

Stormont House School
Leading Practitioner for Educational Technology
Inner London Leading Practitioner Scale (points 9-11)
Required from September 2025 or ASAP

- Do you have a vision for a digital strategy that will improve teaching, learning, leadership, communication, collaboration and online safety?
- Do you have the skills, knowledge and drive to deliver it?
- Do you believe that schools change lives and that children with SEND deserve the best teaching?
- Do you want to join an excellent team where you can flourish through support and challenge?

Stormont House School is an exceptional and widely respected special school whose students achieve up to GCSE/BTEC levels. We became one of the first outstanding schools in the country in 2005 and have improved at each of the 4 full inspections since then. We were in the first group of special schools to receive the World-Class Schools Quality Mark and work with other schools as a National Support School and as a lead school within the Hackney Teaching & Schools' Alliance.

We are unblinkingly focused on continual improvement, and this position plays a vital part in leading us towards our vision of '**Achievement for All in a Unique World-Class School**'. When children arrive at secondary transfer, their first year in the school sets them up for a successful journey through the school. We serve a richly diverse community and welcome applications from all sections of the community, regardless of gender, race, religion, disability, sexual orientation, or age. We are committed to increasing the diversity of our workforce. If you are passionate about the difference an excellent school can make to young people's ability to learn, express themselves and become active global citizens, please read on.

This is a leading practitioner role, so it has a focus on leading on the continual improvement of staff practice particularly through observation, review, mentoring, coaching, modelling and high-quality professional development. This will require developing, delivering and keeping under review a digital strategy that improves teaching, learning, leadership, communication, collaboration and online safety, meeting and exceeding DFE digital standards. The LP Ed Tech will work closely with senior leaders as part of the school's Extended Leadership Team to continually improve student progress and outcomes across the school, and the staff skills and systems necessary to achieve that.

We expect our students to make the best progress possible; socially, emotionally, and academically. The staff are excellent, the facilities are great, and the students are terrific. Most of our staff previously worked in primary or secondary mainstream settings, but some have come from special, alternative provision or further education. Special school experience or qualifications are not requirements, but genuine reasons for wanting to work in this field are.

We will not consider applicants who have not taken the trouble to find out about the role and/or who send in 'generic' supporting statements or CVs. We are committed to safeguarding our young people: in addition to an enhanced DBS check, one of your referees MUST be your current or most recent Headteacher (or equivalent), and references will be taken and reviewed prior to interview.

To request further information and an application form: recruitment@stormonthouse.hackney.sch.uk

All applications must be made by application form and supporting statement; no CVs will be considered.

Deadline for applications: Tuesday 6 May 2025 @9.00am

Interview Date: Friday 9 May (tbc)