



RAINBOW INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL UGANDA (RISU)

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Special Educational Needs Coordinator (Whole school)

Required for August 2018

Rainbow International School is a coeducational 2 – 18 years day and boarding school in Kampala, Uganda. As the most established, reputable and largest International school in the country, we deliver the EYFS and IPC curricula in the Primary section, English National curriculum at Key Stage 3 and Cambridge/ Edexcel IGCSE and Advanced Level in Key Stages 4 and 5. We are currently in our second year of delivering BTEC Extended Diploma awards for a cohort of students in our sixth form.

The School:

We are an inclusive school, and are passionate about educating the ‘whole child’, and nurturing talents in a variety of subject areas. Currently there are 600 students on roll. Rainbow students are highly academic and our examination results are outstanding. We place an important emphasis not only on academics, but also in sports, performing arts and extracurricular. Our sixth form leavers gain entry into the top Universities around the world, the Russel Group and Ivy League among them. Rainbow is a first class learning institution and a busy community.

Situated near Lake Victoria, in the Kansanga / Ggaba area of Kampala, the school boasts an 11 acre green campus with purpose built classrooms, dedicated computing suites, science laboratories, sports pitches, two undercover courts, 25 meter swimming pool and club, outdoor tennis court and cricket net.

In May 2018 Rainbow will go through the COBIS Patron’s Accreditation, a quality assurance programme for British schools of quality. Therefore, you will be joining a school that has undergone accreditation and is of the highest caliber. If you would like to work in a busy, vibrant and multicultural school in a beautiful country that was recently voted as the friendliest country for expats to live in <http://www.independent.co.uk/travel/the-9-most-welcoming-countries-to-raise-a-family-in-as-voted-by-expats-a7855541.html>, then I look forward to your application.

If you would like an informal discussion prior to applying about the role, school and Uganda, our Principal will be more than happy to do so, please contact: primarysecretary@risu.sc.ug alternatively please visit the school website www.risu.sc.ug.

The Post:

We are seeking an experienced and well qualified individual to fill the role. You should be an outstanding classroom practitioner who can provide evidence of successful support across the school phases. You should be experienced with a wide range of educational needs and have led successful teams in delivering high quality inclusion support that has allowed all abilities to access the curriculum through in class or when needed outreach support.

Experience:

- Have SEND teaching and leadership experience in the Primary and Secondary School,
- Have experience of Safeguarding;
- Have experience of effective behaviour management strategies;
- Have demonstrated how to assess students with SEND and provide appropriate intervention;
- Have experience of working with ESL children at the early stages of language acquisition, and be able to support the students and their teachers to ensure rapid English language acquisition;



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- Provide critical analysis of the progress, intervention and achievement for all children with Special Educational Needs;
- Lead on professional development of staff to increase their effectiveness in responding to children with SEND and those children who are at the early stages of English language development;
- Ensure the students are cared for in a happy, safe and stimulating environment

Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree /B.Ed. / PGCE
- Relevant postgraduate degree or diploma (desirable but not essential)
- SENCO qualification or experience

The package:

- Happy and motivated students in a welcoming and friendly environment
- Competitive salary
- Free furnished accommodation
- Medical insurance
- Flights and baggage allowance at the beginning and end of contract
- Two year initial contract

Please apply with a detailed CV and application letter of no more than two sides typed. Please include the names and contact details of three referees (2 professional and 1 character), one must be your current Headteacher / Principal. All applications should be addressed to the Principal and submitted to the following address before the closing date: applications@risu.sc.ug.

Closing date: Thursday, 15th February 2018.

Rainbow International School Uganda is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people. Successful candidates will be asked for a valid ICPC/DBS check, or the equivalent police certificate of good conduct from the country of current employment.

We are an Equal Opportunities Employer (EOE)