

March 2021

Teacher of Girls' PE

Thank you so much for accessing details of the teacher of PE post. We hope that you will feel sufficiently inspired by the information provided to make an application. Bishop Stopford School is a great place in which to work and learn. While the post for PE is part-time, we are able to consider offering a full-time contract for a colleague who can offer to teach a second subject where we have capacity to accommodate your skills.

All that we do is informed by our Core Values of Faith, Justice, Responsibility, Truth and Compassion. We welcome applications from those who have a real vocation to teach, an enthusiasm for their subject and who can work in sympathy with our values.

We have a thriving and highly successful PE teaching team and there is great potential for a dynamic new teacher to bring even more capacity. We are very proud of great results in PE, and the numbers who choose to study at GCSE and A Level are very buoyant. The post has arisen because of the retirement of a female colleague, and she will leave a significant gap in our team. As you would expect, the candidate appointed will teach a majority of girls' PE, but there will be some classes of boys' PE to teach too.

There is a culture of care and continuous improvement in our School, and you will be well looked after if you join us. Wellbeing is a priority: we have 'meeting free weeks', have shortened the length of the school day and introduced, as of this academic year, a two week October half-term. There are also other initiatives for our staff, such as a pilates class and even a ukulele club to keep you smiling!

CPD is an entitlement for all, and our research-based approach to our work means that we invest heavily in this area. We pride ourselves on being a 'Professional Learning Organisation', committed to improvement through staff development and learning.

We are situated only a stone's throw from the heart of Kettering and the East Midlands mainline. London is only an hour away, and there is easy access to Leicester by train. Both staff and students use the train to come to school. There is also ample car parking on site.

If you have any queries about the advertised post, which are not answered in the information provided please contact Shez Coe, (PE/Sixth Form Lead scoe@bishopstopford.com) in the first instance.

Applications are welcomed by noon on Tuesday 13th April 2021 We very much look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely



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Headteacher