**Teacher of Religious Education**

**SALARY :** MPS / UPS

**CONTRACT :** Full time

**TERM :** Permanent

**STARTING DATE** : 1st September 2023

**RESPONSIBLE TO :** Head of Social Sciences

We have an opportunity for a well-qualified and enthusiastic Teacher of RE to join our talented department, noted for its relentless focus on Teaching and Learning. All students study a core programme of Philosophy, Beliefs and Ethics at KS4.  In addition to this, we also have an option group for students wishing to study RE at GCSE.  They follow the AQA course studying both Christianity and Buddhism.

**The Team:**

RE is part of the Social Sciences faculty alongside PSHE, Sociology and Psychology.  Within the faculty there are six teachers; three of these are specialist RE teachers.

**What are we looking for:**

We are seeking a well-qualified, enthusiastic and inspiring RE teacher with an ability to teach this subject across the full age and ability range.

**You will be able to demonstrate:**

* Appropriate experience of teaching across the full age and ability range
* Excellent knowledge and understanding of RE at KS4
* Enthusiasm for your subject with the ability to communicate that to others
* The ability to communicate clearly with good interpersonal skills
* Excellent classroom management and organisational skills
* The ability to inspire all students to achieve their full potential

For further information or a discussion regarding the post, please contact the Head of Department, Mrs Fulford.

**Why work with us**

Burford is an oversubscribed school situated in an area of outstanding natural beauty. This is an excellent school, with a superb environment for learning and a priority given to teacher development. Our aim is to recruit colleagues who will be stimulated by the prospect of working hard to share in our success.

**Additional Staff Benefits**

* Supportive continuous professional development and growth opportunities
* Health and wellbeing support including access to an Employee Assistance Programme, free flu vaccinations and a subsidised Healthcare Plan
* Local Government Pension scheme membership
* The school is located within a short walk of a picturesque Cotswold town

As we are a heavily oversubscribed school, children of staff have priority for admission to Burford School.⃰

Visits to the school are warmly welcomed so you can see for yourself what makes Burford School such a special place to work – please contact Sarah Evans, HR Manager, to arrange this.

The successful candidates will need to meet the person specification in order to be offered the post.

**TO APPLY:**

* Please download details and an application form from our Eteach page:

<https://www.eteach.com/job/teacher-of-religious-education-1321812>

Or

* Contact Sarah Evans, HR Manager, at the following email address: [s.evans@burford.oxon.sch.uk](mailto:s.evans@burford.oxon.sch.uk) or telephone the number above.

Burford School is committed to safeguarding children and young people. All post holders in regulated activity are subject to appropriate vetting procedures and a satisfactory Disclosure and Barring Service Enhanced check.

As part of the vetting procedures, shortlisted candidates will be subject to an online search. This isn’t part of the shortlisting process, and there will be a chance to address any issues of concern at interview.

**Closing date: Tuesday 18th April (12.00pm)**

**Interview: Tuesday 25th April 2023**

⃰ Please see relevant Admissions Policy on the school website.