



Head of Foundation Stage - Victory Heights Primary School, City of Arabia

Advertised on: 10th October

Deadline: 28th October 12.00pm **Interviews:** Commencing 18th November

Start Date: April 2025 start preferred, but August 2025 start available for the right candidate

Victory Heights Primary School - City of Arabia is seeking an inspiring and dynamic leader to join our Founding Senior Leadership Team as the Head of Foundation Stage. This is a fantastic opportunity for a highly motivated educator with a passion for Foundation Stage to play a pivotal role in shaping the growth of our EYFS provision.

The Role: As the Head of Foundation Stage, you will lead the FS1 and FS2 teams, ensuring excellence in teaching, learning, and care. You will serve as the key representative of the Foundation Stage, actively promoting the school to prospective families and building strong relationships with current parents. This role offers an exciting opportunity to shape the strategic direction of the EYFS department, ensuring its alignment with the school's ethos and values.

This role may involve some class teaching whilst the school grows towards its full capacity.

Key Qualities We Are Looking For:

- A visionary leader with the ability to inspire and motivate both staff and students.
- The ability to collaborate effectively with other leaders, fostering a strong, unified leadership team that drives school-wide improvement. -
- A commitment to creating a nurturing, challenging environment where young learners can thrive and excel.
- Excellent interpersonal skills with the ability to act as an ambassador for the school, fostering strong relationships with families and the wider community.
- Strategic vision and the ability to drive the development of the EYFS provision.
- In-depth knowledge of EYFS assessment frameworks, ensuring that student progress is effectively tracked and used to inform teaching.
- A proactive mindset for marketing and promoting the Foundation Stage to prospective families.

Desirable Experience:

- Proven leadership experience in FS1 or FS2 within a school setting.
- A proven record of enhancing educational outcomes and fostering an environment where children reach their full potential.
- Experience leading schools through inspections, including KHDA and BSO.
- Experience in engaging with parents and serving as a key liaison between the school and families.
- Expertise in leading staff development within EYFS, promoting a culture of continuous professional growth.

To apply, please email your cover letter (maximum one side of A4) and CV (maximum two sides of A4) in PDF format to careers@vhprimary.com. Applications should be addressed to Ben Rothwell.

Safeguarding Statement: Victory Heights Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Successful candidates will be subject to an enhanced DBS check and other relevant pre-employment checks.