



**Job Description**  
**Yoga**  
**Instructor/Coach**

**Job Purpose and Content**

The Yoga Instructor/Coach is a member of the support/teaching team. The team works together to care for and educate the pupils in the school. The Yoga Instructor/Coach makes a specific contribution to the school's teaching and learning programme of yoga.

The Yoga Instructor/Coach works under the direction and control of the headteacher, and that general authority will be delegated to a relevant member of SLT- Deputy Headteacher or Assistant Headteacher.

The Yoga Instructor/Coach will teach individuals, groups and whole classes either on their own or in the presence of a teacher and/or other teaching assistant. They will also teach Yoga without the presence of a teacher and will be expected to make a contribution to their professional development.

**Principal Responsibilities**

1. To teach children Yoga across the school
2. Use the school's scheme of work to deliver effective Yoga sessions and to enhance the scheme of work where necessary to including breathing technique
3. To liaise with the schools PRE lead and Sports lead to ensure that the sessions are effective and meet the school's requirements
4. Provide written and verbal feedback to teachers and pupils in relation to Yoga
5. Plan Yoga sessions which meet the needs of all children
6. Be familiar with ILP plans, targets and learning objectives of those children whom you are teaching
7. Promote the inclusion and safety of all pupils
8. Supervise pupils, on the school premises

9. Within the area of Yoga teach individuals, groups and whole classes in accordance with the teaching and learning programmes of the school and the relevant curriculum/scheme of work. To include:
  - a. Contributing to planning (including differentiation) of Yoga
  - b. Developing and selecting curriculum materials and resources
  - c. Behaviour and discipline management (in accordance with the policies and procedures of the school)
  - d. Managing and developing relationships with pupils
  - e. Monitoring, evaluation and assessment of Yoga
  - f. Contributing to pupil records, reports and ILPs in accordance with school policy
10. Attending meetings, including staff meetings, Trust Conferences and INSET
11. Take part in relevant training and development and an agreed programme of personal professional development
12. Communicate with parents and carers about their child's achievement and progress in Yoga sessions
13. Work in accordance with the values, culture, ethos, equal opportunities and inclusion policies of the school proactively promoting anti-racist, anti-sexist and anti-discriminatory behaviours and effectively promote our distinctive Hindu-based ethos
14. Take appropriate action to identify, analyse and minimise any risks to health, safety and security in the working environment
15. Provide training for parents when required

Notes:

1. The authority expects its employees to work flexibly within the framework of the duties and responsibilities specified above. This means that the postholder may be expected to carry out work that is not specified in the job description but which is never the less within the remit of the duties and responsibilities.
2. Staff in schools work subject to statute and many policies and procedures. The postholder will be expected to become familiar with these and work in accordance with them
3. This is a new job description will be subject to review with the postholder after one year and may then be reviewed from time to time thereafter.