



## FOREST BRIDGE SCHOOL

HEADTEACHER: MRS ELIZABETH FARNDEN

**Person Specification:** Specialist Speech and Language Therapist

**Salary:** Band 6 (Fringe London)

**Hours:** Full-time or Part-time (with a minimum of 3 full days); 8:30am-4:30pm

**Line manager:** Head of Therapies

**Location:** Braywick Park, Braywick Road, Maidenhead SL6 1BN

**Probationary period:** 6 months

Qualifications	Essential	Desirable
HCPC registered	x	
Child Protection/Safeguarding training	x	
RCSLT registered	x	
Attention Autism Training		x
PECS training		x
Knowledge and application, or a willingness to learn about AAC	x	
Knowledge of SCERTS and the stages of communication		x
First Aid at work		x
Experience of delivering Thrive sessions		x
<b>Work Experience</b>		
Experience of working with children with ASC	x	
Evidence of continuing professional development	x	
Minimum of 3 years of experience working with children with ASD	x	
Evidence of working collaboratively with others	x	
Competence working across the spectrum of SLCN	x	
Experience of supporting pupils with PDA		x
<b>Knowledge</b>		
Knowledge of child brain development and language development	x	
Secure knowledge of Autism	x	
Knowledge of ABA strategies		x
Knowledge of PECS, Makaton, BSL, Signalong, and Colourful Semantics	x	
Secure knowledge of both tech and non-tech AAC	x	
<b>Skills and personal qualities</b>		

An awareness of, and commitment to, working in a school whose foundations for learning will be based on the principles of Applied Behaviour Analysis (ABA)	<b>x</b>	
Effective use of ICT to support learning and administration	<b>x</b>	
The ability to work independently, be proactive and work collaboratively within the team	<b>x</b>	
High level of integrity and ability to handle confidential data sensitively and securely, in line with GDPR data protection.	<b>x</b>	
Willingness to undergo developmental training within the school	<b>x</b>	
Emotional resilience in working with behaviours of concerns in a fast-paced environment	<b>x</b>	