

TEACHER OF HISTORY

We seek to appoint a dedicated and outstanding teacher to deliver A Level History, following the Edexcel specification.

History is a thriving and high-performing department at Birkenhead Sixth Form College, with over 140 students studying the subject in a newly built area of the college with spacious, specialist classrooms. The course is among the top 10% nationally for student progress, reflecting the exceptional quality of teaching and learning within the department. History students achieve outstanding outcomes, with 81% progressing to university and a large proportion onto courses at Sutton Trust 30 universities, demonstrating the positive impact of the course and the wider college experience.

The successful candidate will have a passion for teaching History at Post-16 and the ability to inspire students to achieve ambitious goals. They will deliver highly effective, evidence-informed lessons that engage all learners and foster a love of the subject.

WHY WORK WITH US?



Teach without distraction

No form groups, no daily behaviour battles, no unnecessary admin: just high quality subject teaching.



You're trusted to teach

We value subject expertise and give you the autonomy to deliver it.



High Standards, High support

We're ambitious for our students and staff; you'll be challenged and supported in equal measures.



Modern, specialist facilities

Everything from IT to classrooms are designed to make teaching effective and enjoyable.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Teach highly effective A Level History lessons.
- Inspire challenge and motivate students to achieve their full potential.
- Utilise effective strategies to maximise student attendance, work submission and progress.
- Support the department with extra-curricular activities that inspire and motivate students.

Reports to: Deputy Principal

Hours: Full time, permanent

Salary: T1-T9 £33,465 - £51,714

Apply by: Wednesday 24th June 2026

Interviews: Tuesday 30th June 2026

Start date: Wednesday 19th August 2026



PERSON SPECIFICATION

- A degree in History or related discipline.
- A recognised teaching qualification or willingness to work towards this.
- Strong subject knowledge and passion for the subject.
- Experience of teaching History.
- An individual who is positive and ambitious about what students can achieve.
- A strong understanding of the Science of Cognition and awareness of effectiveness teaching techniques.

COLLEGE CAMPUS



Our College campus has undergone a £4 million investment programme, now boasting 80 state of the art classrooms, exceptional teaching facilities for staff, and outstanding study facilities for students.


HOW TO APPLY:

To apply, please visit:

 <https://www.bsfc.ac.uk/job-vacancies/teacher-of-history-4>

Please send your appointment form to

 hrdept@bsfc.ac.uk

 0151 652 5575

“ BSFC is a place where your career can thrive - I’ve been supported to grow, lead, and take on new challenges. ”

Jen, Assistant Principal and Head of Law

POSITIVITY

AMBITION

RESILIENCE

THOUGHTFULNESS

GENERAL INFORMATION

Birkenhead Sixth Form College has a commitment to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of students and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. If you are invited for interview, your suitability to work with children will be explored as well as your suitability for the post.

All posts are subject to Enhanced Disclosure Clearance through the Disclosure & Barring Service.

The College is an Equal Opportunities employer and all members of the College have a personal responsibility to implement the policy, to carry out their responsibilities in accordance with it and to maintain an equality of opportunity for all.

The Governors and staff of the College take their duties under the Disability Discrimination Act (as amended by the Special Educational Needs Act 2001) very seriously. They will ensure that all reasonable adjustments are made to ensure that disabled people are treated fairly and that they are not placed at any substantial disadvantage.

The College is committed to interview all applicants with a disability who meet the minimum criteria for the post and to consider them on their abilities.

REFERENCE CHECKING

On the application form, you are asked to provide details of two employment referees (preferably your line manager from your current and previous or most recent employer/s), who can comment on your suitability for the post. References from relatives or individuals writing in the capacity of friends will not be accepted.

The College will seek references on short-listed applicants before interview and will approach previous employers for information to verify suitability for the post, dates of employment, particular experience or qualifications, attendance / punctuality history and details of any disciplinary offences.

In addition, if you are currently working with children or young people, on either a paid or voluntary basis, your current employer will be asked about your suitability to work with children and any disciplinary offences relating to children or young people.

This will include any offences for which the penalty is time expired (that is where a warning could no longer be taken into account in any new disciplinary hearing for example) and whether you have been the subject of any child protection concerns, and if so, the outcome of any enquiry or disciplinary procedures. If you are not currently working with children but have done so in the past, that previous employer will be asked about those issues.

Please note providing false information is an offence and could result in your application being rejected, or dismissal without notice if you have been appointed and possible referral to the police.