

West Hatch High School a Specialist Business and Enterprise School

"THE BEST THAT I CAN BE"
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Teacher of History

Required September 2022

As a result of a significant school expansion and additional pupil numbers we are looking to appoint a Teacher of History. The post will appeal to early career teachers or experienced teachers with a strong track record wishing to join a thriving and heavily oversubscribed school.

We are looking for someone who believes in building strong relationships with students and is willing to go the extra mile to support them in being successful both in and outside of school. You would be expected to develop, plan and deliver effective and high quality learning experiences to all students across all key stages.

Proud of its success this is an exciting time to join West Hatch. Rated 'Good' by Ofsted, with a thriving Sixth Form. West Hatch is a family and is committed to supporting staffs wellbeing and professional development throughout their career; come and be a part of our future and allow us to develop yours.

The Governing Body is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff to share in the commitment. This appointment is subject to an enhanced DBS check and positive references.

For further information and to download an application form please visit www.westhatch.net

Closing date: Monday 7th February 2022 at noon

Early applications are encouraged as we will review applications as we receive them; and applicants may be contacted before the closing date.

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JOB DESCRIPTION

Post: TEACHER OF HISTORY

Responsible To: TEACHER IN CHARGE OF SUBJECT

HEAD OF DEPARTMENT

HEAD OF YEAR SLT MEMBERS

Purpose of the Job:

- a. To implement policies as determined by the governing body and the Headteacher.
- b. To implement and deliver an appropriate curriculum within designated subject area.
- c. To assess and monitor progress the development of designated students.
- d. To contribute to raising standards of student attainment and of achievement.
- e. To fulfil professional duties outlined in the Teachers Conditions of Service.

Duties:

The Teachers' Pay and Conditions Document specifies the general professional duties of a teacher. Whilst every effort has been made to explain the main duties and responsibilities of the post, each individual task undertaken may not be identified.

Particular Duties:

Under the overall direction of the Headteacher.

TEACHING

- Have a secure and up to date knowledge and understanding of the concepts and skills necessary to teach specialist subjects.
- Plan to achieve progression in pupils learning in line with agreed expectations on targets.

Set homework, mark and assess in line with school policies. Engage with school-

wide learning initiatives.

- Ensure that high quality teaching and learning takes place in all allocated classes.
- Mark, assess, record and report on pupil achievement and maintain records as stated in the schools policy. Maintain accurate records and use assessment data to monitor progress, targets and take action (e.g. SEN, most able pupils, monitor and track under achievement).
- Contribute to the development of Schemes of Learning, School and Team policies as requested.
- Maintain a purposeful, orderly classroom environment including neat storage, learning centred display and by employing a range of behaviour management strategies. Monitor targets for pupils on report.
- Undertake specific duties within the Team as agreed with your line manager.
- Attend and contribute positively to meetings and professional development activities.
- Promote and contribute where possible to the school's extra-curricular programme.
- Meet deadlines for reports, marking, assessment grades on a centralised tracking spread sheet.
- Prepare pupils for examinations and take part in standardisation or moderating exercises as require by the Team or examination boards.
- Contribute to Citizenship teaching, special one day events and to the ethos of a Business and Enterprise Specialist School.
- Provide a welcoming environment to visitors and respond within 24 hours to telephone calls and within 7 days to written correspondence.
- Follow School Policy and support the Leadership Team in the effective operation of the school.
- Carry out the role of form tutor as required.
- All teachers at West Hatch may be required to deliver in subjects other than their specialism dependent upon the school's curriculum needs. The senior team will determine subjects taught dependant on the teachers individual experiences, skills and or qualifications.

PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS

- Carry out your role in a professional, positive and proactive manner.
- To undertake any reasonable instruction.
- Deal courteously with colleagues, pupils, parents and the public.
- Come to work suitable dressed, in accordance with the Schools Dress Code.
- Maintain strict confidentiality with regard to issues relating to pupils, parents, other staff and school business.
- Set a good example to students.
- Be supportive at all times of the school's aims and ethos.
- Work as part of a team to support the team and school objectives.
- Be familiar and comply with school policies as set by the Governing body.
- Aim for high standards of punctuality and attendance.

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