

Fortis Academy

Role: Careers & Aspirations Leader

Salary: SET Grade 9 SCP 34 – SCP 39 (32,799 - £37,569 pro-rata)
Actual Salary £29,191 - £33,437

Contract: Permanent, 37 hours per week, Term time only plus 2 weeks

Start Date: ASAP

Application Closing Date: 3rd October 2022, 9am

We are a friendly, happy and vibrant cosmopolitan 11-18 Academy serving a multi-cultural community and we are seeking to appoint an enthusiastic Careers and Aspirations Leader.

This is an important and valued role focussing on developing the very best information, advice guidance as well as rich and deep curriculum and enrichment opportunities to raise students' aspirations. This is a high-profile position working strategically with the Senior Leadership Team of the school to make a real and tangible impact on students' lives.

We are looking to recruit to this position a colleague with drive, ambition and resilience. Ideally, you will have a Careers Advisor's qualification to Level 6 or above and have passion for enriching lives.

Our school based in North Birmingham, situated on a large campus comprises a Foundation Academy and Senior Academy and Sixth Form

Fortis in Latin means brave, courageous and, coupled with our vision of enriching lives, we will provide the very best opportunities for students to learn, grow and achieve as young people.

A broad, challenging and responsive curriculum provides the foundation for excellent teaching which, enriched by technology, will inspire and engage our students.

Caring and ambitious pastoral care ensures our students feel safe, valued and in good health to take advantage of the opportunities provided.

Strong partnership working with parents, stakeholders, educational agencies and businesses will place Fortis at the centre of the local community, where together more will be achieved.

The Shaw Education Trust offer the following benefits with your Teaching or Support Staff employment:

- An excellent Local Government Pension Scheme (Support Staff) / Teachers Pension (Teaching Staff)
- Generous holiday entitlement from your first day of employment (28 days holiday rising to 30 days after 5 years' service + Paid Bank Holidays FTE) (Support Staff)
- Access to health and wellbeing support via Occupational Health
- Cycle to work scheme
- Access to our Institute of Education and fantastic opportunities to help you grow, contribute and flourish in your role and in the Trust.

Experience of working in a school in a similar role would be advantageous but not essential. Informal conversations for this post are warmly welcomed and potential candidates are invited to contact the Headteacher's PA, Sandra Clare on 0121 366 6611 or email s.clare@fortis.shaweducation.org.uk to arrange a discussion with Mr Czepukojć, Headteacher, Senior Academy.

How to Apply:

Please download our application form, guidance notes and the job description below or obtain these from the 'Vacancies' section of our website (<https://fortisacademy.org.uk/support-jobs/>).

Please email your completed application form and recruitment monitoring form to our Business Manager, Alex Darkes - a.darkes@fortis.shaw-education.org.uk

Fortis Academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff to share this commitment. An enhanced DBS check is required for all employees, please refer to the SET Child Protection Policy - [Safeguarding and Pupil Protection Policy 2022-23.pdf \(shaw-education.org.uk\)](#).