



Glyn School

Candidate Pack

Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in our vacancy. Glyn School is a comprehensive school for boys aged 11 to 16, and a successful mixed Sixth Form. Founded in 1927, we have a rich history of academic excellence, sporting prowess, artistic achievement and service to the community. The school carries the responsibility of being graded 'outstanding' by Ofsted in 2000, 2012 and again in 2023. We have the privilege and responsibility of being a founder member of GLF schools, a Multi Academy Trust (MAT) where the focus on collaboration, leadership and school improvement enables students to 'Grow, Learn and Flourish'.

At Glyn School we hold high expectations of all our students in every respect. We aspire to provide students with an outstanding learning experience each and every day. Every decision that we make is centred on their learning and achievement as we seek to enable each one to meet and exceed their potential. Our incredibly dedicated and talented staff never give up on a student.

Glyn School's Vision



Glyn School inspires a love of learning and achievement that is founded on the virtues of integrity, kindness, respect and endeavour. Every person is highly valued and encouraged to achieve their full potential. Students are supported to develop and express their character, empowering them to positively contribute to their community. We are a values-driven school and thus our values underpin all we do.

Integrity and Respect - Integrity means 'doing the right thing, even when someone isn't looking'. A school community motivated by integrity and embodying a true understanding of respect and care for others is a successful school. We foster mutual respect between all members of our community and help students develop self-confidence and self-respect, so that they become well-rounded young people.

Kindness - Kindness is a type of behaviour marked by acts of generosity, consideration, showing assistance or concern for others, without expecting praise or reward. Our culture is positive and supportive, which increases students' sense of belonging and happiness towards their learning and school experience.

Endeavour - We nurture students to strive to achieve their true potential through perseverance, hard work and resilience. We place an importance on teamwork and developing independence, where all students are encouraged to embrace challenge, which leads to success and achievement.

Tenax propositi ulteriora peto: Firm of purpose I seek for nothing but the best.

We also continue to use the original school motto from 1927. This is an important part of our heritage and a reference point for our ethos and is proudly worn on the schools' blazers.

We firmly believe that colleagues who feel supported and valued impart their passion and enthusiasm to their students that ultimately sees the young people we teach make exceptional progress. We want you to enjoy working at Glyn School and we warmly welcome you to visit us and experience our vibrant, thriving and supportive atmosphere that makes Glyn the right choice for you.

Mrs Jo Garrod

Head of School

Making an application

Please apply by the closing date shown in the online advert. In the event of difficulty, please email Kerry Penegar - People Operations Advisor at Glyn School at K.Penegar@glynschool.org

It is important that you explain clearly in your supporting statement why you are applying for the role and how you have been equipped for it by your experience and qualifications. If you have been shortlisted for interview, we shall contact you soon after the closing date. Please ensure we have a daytime number or email address so that we can get in touch to make the necessary arrangements. If you do not hear from us, then you may assume that your application has been unsuccessful on this occasion, but we should like to thank you for your interest in working at Glyn School.

We reserve the right to withdraw this vacancy at any time ahead of the closing date if there is a high level of response. Therefore, we would recommend that you submit your application as early as possible.

References

When providing details of referees, applicants must provide two references. One reference should be from your current employer or if unemployed, your last employer. Where possible, references should be from separate sources and not from the same organisation or employer. All referees should have known you for at least one year or more and cannot be from a spouse, partner, friend or relation or from someone with whom you live.

The school will contact referees for verification. Please ensure that you have permission to provide their details on the application form.

Interviews

The interview process will include an interview and an activity and a school tour. Please note due to high numbers of interested candidates, we will only contact candidates whose applications are shortlisted to attend interview.

Safeguarding

Glyn School is fully committed to safeguarding. If you are invited for interview, you will be required to provide original documentation to prove your identity (e.g. passport, driving licence, P60/45) and original exam qualification certificates. Successful applicants will be required to complete a disclosure form to enable an enhanced DBS check to be undertaken. Information from the DBS check will be held in strict confidence. You will also need to provide proof of your eligibility to work in the UK and complete a Medical Declaration.

Data Protection

Should you be unsuccessful with your application, the School will confidentially destroy your Application Form after six months of its submission. If you are successful in your application this information will be kept securely as part of your personal employment record.

Equality and Diversity

Applications are welcome from all sectors of the community. No job applicant will be treated less favourably because of his or her sex, race, colour, ethnic origin, age, marital status, disability, religion or belief, sexual orientation, or by any other condition or requirement that cannot be shown to be justified.