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|  | <p>Church Stretton School Shrewsbury Road Shropshire SY6 6EX Telephone Number: 01694 722209</p> |  |
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Job Title: Teacher of Science

Hours: 0.6 - 0.8 variable

Contract Type: Permanent

Grade and SCP: MPS/UPS

Start Date: September 2026 or January 2027

About TrustEd Schools

Church Stretton School is proud to be part of TrustEd Schools, a Shropshire multi-academy trust comprising five secondary and four primary schools. As part of this family of schools, we benefit from strong collaboration and shared expertise, while retaining our own close-knit identity and distinctive character.

We are ambitious for our young people and committed to raising aspirations so that every student can fulfil their potential. Equally, we value our staff highly: colleagues are trusted, supported and encouraged to develop, enabling rewarding careers and meaningful professional impact.

Why Church Stretton? A great school in a well-connected location

Set within the beautiful South Shropshire Hills Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty, Church Stretton School is far more accessible than many people expect. We are just nine miles from Shrewsbury and benefit from a direct rail link, regular bus services and a strong road network, making commuting straightforward from across the region.

The role

We are looking for an enthusiastic and forward-thinking Teacher of Science, with all specialisms welcome, to join our successful and supportive department.

Working closely with an experienced and collaborative team, this is a genuinely collegiate post. You will be encouraged to contribute ideas, engage in professional dialogue and refine your practice as part of a shared commitment to high-quality science teaching. Science is a core subject within the school, with a clear focus on developing students' scientific understanding, curiosity and analytical thinking.

You will teach across Key Stages 3 and 4, contributing to a carefully sequenced curriculum that builds secure knowledge over time and enables students to apply their understanding confidently through practical work, investigation and scientific reasoning. We welcome applications from all science specialisms.

The department places a strong emphasis on clear explanations, purposeful practical work and the development of students' confidence in thinking scientifically and tackling increasingly complex ideas. You will be supported to deliver well-planned lessons while also contributing to the continued development of teaching and learning within the department. With access to a newly refurbished laboratory and a collaborative team culture, this is an exciting opportunity to help shape pedagogy and curriculum development in science.

The department works with shared curriculum materials and clear schemes of learning, supporting consistency while reducing unnecessary workload. Staff are encouraged to work collaboratively, refine practice together and contribute to a culture of high expectations and continual improvement.

This role would particularly suit a teacher who is ambitious about their professional development and excited by the opportunity to contribute to a forward-thinking department. Whether you are early in your career or bring significant experience, you will be supported to develop your practice and play a meaningful role in the continued success of science within the school.

What we offer

You will join a supportive team within a well-resourced department, with access to shared curriculum materials, clear schemes of learning and a strong culture of professional support.

As a school and as part of TrustEd Schools, we place a strong emphasis on professional development and career progression, supporting colleagues to grow as practitioners and leaders at every stage. Early Career Teachers and experienced teachers are equally welcome to apply.

How to apply

Please email your completed application form to admin@cssschool.co.uk, addressing your covering letter (2 sides of A4 maximum) outlining why you feel you have the skills and expertise to deliver outstanding outcomes for our students, to Dr Andy Wood, Headteacher. A copy of the application form can be found using this link [Home | Church Stretton School](#). If you feel you have the qualities to complement our existing team, then we would love to hear from you. **Please note CVs will not be accepted.**

If you would like to visit the school, please contact Mrs Sian Wilmot, PA to the Headteacher. Telephone 01694 722209 or email admin@cssschool.co.uk. We would encourage you to visit in advance of your application so you can see first-hand our friendly staff and students.

The closing date for all applications is Monday 29th June 2026 at 9am. **Applicants are encouraged to apply early as the school may start the interview process before the closing date.**

Interviews will be held as soon as possible after the closing date. An email will be sent to shortlisted candidates with details of the interview process. If you have not heard from us within a week of the closing date, please assume your application has been unsuccessful.

The appointment is subject to satisfactory pre-employment clearances including references, medical clearance, and an enhanced DBS Disclosure under the "Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974". Further details regarding this check are available by visiting www.dbs.gov.uk. This school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people/vulnerable adults and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

We are an equal opportunities employer and are committed to diversity and gender equality in our hiring practices.

Shortlisted candidates will be required to complete a self-declaration of their criminal record or any information that would make them unsuitable to work with children, so that they have the opportunity to share relevant information and discuss it at interview stage.

An online search will be undertaken as part of due diligence checks during the shortlisting process.