TEACHER OF ENGLISH (MATERNITY COVER)

MPS/UPR (Outer London) Required from September 2023 Full-time and Part-time applicants will be considered

We are seeking an enthusiastic and committed teacher of English who has the knowledge and love of their subject to inspire students in a school where a 'Love of Learning' is evident in every student interaction.

The temporary post offers a wonderful opportunity to inspire our highly motivated, articulate and diligent student body. The school greatly values the contribution that the study of English brings to its curriculum offer and to the all-round development of the students, helping them flourish as global citizens.

The English department's philosophy, policy and practice is learner-centred and literature-based, with the emphasis on developing conceptual understanding of the ways in which meanings are created in texts, delivered through flexible learning strategies and encouraging self-motivated learning.

Early Career teachers are very welcome to apply - we support the development of new teachers through an excellent ECT induction programme and the English department is very supportive in its approach.

Candidates suitable for the role will:

- love reading and discussing literature from a broad range of genres and time periods.
- be excited to teach high achieving students who are eager to learn
- be confident in teaching English language and literature up to and including GCSE to high achieving students and be excited about moving on to teaching to A level
- be passionate about personal and professional development and demonstrate a willingness to engage with the findings of evidence-based research through our whole school CPD programme.
- help extend and enrich students' school experiences beyond the curriculum
- have the ability to communicate effectively with staff, students and parents

We can offer:

- the opportunity to join a highly successful English department with a wide range of experience and expertise
- a stimulating and creative environment in a school where extra-curricular activities flourish and teachers are encouraged to introduce new and innovative activities
- a CPD provision tailored to your needs focusing on areas of research and development
- a diverse workplace, with an engaged student and staff community who are currently collaborating on a review of the school's approach to equality, diversity and inclusion
- a supportive environment where the work-life balance of teachers is proactively supported by the governors and senior leadership team
- a two-week October half term
- numerous other benefits (please see our attached information pack)

The Tiffin Girls' School is ideally situated just fifteen minutes' walk from Kingston upon Thames town centre and mainline station (Zone 6). For further information about our school please see our web site on www.tiffingirls.org Please note that CV's will not be accepted.

The school reserves the right to interview before the closing date, so early applications are encouraged.

Closing date: 9am on Thursday 23 February 2023
Interview date (provisional): Tuesday 28 February 2023

The Tiffin Girls' School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share and support this commitment. The successful candidate will be subject to both a full employment history and child protection check, and will also be required to undertake an enhanced Disclosure and Barring (criminal record) check.