

ALLESTREE WOODLANDS SCHOOL

JOB DESCRIPTION

POST TITLE: Full Time Teacher of Science

POST GRADE: Teachers Main or Upper Pay Scales

LINE MANAGER: Director of Science

Safeguarding

Allestree Woodlands School is fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of its students. We implement safer recruitment processes in all appointments. All members of staff will be vetted according to established procedures. All members of staff will familiarise themselves with the school's child protection and safeguarding guidance and procedures.

Role summary:

- Undertake teaching responsibilities across the full age and attainment
- Be a form tutor, take a care and guidance responsibility within the school and teach Personal, Social, Health and Citizenship Education (PSHE)
- Contribute to development in the Science Curriculum and Faculty
- Work in accordance with the statement of the School's Values and Aims and the School's Improvement Plan
- Maintain an effective learning environment in and around the teaching base

Responsibilities

- The Teacher will be accountable to the Director of Science, the Faculty's Senior Team Line Manager and the Headteacher
- Demonstrate the Teachers' Standards
- Fulfill those professional duties as contained in the current School Teachers' Pay and Conditions Document
- Become familiar with statutory orders and any other legislation relevant to the subject area or wider school areas such as safeguarding
- Plan and teach lessons to meet the needs of all the students in your classes and enable effective learning
- Plan and deliver effective PSHE lesson and tutor time programme
- Manage student behaviour in your classroom and around the school by promoting and building positive relationships and dealing with any issues that arise in line with school policy
- Treat students as individuals, call them by their first name, greet them at the start of lessons and make them feel welcomed
- Regularly evaluate students' progress by assessing their work, offering constructive feedback (written and verbal) and engaging parents/carers as appropriate and responding to their concerns

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- Contribute to the development of resources and student assessment and tracking within the curriculum faculty
- Take an active role in collaborative activities within the Science team including planning, assessing and moderating
- Support the delivery of cross curricular developments
- Play an active part in faculty, subject and staff meetings
- Give general support to school activities
- Promote the ethos and values of the school particularly the CORE values of courage, optimism, regard and endeavour as attributes we appreciate, demonstrate and develop
- Undertake professional duties that may be reasonably assigned by the Headteacher.

Safe Working Practices for Adults working with Children - It is the responsibility of each employee to carry out their duties in line with Allestree Woodlands School's ethos and culture of safe working practices for Adults working with Children and be sensitive and caring to the needs of the disadvantaged, promoting a positive approach to a harmonious working environment. Each employee should act as an exemplar on these issues and must, where appropriate, identify and monitor training for themselves and any employees they are responsible for.

Freedom of Information Act and Data Protection Act - The post holder is required to comply with the above legislation and maintain awareness of the school's policies and procedures relating to the Freedom of Information and Data Protection Acts. Attention is specifically drawn to the need for confidentiality in handling personal data and the implications of unauthorised disclosure.

Equality and Diversity - The post holder will be required to comply with and maintain awareness of Allestree Woodlands School's policies relating to Equality and Diversity.

Health and Safety - The post holder must at all times carry out their responsibilities with due regard to Allestree Woodlands School's policy, organisation and arrangements for Health and Safety at Work.

Flexibility - All staff will be expected to accept reasonable flexibility in working arrangements and the allocation of duties to reflect the changing roles and responsibilities of Education and Children's Services. Any changes arising will take account of salary and status. They will also be subject to discussion with individuals or sections affected and with appropriate Trades Unions.

This job description sets out the duties of the post at the time when it was drawn up. Such duties may vary from time to time without changing the general character of the duties or the level of responsibility entailed. Such variations are a common occurrence and cannot in themselves justify a reconsideration of the grading of the post.

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