

TEACHER OF MATHEMATICS

CONTRACT TYPE: FULL TIME SCALE: (MPS/UPS)

Kirkham Grammar School is an independent school, comprising a Senior, Junior, Infant and Pre-School, with 850 pupils on roll. The Senior School has 600 pupils in an age range of 11 - 18 years. There are close links with the Junior, Infant and Pre-School, situated across the road, which has 250 pupils on roll. The Governing Body and Bursarial Department are common to both schools.

The Mathematics Department is a lively and successful part of Kirkham Grammar School, currently comprised of seven experienced and committed teachers.

At Key Stage 4, GCSE Mathematics is taught to the OCR specification (with Further Mathematics offered to those in the top set), and results are always high for this strong department. At A-level, candidates for Mathematics and Further Mathematics are taught to the Edexcel specification.

The department offers a wide range of enrichment opportunities, and prides itself on its success in communicating the enjoyment of their subject. Pupils may attend daily Mathematics clinics at lunchtimes and have the opportunity to compete with pupils from other schools at local and national level.

THE ROLE

To work within a successful department in promoting the current high standards and achievements anticipated of our pupils. A willingness to enhance the experience of pupils, both in their study and in the broader life of the school is anticipated.

The successful candidate will be expected to teach Mathematics classes through the age range up to and including A-level.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- To have initiative, clear aims and objectives for all lessons and contribute to curricular developments.
- Contribution to the promotion of Mathematics throughout the school.
- Contribution to ICT use within the department.
- Work as a Form Tutor and promote high standards of behaviour, effort and attainment.
- To contribute fully to the wider ethos of the school by participating in extra-curricular activities.
- To take part in the school's appraisal system and undertake professional development.

REPORTS TO: Head of Department

PERSON SPECIFICATION:

- Must be educated to degree level.
- Hold the relevant teaching qualification
- Set high expectations, which inspire, motivate and encourage pupils.
- Promote good progress and outcomes for pupils.
- Demonstrate good curriculum and subject knowledge.
- Plan and teach well-structured lessons.
- Adapt teaching to respond to the strengths and needs of all pupils.
- Make accurate and productive use of assessments.
- Manage behaviour effectively to ensure a good and safe learning environment.
- Fulfil wider professional responsibilities.

Salary: Teachers' Standard National Pay Scale, according to qualifications and experience, plus Kirkham allowance

Closing date for applications: Monday 18 March 2024

Interview date: w/c Monday 18 March 2024

Applications:

By application form and supporting letter to:

Mr M J Hancock Senior Deputy Head Kirkham Grammar School

Ribby Road Kirkham PRESTON PR4 2BH

M J Hancock

Senior Deputy Head

The post is ultimately subject to completion of the school's own application form, 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

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