



# West Park

*'A caring school where we put pupils and their achievement first'*

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## Vacancy

### Teacher of Science

**Pay Scale: M1 to U3 Permanent  
Full Time**

- ❖ Would you like to work in a single academy trust that has the autonomy to make the best decisions for their staff and pupils?
- ❖ Would you be inspired by working in a school where you are trusted as a professional and have the space to deliver creative and inspiring lessons?
- ❖ Would you flourish in a school that uses funding streams to benefit learning and to encourage modern and innovative approaches to learning, including virtual reality?
- ❖ Would you enjoy being part of a big school family that is at the centre of its community and supports stakeholders with its own eco-shop, community events and parent workshops?
- ❖ Would you thrive with the support of a unique well-being offer with an annual gift of time day, creative approaches to staff development, imaginative CPD opportunities and staff support services on site?
- ❖ Could you be the newest addition to a well-established staff team contributing to our calm and purposeful environment which allows staff to teach and support and pupils to flourish and achieve?

We are looking to find a motivated, enthusiastic and inspirational teacher for the Science Department to join our dedicated team. The Science Department at West Park School consists of a fantastic team of teachers and support staff, all of whom are committed to providing the very best opportunities for all pupils. We aim to foster a love of science and a sense of wonder at the world around us, through engaging and innovative lessons and feedback. We want all pupils to be proficient across the sciences and to develop enquiry skills that will stay with them for life.

The successful candidate will relish working as part of a team but also be keen to enhance their own pedagogical skills and practice independently. We are open to applications from all science specialisms, but do expect all members of the department to be comfortable in teaching Biology, Chemistry and Physics to GCSE level.

Applications are welcome from experienced teachers or ECTs. Visits to the school are strongly encouraged, particularly during the school day, to enable you to experience the unique atmosphere. Please call or email for an appointment, our contact details are on our website.

**Please note we are not registered as a Visa Sponsorship Academy so cannot provide sponsorship if you do not already have a work visa.**

Further information about the school and the post is available on the school's website at:

<https://www.westpark.derby.sch.uk/information/school/vacancies.php>

Applications for this post can be made by completing the Teaching form on the vacancies page of our website and should be submitted online together with a supporting letter.

*The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and this position is subject to an Enhanced Disclosure check under the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974.*

*All applicants must be able to provide documentation to prove their right to work in the UK.*

*We currently undertake social media background checks as part of the recruitment process, please opt out if you wish to do so.*

**Closing date for applications: Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December at 9am**