



Job role: Upper KS2 Classroom Teacher
Embleton Vincent Edwards CE Primary School
Required from: September 2025
Permanent 0.77 FTE (0.84 FTE if an ECT)
Salary: M1–U3 (£31,650–£49,084 FTE; pay award pending)

Embleton Vincent Edwards CE Primary School is a small, vibrant school rooted in the heart of a coastal village and proud to be part of Pele Trust. We are seeking an enthusiastic, creative Upper Key Stage 2 teacher to join our committed and caring team, under the leadership of a highly experienced Executive Headteacher who has a strong track record in teacher development and school improvement.

Why Embleton?

Embleton is no ordinary school—and that's most clearly seen in our Beach School, which takes place every week, come rain, hail or shine. Located just a short walk from the stunning Northumberland coastline, our school makes full use of its environment to bring learning to life. From yoga on the sand to storytelling in the dunes, clocks built from driftwood to seaweed subtraction, we believe that education should be active, joyful and connected to the world around us.

Recent adventures have included:

- Writing seaside-inspired sentences like “The crab went snap” after reading *What the Ladybird Heard at the Seaside*
- Recreating a ladybird’s flight path with ribbon wands, and tracing names in the air
- Weighing sacks of seaweed, practising subtraction in the sand, and building giant clocks to learn about telling the time
- Spotting fossils at the quarry, dancing the Highland Fling for the John Muir Award, and a fiercely contested game of rounders (with a goat on the sidelines!)

Beach School is part of our ethos. Our pupils learn by doing, collaborating, moving and creating, and our staff are key to making that magic happen.

Why a small school?

At Embleton, every child is known. You will become a valued part of our close-knit team, able to make a real impact and build meaningful relationships with children, families and the wider community. For Early Career Teachers, the experience is both rich and rewarding—with opportunities to grow professionally, take on responsibilities, and develop a broad skill-set in a supportive environment.

We are looking for someone who will:

- Be a skilled and inspiring classroom teacher, eager to bring learning to life
- Embrace the creativity and freedom of our Beach School and outdoor curriculum
- Thrive in the distinctive opportunities and challenges of a small, rural, mixed-age setting
- Support the Christian ethos of the school and nurture pupils' personal development
- Help every child flourish—socially, emotionally, spiritually and academically

Headteacher Mrs Nicola Threlfall

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- Contribute positively to wider school life and the collaborative ethos of Pele Trust

You will be supported by a strong leadership team, a knowledgeable and engaged Academy Committee, and the professional network of the wider Trust.

We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people. All staff are expected to share this commitment. An enhanced DBS disclosure is required for this post.

If this sounds like the right opportunity, in the right kind of school, we'd love to hear from you. Please read the additional information and submit your completed application form and supporting letter (no more than two sides of A4) by the closing date.

An application form can be found in supporting documents and should be returned by email to: admin@vincentedwards.northumberland.sch.uk

Closing date: 2nd July 2025, 12.00pm (noon)

Shortlisting date: 2nd July (pm) 2025

Interview date: 8th July 2025

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