



KIRKHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Independent Co-educational Day/Boarding School (3-18 years)
Founded in 1549

TEACHER OF DESIGN TECHNOLOGY (0.6 FTE)

CONTRACT TYPE: PERMANENT

THE ROLE

Required for September 2024, a dynamic, creative and enthusiastic teacher to join the Design & Technology Department.

The successful candidate will have a sound command of the subject, be familiar with current trends in Design Technology teaching, and have a desire to innovate and challenge. He/she will be able to teach Design Technology from Year 7 to Year 11. An opportunity to contribute to the teaching at A Level may be available. Following on from the in-house KS3 DT content delivered to all pupils, the department offers pupils OCR GCSEs in Product Design and Design Engineering at KS4; and OCR Design Engineering and AQA Product Design A Levels at KS5.

The department is housed in a superbly equipped, purpose built building. The ground floor consists of a design area housing a suite of networked computers, interactive whiteboard and two 3D printers. A second room houses a Systems and Control area which includes a suite of networked computers, a PCB production area, PIC programming facilities and electronics equipment. This room also has its own dedicated interactive whiteboard. The third room is a large multi-purpose workshop area with 2 laser cutters and a wide range of materials processing equipment.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- To have clear aims and objectives for all lessons and to ensure effective progress is made by pupils – both academically and in a wider sense.
- To contribute to the curricular developments within the department(s) and beyond.
- Work as a Form Tutor and promote high standards of behaviour, effort and attainment.
- To take part in the school's appraisal system and undertake professional development.

Salary: Commensurate with experience

APPLICATION: By application form and supporting letter, giving the names, addresses and telephone numbers of two referees*, together with details of your current remuneration package to:

Mr M J Hancock
Senior Deputy Head
Kirkham Grammar School
Ribby Road
Kirkham
Preston
PR4 2BH

Applications may also be submitted through the TES.

*References may be taken up prior to interview unless otherwise stated

Closing Date for Applications: Mon 20 May 2024. However, due to the time of year, we ask that applications be submitted as soon as possible. The school reserves the right to interview at any stage of the selection process.

Interview Date: To be advised

The post is subject to two satisfactory references, DBS clearance and verification of qualifications.

*Kirkham Grammar School is committed to safeguarding
and promoting the welfare of children and young people*

May 2024