

# **Science Teacher**

Salary Grade	MPS 1-6/UPS 1-3
Location	West Craven High School
Closing Date	Monday 27th November 2023 – 12 noon
Interview Date	W/C 27 November
Start Date	1st January or as soon as available

## **Pendle Education Trust**

Nelson and Colne College, Scotland Road, Nelson, BB9 7YT Tel 01282 440 249 Email contact@pendleeducationtrust.co.uk Company Registration Number: 08263591 Place of Registration: England and Wales



An exciting opportunity has arisen for a highly motivated and innovative Science Teacher to join our team at Pendle Education Trust, based at West Craven High School. This is a particularly exciting time to join the Trust; as we go through many positive changes with a real emphasis on differentiation and student success.

Working for an Academy Trust that's sponsored by Nelson and Colne College, an Outstanding local education provider; this is a fantastic opportunity for an enthusiastic and determined teacher to join an establishment where they can have a real impact on student aspirations and success.

Delivering 11-16 Science provision, the ideal candidate will be a dynamic practitioner who promotes and upholds the same high expectations as the Trust and its students. With a focus on sharing good practice, they will be committed to their own continuous professional development, and will engage enthusiastically with our quality processes to ensure that our students receive an outstanding experience.

Pendle Education Trust offers unparalleled staff benefits including fantastic professional development opportunities. Championing success and building student confidence, this post offers a real opportunity for someone with contagious enthusiasm to inspire, and make a difference.

#### Key duties include:

- Planning and preparing high quality teaching and learning for 11-16 Science.
- Developing and sharing resources.
- Delivering enrichment and enhancement activities.
- Completing required assessment duties in relation to student assignments.
- Valuing and support students to achieve their full potential.
- Being responsible for safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, young people and/or vulnerable adults.

### The ideal candidate will have:

- Qualified Teacher Status.
- A degree in a relevant subject area.
- Successful teaching experience in a relevant subject area.
- Thorough knowledge of the National Curriculum and changes in GCSE specifications as a result of GCSE reform.
- Experience of working in partnership with parents/carers to facilitate effective links between home and school.

If you're interested in this position and would like to submit an application, please complete our online application form. Please note: All of our positions are subject to an enhanced DBS check. If there's any reason why this may preclude you from being considered, please contact the Pendle Education Trust team.



**Job Description: Science Teacher** 

#### **Role Specific**

- 1. Be up to date, plan and prepare high quality teaching on a range of programmes in Science, delivering effective learning for students
- 2. Develop and share resources for the course/subject, including maintaining effective links across the Trust for resources
- 3. Deliver enrichment and enhancement activities
- 4. Effectively assess and cater for differentiation within lessons
- 5. Maintain comprehensive, up to date, student/course/subject records and provide information as requested
- 6. Ensure close liaison and good communications with other staff in matters concerning students
- 7. Use Trust systems to track and communicate student progress

#### **Student Responsibilities**

- 1. Value and support students to achieve their full potential
- 2. Having high expectations of behaviour and academic achievement for all students
- 3. Effectively manage the behaviour of students using positive behaviour strategies to ensure learner's engagement in lessons
- 4. Participate in relevant meetings with colleagues, parents and be involved in links with external agencies as part of curriculum enrichment
- 5. Carry out the role of a form tutor

#### **Trust Responsibilities**

- 1. Share the Trust's Vision, Mission, Values and Behaviours and communicate them effectively
- 2. Participate in Staff Review and Professional Development activities, and be actively involved in the Trust's culture of high expectation
- 3. Value diversity and promote equality
- 4. Engage in marketing activities and liaison with employers and the wider community in line with Trust strategies
- 5. Contribute to cross-Trust events
- 6. Adhere to Trust policies and procedures including Health and Safety
- 7. Be responsible for safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people
- 8. Any other duties that the Principal considers appropriate



## Person Specification – Science Teacher

## **Qualifications and Attainments**

Qualified teacher with QTS	Essential
Degree in a relevant subject	Essential

# Training, Experience and Knowledge

Successful teaching experience in a relevant subject	Essential
Thorough knowledge of the National Curriculum	Essential
Demonstrate a student-centred approach to teaching, including an	Essential
appreciation of inclusive provision and practices	
Ability to implement creative strategies for raising attainment in literacy	Essential
and numeracy	
Knowledge and experience of writing lesson plans, developing resources	Essential
and assessing students' work	
Experience of working in partnership with parents/carers to facilitate	Essential
effective links between home and school	

## **Personal Skills and Attitudes**

Display initiative, be positive and enthusiastic	Essential
Demonstrate a commitment to equality and diversity	Essential
Possess excellent communication and relationship building skills	Essential
Be a team player	Essential
Demonstrate a flexible, adaptable, resilient and results orientated	Essential
Ability to lead and manage own workload effectively, and take	Essential
responsibility for own professional development	
Suitability to work with children and young people	Essential





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