



Longbenton
HIGH SCHOOL

Curriculum Leader of Science
Required for September 2022
Full time, permanent post

We are starting to do something for our students that is really special at Longbenton High School. Ensuring our results match the ambitious vision that we have is the next exciting stage of our journey. We are seeking a passionate individual with a natural flair for challenging and empowering others to be part of that journey as Curriculum Leader for Science.

Due to the promotion of the current post holder, we are looking to recruit an excellent teacher who can have clear, positive impact on the academic attainment, progress and future direction of science at our school.

Strong middle leadership is crucial in our journey to make Longbenton High School the very best place for each individual student to achieve and be happy. Our ambition for the school focuses on further developing a culture where all students achieve highly, whatever their background or ability and see progression to the sixth form as a natural part of their school experience when they join us in Year 7.

This role requires a robust understanding of curriculum and what excellent teaching and learning looks like in science. It is expected that you will be an excellent classroom practitioner, including KS5 experience, with a track record of results in order to bring credibility to this aspect of the post.

We are looking for candidates who:

- Are excellent teachers and ethical leaders, with values and integrity at the heart of any leadership philosophy and outlook rather than ego or status.
- Have excellent communication and people skills alongside emotional intelligence.
- Understand what excellent teaching and learning looks like (including up-to-date pedagogy), can demonstrate this themselves, and develop this in others.
- Are passionate about the transformative power of education, care about young people, and are willing to challenge complacency in order to ensure the best possible outcomes for all learners.

In return we can offer you the support of a vibrant, driven senior team, a fantastic modern building, excellent CPD opportunities and great students to work with.

Please see our recruitment pack for full details. Completed applications should be returned by email to recruitment@longbenton.org.uk

Closing date for the receipt of applications: 12 noon, Monday 9th May 2022

Longbenton High School is committed to safeguarding the welfare of children and young people, and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Applicants will be required to undergo child protection screening appropriate to the post, including checks with past employers and the Disclosure and Barring Service.