

SIR JOHN  
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COLLEGE

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Headteacher: Mr R. Browning

## Assistant Learning Leader English Required from 01.01.2023 MPS/UPS + TLR 2.2 (£4,785)

“This is a good school. Pupils are achieving well. Pupils are polite, friendly, wear their uniforms smartly and behave extremely well around school; strong teaching in maths and English.” Ofsted June 2016

At SJT we value and care for all our staff and take staff well-being seriously. We take staff's work/life balance seriously and this is reflected in the fact that minimum PPA any teacher receives is 20%. We are committed to reduce marking and planning workload.

An opportunity has arisen for a highly effective and motivated teacher to join our amazing English department. Our experienced team of teachers enthusiastically communicate a love of reading, of the written word and of the power of language to inspire, persuade, entertain, provoke and inform. This is a great opportunity for the right candidate to develop their leadership skills, contribute to our work and benefit from an excellent environment, where teachers are encouraged to progress their careers with us.

Our state of the art building ensures that our students and staff have the best learning environment in which to achieve. SJT is a very positive community, with our recent staff survey showing that over 93% of our staff enjoy coming to work and are proud to be part of our school. At SJT we view the professional development of all staff as a priority and our innovative 'Learn Together' initiative enables all staff to be on our outstanding teacher programme.

We are looking for a teacher who shares our drive and passion to inspire our students with their love of their subject and has the motivation and expertise to:

- Lead on an agreed area of English to ensure that achievement rises in English due to effective analysis of student performance and through the delivery of an appropriate and inspiring curriculum
- Support the Learning Leader in the leadership of English

The successful candidate will fully embrace our ethos of 'Belong, Believe, Achieve' whilst bringing fresh ideas that will build on current strengths and achievements through:

- Outstanding classroom practice and an ability to engage all young people.
- A commitment to contribute to our enrichment programme
- The ability to motivate students of all abilities to achieve their full potential.
- A passion and commitment to raise standards and achievement.
- The ability to work and contribute as part of a team.
- Commitment, resilience, patience, hard work and a good sense of humour.
- The willingness to do what it takes to achieve our goals.

We know that choosing the right school for your next move is a big decision. You are invited to come to have a look around our beautiful school during the morning of **Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2022** or the afternoon of **Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2022**. Please contact Leanne Barwell the Headteacher's PA on [l.barwell@sirjohnthursby.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:l.barwell@sirjohnthursby.lancs.sch.uk) to confirm a suitable time.

Further details and application form are available from the college website or Lynsey Clayton (on behalf of the Headteacher) as detailed below.

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**Visits to school: a.m. Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2022 or p.m. Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2022**

**Closing date: 9am Monday 10<sup>th</sup> October 2022**

**Interview date: 20<sup>th</sup> October 2022**

The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects staff and volunteers to share this commitment. You will be required to undertake an enhanced DBS disclosure and a range of other recruitment checks.