



Glastonbury Thorn School

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KS1 Teacher - Fixed Term to August 2026
ECT, Main Pay Scale or Upper Pay Scale
Fixed term
Start date: 01/01/2026

About our School:

Glastonbury Thorn School is fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. Our safer recruitment practice includes online searches and obtaining references before interview of shortlisted candidates.

Pre-employment checks will always be undertaken before any appointment is confirmed. All prospective employees are subject to an enhanced DBS check and any offer of employment is subject to these.

Glastonbury Thorn is an equal opportunities employer

About the Role:

Essentials for this position:

- To have a passion for learning - showing your love of learning enthuses the children
- To support the emotional, behavioural and pastoral needs of all pupils in our care
- To be patient, as every child is unique and deserves your time (and time to shine!)
- To be adaptable and flexible to the daily routine - every day is different.....really different!
 - To have a sense of humour - laughter and fun is key to a happy school!
- To go home knowing you are valued and have a key impact on the learning of the children in your care
- Show a determination to improve your skills, leading your own journey and collaborating with others
 - To promote the school's values and be a positive role model
 - Work as part of a team - teamwork makes the dream work!
- A commitment to enhance and enrich our drive towards maintaining an outstanding offer

- Contribution to the school and wider community, even in these difficult times
- Demonstrate excellent subject and curriculum knowledge and a passion for subject leadership.
 - A secure knowledge of safeguarding and child protection procedures

Are you ready to become part of the GTS family?

- You must have a warm and smiling face that makes all children feel special, (a friendly face to staff too!)
- We encourage curiosity, so the ability to answer more than one unusual question at the same time is a must
 - You have to be able to laugh at jokes that don't necessarily make sense or that aren't funny
- You must have a little bit of quirkiness and be able to turn into any character a child wishes you to become
 - The ability to sing in tune is not necessary; the ability to sing out of tune in front of a crowd is essential
 - You must be prepared to get 'stuck in' and have lots of fun every day
- You must always be ready for whatever the day throws at you – impromptu learning at its best!
- Finally you must be prepared to feel important, special and loved by many young children and their families

Closing date for applications: 22/10/2025