



Southwood School, Bryony Place, Conniburrow, Milton Keynes, MK14 7AR  
Executive Headteacher: Kate Mathews

**Federation Sports Coach for Downs Barn, Germander Park and Southwood Schools  
Start January 2025, 9am – 4.30pm Monday to Friday, Term Time only (with some later  
finishes due to fixtures)  
Grade F - Actual £23,072 to £26,168 (£31,067 to £35,235 FTE) depending on experience**

We are looking for an energetic and enthusiastic Sports Coach to support the teaching and learning of our pupils. Someone who has a real passion for sport and high but achievable aspirations. Our sporting history at the school is strong and we wish for this to continue. We are in search of an inspiring role model for our children for this rewarding role. Boulevard Primary Partnership is a federation of three schools located in Conniburrow and Downs Barn, Milton Keynes. The three schools share one governing board and one Executive Head. The schools include 2 nurseries and 2 ASC Units.

We have vibrant and inclusive schools dedicated to providing a nurturing and stimulating environment for our students. Due to departure of our current coach, we are seeking applications for the vacancy of Sports Coach across the federation, to work with all of our children from age 2-11 (EYFS, KS1, KS2). The successful candidate will plan, prepare and deliver a range of PE lessons in a variety of sports/disciplines to cover the PE curriculum. They will also help co-ordinate and supervise our bought in PE provision and help with lunchtime games and activities.

Working with a range of year groups, the Sports Coach will also have the opportunity to develop and enrich sport through extra-curricular activities. The role will include arranging, co-ordination and administration of fixtures with other schools in the area. We need our coach to have a real impact on our pupils and their physical wellbeing through the delivery of fun, positive, motivational lessons. Aside from curriculum teaching, we encourage all our children to participate in sport and physical activity and understand how to live a healthy lifestyle.

The successful candidate will:

- Deliver creative and engaging lessons, aligned with our curriculum
- Create a supportive and inclusive learning environment where every student feels valued
- Differentiate to meet the diverse learning needs of our students so they can achieve their best (including our pupils in our ASC Units)
- Implement effective behaviour management strategies
- Hold a licence to drive the school minibus, or be prepared to undertake the relevant training/tests

You will:

- Have qualifications and experience in sports and coaching sports
- Be sensitive to the wide range of children's needs experienced in our schools
- Be an excellent communicator, able to work collaboratively with all year group teams
- Have a passion for sport and a commitment for fostering a love of sports in our students
- Be kind, caring and understanding and a good role model for our pupils

We can offer you three good schools in a friendly and happy environment. If you would like to visit any school prior to application, please contact us and we will be more than happy to show you around. For further information contact Melanie Hornshaw on 01908 678366 or email [office@southwoodschool.co.uk](mailto:office@southwoodschool.co.uk). The closing date for applications is **29<sup>th</sup> November** with interviews on **Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2024**.

**All Boulevard Primary Partnership schools are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expect all staff to share this commitment. We are an equal opportunities employer.**

**The successful candidate will be required to complete an enhanced DBS check.**