

Residential School Principal Care Coordinator

Job Description

Grade: GRD – *Subject to Job Evaluation*

1. **Job Purpose**
 - 1.1 To be directly responsible to the Headteacher for the management, development and organisation of the 24-hour curriculum
 - 1.2 To be a member of the Senior Leadership Team
2. **Key Responsibilities**
 - 2.1 As part of the Senior Leadership Team, lead in the monitoring of identified whole school issues
 - 2.2 In conjunction with the line manager, recruit, manage, motivate and develop residential staff in accordance with the School's Policy and national/local requirements, providing an induction programme for newly appointed staff
 - 2.3 To be actively involved with planning and monitoring of the school budget in respect of residential provision
 - 2.4 To be responsible for taking a role in Child Protection and ensuring procedures are in place and are followed correctly
 - 2.5 To be a representative of the School Leadership Team in discussions with, and attendance at, meetings with other professionals
 - 2.6 Performance Manager to the residential staff
 - 2.7 Management of staff involved in the supervision of lunch breaks
 - 2.8 Responsibility for the implementation and monitoring of all local and national requirements in respect of residential child care, to ensure that current guidance, legislation and policies are followed
 - 2.9 Develop, implement and review written policies within the school and monitor the quality of provision to ensure a high standard of childcare practice
 - 2.10 To work closely with the Head teacher and Governing Body to review staffing structure and address the need to ensure safe practice in school
 - 2.11 To be actively involved in the recruitment selection process of residential care staff
 - 2.12 To be responsible for the supervision, including performance review, of staff employed in the residential areas
 - 2.13 To collate banked hours, overtime and sleep-in payments on a monthly basis
 - 2.14 To be responsible for the identification of training needs for residential care staff and for providing a programme of induction and in-service training to ensure a high standard of provision is maintained

- 2.15 To have overall responsibility for the design and implementation and review of the pupil's Personal Care Programmes. This role involves directly contributing to Admission and Administration procedures
- 2.16 To act as Designated Senior Person in all matters relating to Child Protection and undertake any relevant training
- 2.17 To liaise regularly with OFSTED, notifying them of any relevant incidents and responding to their requirements
- 2.18 To ensure all tasks are carried out with due regard to Health and Safety
- 2.19 To adhere to the ethos of the school
 - 2.19.1 To promote the agreed vision and aims of the school
 - 2.19.2 To set an example of personal integrity and professionalism
 - 2.19.3 Attendance at appropriate staff meetings and parents evenings
- 2.20 Any other duties as commensurate within the grade in order to ensure the smooth running of the school
- 2.21 To work shifts and carry out sleep-in, on-call and shift duties when required
- 2.22 To exercise any particular duty in accordance with a direction which may be reasonably given by the line manager

3. **Supervision Received**

- 3.1 Supervising Officer's Job Title:
- 3.2 Level of supervision:
 - ~~1. Regularly supervised with work checked by supervisor~~
 - ~~2. Left to work within establishment guidelines subject to scrutiny by supervisor~~
 - 3. Plan own work to ensure the meeting of defined objectives

4. **Supervision Given** (excludes those who are indirectly supervised i.e. through others)

Post Title	Grade	No of Posts	Level of Supervision (as in 3.2 above)

5. **Special Conditions**

- 5.1 None

Person Specification

Method of Assessment (MOA)

AF Application Form	C Certificate	I Interview	T Test or Exercise	P Presentation
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Criteria	Essential	MOA
Education/Qualifications NB: Full regard must be paid to overseas qualifications.		AF/C
Experience Relevant work and other experience		
Skills & Ability e.g. written communication skills, dealing with the public etc.	*Delete if not applicable *An ability to fulfil all spoken aspects of the role with confidence using the English Language as required by Part 7 of the Immigration Act 2016	
Training		
Other		

All staff are expected to understand and be committed to Equal Opportunities in employment and service delivery.

All staff at BCC understand and are committed to Equal Opportunities employment and service delivery.

As a Disability Confident Committed Employer, we take positive action to ensure people living with a disability or a long-term health condition feel supported, engaged, and able to fulfil their potential in the workplace.

People with a disability telling us on their application form they wish to participate in the scheme and who can then demonstrate in their application that they meet the essential criteria for the role will be shortlisted and offered an interview.

Safeguarding

Everyone has a responsibility to safeguard the welfare of children, young people, and adults at risk, whatever the role of the individual, or Birmingham City Council service or Directorates they work in.

Birmingham City Council will work with the appropriate statutory bodies when an investigation into child abuse or a safeguarding adult's investigation is necessary.

The Council is committed to safe recruitment practices and recognises that this fits into an overall corporate approach to safeguarding across a range of functions that need to operate together to be effective. This applies to employees, volunteers, work placements, elected members, licencing, school transport arrangements and any other regulated positions.

The Council's safe recruitment process includes pre-employment vetting which involves establishing full employment histories; proof of identity; satisfactory references; health assessment; checks of qualifications; asylum and immigration checks; and criminal record checks with the Disclosure and Barring Service.

The Council's website will contain links to the current versions of safer recruitment policies that are in force.

In line with the has an overarching responsibility for safeguarding and promoting the welfare of all children/young people and adults in its area. All BCC employees are expected to:

Work in a way that prevents and protects service users from abuse.

- To be aware of the signs of abuse or neglect.
- Recognise the signs of abuse and neglect; and
- Record and report any concerns or incidents.
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At Birmingham City Council (BCC), we are committed to creating an environment and culture that promotes equality, diversity, and inclusion; making sure BCC is a place for people to be their best, authentic selves.

We welcome applications from people of all backgrounds, including those with caring responsibilities and flexible working options will be considered. We are building up our vibrant staff networks for peer-led support, with safe spaces for those who need it and offer access to our talent programmes to support everyone in reaching their aspirations and fulfilling their potential.