

The International School of Berne (ISBerne) has the following opening for the 2027-2028 school year:

IB PYP Homeroom Teacher

starting in August 2027.

ISBerne is a dynamic, friendly and thriving school located close to the Swiss capital city of Berne. As an authorized International Baccalaureate (IB) World School, ISBerne provides a comprehensive educational journey through the Primary Years Programme (PYP, ages 3-11), Middle Years Programme (MYP, ages 11-16), and Diploma Programme (DP, ages 16-18), along with the ISBerne Diploma.

ISBerne aims for all students to be reflective and responsible life-long learners who are active global citizens. The school ethos is based on the attributes of the IB Learner Profile and advocates a constructivist approach to teaching and learning.

The International School of Berne was founded in October 1961. The school is housed in a spacious purpose-built campus which includes three brand new state-of-the-art science laboratories with a dedicated prep' room, a big central library, subject dedicated classrooms and a large double gym.

With an enrollment of approximately 250 students, representing around 50 nationalities, ISBerne boasts a diverse community. Supported by a dedicated team of about 50 faculty and administration staff, our school is committed to providing a dynamic and enriching educational experience for every student.

The Position

ISBerne seeks to appoint an IB PYP Homeroom Teacher. Applicants must have PYP Homeroom teaching experience. Applicants should be excited by the challenge of collaboratively contributing to curriculum development. The role of PYP Literacy Leader may be available for a suitable applicant.

The successful applicant will be an accomplished teacher with experience, enthusiasm and a passion for teaching which will inspire our students. They will also recognise the importance of being part of a collaborative team and the wider faculty.

Required Skills and Knowledge

- A desire to contribute to and foster a positive IB learning community
- Minimum of three years teaching experience
- Outstanding classroom practitioner

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- Minimum of two years IB PYP experience
- Appropriate degree and teaching qualification.

Desired Attributes and Experience

- An appreciation of working in a small school environment.
- Experience working in a European international school environment.
- Swiss or EU Passport.

Salaries and Benefits

- Nationally competitive salary and benefits.
- Open ended contract.
- Enhanced pension plan.
- Subsidized lunches at the school cafeteria.
- Moving/settling in allowance.
- Visa fees paid.

How to Apply

Interested candidates who meet our requirements should submit their application to **recruitment@isberne.ch** with the following:

- A letter of motivation
- Full CV with photo
- Passport copy
- Contact details of three referees, two from your previous two schools, one of which must be your current Head of School (referees will be contacted with your consent).

Applicants may expect to receive confirmation of the receipt of their applications, however, only those shortlisted for an interview will be contacted. Interviews will be held virtually and/or face-to-face, as appropriate.

Our school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of all students in our care and expects all applicants to share this commitment. We follow safe recruitment practices and appointments are subject to satisfactory references and criminal record/background checks.