



Grafton Primary School is a vibrant four-form entry primary school with a rich history housed in a 100-year-old building. We pride ourselves on fostering an inclusive environment, with a Local Education Authority (LEA) Additional Resource Provision (ARP) and two internal SEND provisions primarily supporting pupils with autism. Our Hub SEMH internal provision reflects our commitment to supporting pupils' social, emotional, and mental health needs. Despite limited green spaces on site, our dedicated staff work tirelessly to provide a nurturing, stimulating, and safe learning environment where every pupil can thrive.

**Post- Deputy Headteacher**

**Leadership Pay Scale L15-L19 (Inner-London £82,888-£90,446)**

**Contract: Full-time and Permanent**

**Line Management: Middle Leaders, Teachers and HLTA**

**Start Date: 1st September 2026**

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**Deputy Headteacher**

**Join Grafton Primary School at a pivotal moment of transformation**

We are seeking a Deputy Headteacher for September 2026 to work in close partnership with our Headteacher and Governors, playing a crucial role in leading and managing key aspects of our school as we embark on an exciting journey of rapid change and development following our successful Ofsted Inspection in April 2025.

**Main purpose:** The Deputy Head teacher is expected to deputise for and support the Head teacher regarding the internal organisation and management of the school, take a leading role in the coordination of the whole school and uphold, through personal example, the school's Vision, Aims and Values.

**The Deputy Head Teacher under the direction of the Head Teacher, will take a major role in:**

- Formulating the aims and objectives of the school
- Establishing policies for achieving these aims and objectives
- Managing staff and resources to that end
- Monitoring progress towards the achievement of the school's aims and objectives
- Providing education, teacher training and development and manage the day-to-day logistics of this four- form entry school
- The DHT is expected to share in the responsibility for the well-being and discipline of all pupils and have responsibility for Curriculum and Whole School Assessment, Phase leadership (area to be agreed) and Safeguarding. Leaders are expected to provide cover teaching when necessary.

**Apply now to join Grafton Primary School and help us build a brighter future for every pupil.**

*Grafton Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, young people and vulnerable adults and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. All posts are subject to pre-employment checks. References will be sought and the successful candidate will be required to complete a Disclosure + Barring Service Check. Please note that we do not accept CVs or applications from agencies.*

**For more information**, an Application Pack or to arrange a visit, please contact Dominka Attenborrow, HR Officer, on [dattenborrow@graftonprimary.co.uk](mailto:dattenborrow@graftonprimary.co.uk) or 020 3727 5171.  
All completed applications should be sent to [dattenborrow@graftonprimary.co.uk](mailto:dattenborrow@graftonprimary.co.uk)

Applications Closing Date: midday Monday 2nd March 2026

Shortlisting: Friday 6th March 2026

Interviews: Thursday 26th March 2026

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