

# Why Join the Twinkl Team?

Love what you do? We are looking for creative people to do what they do best.

This is your chance to join a friendly and passionate team that really cares about making a difference to the lives of teachers and children around the world.

### What Do We Offer?

- Well-being workshops
- · Free lunch monthly and healthy snacks
- · An awesome office and social space
- · Team socials every month
- · Opportunities for progression and change
- A friendly, supportive atmosphere
- The chance to make a difference around the world









## Twinkl Application Pack

### Who We Are Looking For

We are a friendly bunch and want someone who is passionate about their work, but will also fit in with the team. You should have a hard work ethic, good sense of humour and the ability to communicate with people appropriately.

### About Twinkl

Twinkl is the world's largest provider of high quality, printable, primary teaching resources. Twinkl is now used by the majority of UK primary schools and is also widely used around the world. As such, we're a high volume site with global aspirations and are now looking for a new team member to help us push forward!

#### How to Apply

Please submit your CV & covering letter via the "Submit application" button on the careers page.

Within your covering letter (1 A4 page) please refer to the Person Specification in detail and wow us with your abilities.

A note about portfolios. If you are applying for a creative job it would help us if you sent a single PDF version of your portfolio or a link to your online portfolio. Please don't send multiple attachments or large zip files. Thank you!

#### What We Offer

- A chance to become part of a global and quickly expanding business which is at the top of its market.
- The opportunity to have personal input into the business; help develop the vision & direction of the site
  and its products.
- A space to train and learn new things; you get to decide where you want to develop your skills and we help you achieve.
- A really great office space to work in.
- An incremental holiday scheme.
- Regular team socials throughout the year.
- Annual team events.
- Tea, coffee, fresh fruit & snacks!
- Development reviews every 6 months to review your performance and feedback on your role and work.
- A chance to work with a really nice bunch of people!

#### Any Questions?

We would love to hear from you! Please get in touch with our team at <a href="mailto:careers@twinkl.co.uk">careers@twinkl.co.uk</a>.

Please note; all successful applicants will be subject to a standard disclosure check and appointments are subject to a probationary period.

Twinkl is working to be an equal opportunities employer and welcomes diversity in our workforce.





## We believe in transforming lives through beautiful design.

### Trust

### We believe that people work best when there is a foundation of trust.

- . Our users mean everything to us. We want our users to be able to trust us completely, in everything we do.
- We strive to nurture one another's abilities, talent and confidence as well as our own encouraging progression in each other
- We understand the need to communicate effectively with our community, and with each other.

## Ownership

## We create the best possible products for our users and understand just how important the quality of our work is.

- We always aim to exceed expectations, in all areas of our work
- We accept personal accountability to meet business needs, improve our systems and help others improve
  their effectiveness.
- We all take responsibility, treating the Company's assets as our own and behaving with the Company's long-term success in mind.
- We care passionately about making a difference in the lives of our users and we know that this will reflect into lives all around the world.

### Innovation

## We are passionate about continually developing materials that make a real difference to lives around the world.

- We consistently find ways to disrupt our business model and products.
- We constantly ask 'why not?
- · We have a healthy dissatisfaction with the status quo.
- We have a compelling desire to improve, and to achieve, for our users.

### Integrity

### We always try to do the right thing.

- We always tell the truth and we take responsibility for our actions, understanding the importance of the service we provide.
- We respect our colleagues, suppliers and users, and treat them as we want to be treated
- We are honest and straightforward with each other.
- We uphold the purpose, values and principles of Twinkl in every action and decision.

### Leadership

## We have a clear vision of where we are going and lead in the markets we serve.

- . We are all leaders in our area of responsibility, with a deep commitment to delivering leadership results.
- · We understand the importance of actively serving our users.
- · We focus our resources to achieve market leading objectives and strategies.
- We appreciate the need for constant and meaningful communication to drive innovation and improvement to our products and service.

### Loveliness

### Loveliness makes Twinkl the special place it is.

- We love what we do, take pride in our work and have fun
- · We understand the power of positivity and make the most of each and every day.
- Everything we do, it is made that bit more special because we live our motto: Be Lovely!

## Finance Manager

Location: Twinkl HQ

Salary: £30,000 per annum

Hours: 37.5 hours/week (including school holidays)

Contract: **Permanent**Suitable for Job Share: **No** 

#### Job Description

You will be working in the Finance & Analytics team in the UK's largest digital educational publishing business. Your role will involve ensuring the day-to-day financial tasks of the company are completed accurately and promptly. This role will see you using your proven skills in accountancy and mathematics to maintaining financial records and undertaking various bookkeeping tasks. You will report to the Chief Financial Officer whilst managing your own workload and developing your skills in accountancy and financial planning.

#### Core Skills:

- Thorough knowledge of Sage 50 Accounting software (or equivalent/similar software)
- Thorough knowledge of Sage 50 Payroll software (or equivalent/similar software)
- An ability to be able to learn new skills quickly
- Thorough knowledge of HMRC policies/structures e.g. how tax codes work, SMP, SSP
- Business acumen and practical experience of accrual accounting
- A good understanding of the VAT scheme and its workings
- Assist with coordinating and preparation of the budget and reporting variances
- Ensure the preparation and publishing of timely financial statements
- Ensure correct and timely month-end and year-end close process
- Ensure quality control over financial transactions and financial reporting
- Assist with developing Financial systems
- Managing a small team and ensuring all Finance KPIs are achieved
- Have an excellent working knowledge of the whole Microsoft Office suite (Word & Excel in particular)

#### Soft Skills:

- Is good fun to be with and has the ability to communicate well with others
- Is organised, able to work to deadlines, and manages time effectively
- Is able to communicate with colleagues and our external partners effectively, both written and verbally
- Has a hard work ethic, is passionate, driven and loves what they do
- Is honest, trustworthy and reliable
- Produces quality work and is ready to learn new skills
- Support other colleagues and work proactively in teams

#### Qualifications & Experience:

- Degree in a relevant discipline
- Experience of working in a similar role
- ACA/ACCA/CIMA
- Experience of managing a team

