

Deputy Headteacher, St. Kenelm's C of E Primary School, Minster Lovell

- Closing date: Wednesday 18th March
- Start date: 1st September 2026
- Interview date: Thursday 26th March
- Contract/Hours: Full Time (0.9 teaching commitment, 4.5 days)
- Salary type: L1

About the Role

This role will include a 0.9 teaching commitment in Key Stage Two.

St Kenelm's Primary School are seeking to appoint an inspirational and passionate Deputy Headteacher to help lead the school forward at an exciting moment in its journey. Alongside our newly appointed headteacher, we are looking for a leader who believes passionately that every child deserves the opportunity to thrive personally, emotionally and academically. We are looking for a Deputy Headteacher who will lead with integrity and compassion and embody our Christian vision and values of *nurturing each and all, guiding trusting, inspiring and celebrating*. This is an exciting opportunity for an experienced or aspiring leader to work as part of a small Senior Leadership Team, with the responsibility of deputising for the headteacher for one day each week.

We are looking for an inspiring and reflective leader with a strong moral purpose and high aspirations for all. You will be an excellent classroom practitioner with a clear understanding of effective teaching and learning across the whole primary range, and the ability to lead and support others to improve practice. You will be resilient, compassionate and solutions-focused, with the confidence to work in a challenging context and the humility to learn alongside others.

You will be an integral part of the Safeguarding team as Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead.

About Us

St Kenelm's Primary School is a small Church of England school at the heart of our village, renowned for its welcoming atmosphere and strong community spirit. Rated 'Good' by Ofsted, we pride ourselves on our inclusive ethos, high standards, and commitment to supporting every child's development. Our team works closely together to create a safe, stimulating, and happy environment where children thrive both academically and personally.

If you think this is the role for you, we would love to hear from you. Applications must be made using the provided application form. CVs will not be accepted.

Potential candidates are warmly encouraged to arrange a visit. To arrange a visit, please email: office.3125@st-kenelms.oxon.sch.uk

St Kenelm's Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the wellbeing and safety of all pupils and expects staff and volunteers to share this ethos. Enhanced DBS clearance is required for this post and references will be required in line with our Child Protection and Safeguarding Policy.