marking assignments (if suitably qualified)
- Marketing, recruitment and selection of prospective trainees
- Participating in appropriate staff development and appraisal

They will also undertake any professional duties reasonably delegated to him/her by the ITT Strategic Lead.

Person Specification

Qualifications and Training

- 1. Qualified Teacher Status (Essential)
- 2. Masters level qualification (Desirable)

Successful Experience

- 1. At least 2 years of recent, significant teaching experience (Essential)
- 2. Motivating, supporting, challenging and developing staff to bring about improvement (Essential)
- 3. Working in partnership with other schools and/or agencies (Desirable)
- 4. Training adults (Desirable)

Key skills and Attributes

- 1. To communicate effectively using a wide range of methods including ICT, to a variety of audiences (Essential)
- 2. To prioritise and manage time effectively to achieve goals (Essential)



- 3. To demonstrate the ability to investigate, make decisions and take action based on relevant data and information (Essential)
- 4. To adhere meticulously to legislation, requirements and procedures (Essential)
- 5. To use effective strategies to support colleagues in carrying out their role (Essential)

Knowledge and Understanding

- a. Effective teaching and learning (Essential)
- b. How target setting and review leads to raising attainment (Essential)
- c. The use of IT in effective administration and management (Essential)
- d. The nature and needs of pupils, trainees and communities in inner city and multi-ethnic areas such as Newham (Essential)
- e. The National Curriculum and Statutory Framework for the Early Years Foundation Stage (Desirable)
- f. The Teachers' Standards and ITT Criteria (Desirable)

Possible Leadership Areas:

- Recruitment and Selection
- Module Leader
- Continued Professional Development Lead for Mentors and Professional Tutors