



October 2022

Dear Applicant,

Re: Teacher of Modern Foreign Languages (Spanish)

Thank you for requesting details for the post of teacher of Modern Foreign Languages. This is an exciting opportunity for an ambitious, talented teacher of Spanish and French to cover a maternity leave from November 2022. We are looking for an outstanding classroom practitioner and team player.

The Languages Faculty is outstanding. With German and Spanish, in particular, producing outstanding results year in year out. GCSE results in languages consistently place Rainhill in the top 10% of school nationally. The proportion of our students who study languages at GCSE is very high compared to national averages. Replicating the national issue, we would like more of our students to study A levels in French, German and Spanish. We are looking for an outstanding practitioner to help continue this level of performance. EBACC cohorts being entered are very high and 'pass rates' are well above the national average.

Rainhill is a very stable school and is consistently oversubscribed with 300 pupils in every year group from September 2021. Our partnership with Liverpool FC and FEFA, gives us unique opportunities. We are the lead school in a Multi Academy Trust and are seeking opportunities for the right schools to join us in our MAT. All of this creates great opportunities to develop further. We have submitted a bid for capital funds to the Department for Education for a new Sixth Form.

Please find enclosed the following to help you with your application;

- School Prospectus & School Magazine
- Rainhill Sixth Prospectus
- Job Description for teachers
- Person Specification for the post
- Languages Faculty Description
- Application Form

The dates for the recruitment process are:

Closing date for applications: <u>3pm</u> on Friday 14th October 2022

Interviews: Week commencing Monday 17th October 2022

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Please complete the application form together with a letter of application (maximum 2 x A4) outlining 'how your career to date has prepared you for this post'. Please specify in your letter the **depth** of your subject understanding as well as your **depth and quality** of your teaching. All posts are subject to rigorous vetting and barring procedures.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries about this post. I will be delighted to help you.

I thank you in anticipation for your time and effort in preparing your application form and I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely

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