



Archbishop Temple

Church of England High School

Post: Teacher of English (permanent, full-time)

Salary: MPS/UPS

Required from: 1st September 2026

Responsible to: Curriculum Leader for English

Interviews: Friday 8th May 2026

DUE TO OUR SCHOOL EXPANSION, we are seeking to appoint an inspirational teacher of English who shares our commitment to educational excellence and social inclusion whilst supporting the leadership of our very successful English department.

English is at the centre of pupil achievement here at Archbishop Temple Church of England High School. We have a highly dedicated, motivated and extremely successful department made up of six full-time teachers, all of whom are experienced subject specialists. Pupils' attitudes to learning are overwhelmingly positive, which is reflected in the consistently outstanding results achieved at GCSE. At GCSE level, our pupils study the Eduqas English Language and Literature specifications, receiving up to four hours a week of lesson time with the same teacher for the entire course.

We have a very distinctive ethos; our motto of "faith + nurture + service" is central to our work, as we aim to keep God at the centre of all we do. This post presents a wonderful opportunity for a talented, passionate and committed teacher. You would be joining our experienced English department at a very exciting time for all associated with the school; the successful candidate will receive the wholehearted support of a thriving governing body and a highly dedicated staff team. Further support will be received through our excellent working partnerships with Blackburn Diocese and Lancashire County Council.

Our main priorities are to maintain achievement, enhance the curriculum and support our pupils to reach their true potential. You will have the opportunity to teach highly motivated pupils in a school with a reputation for academic excellence and where there is a wide range of extra-curricular activities in which you can get involved.

Application forms and further details can be downloaded from the school's website - www.archbishoptemple.com. We are committed to equality, diversity and justice, and we warmly welcome applicants from all faiths, cultures and backgrounds. **Archbishop Temple Church of England High School is also committed to safer recruitment and CVs will not, therefore, be accepted. The position is subject to satisfactory DBS checks and excellent employment references.** In line with Keeping Children Safe in Education 2024, an online search will be carried out as part of our due diligence on shortlisted candidates.

The closing date for applications is Monday 27th April 2026 (**midday**). Electronic applications are fully acceptable, and these should be emailed to head@archbishoptemple.com marked for the attention of Mrs C Simpson. I hope you will consider joining our team and I look forward to receiving your application.