

Newlands Girls' School

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TEACHER OF SCIENCE (Job Description)

TEACHERS' MAIN SCALE OR UPPER PAY SCALE + OLF

We are seeking to appoint for January 2025 a teacher to join the Science Department.

Curriculum

We follow a two year KS3 Science curriculum. We divide the six form groups into eight mixed ability teaching groups in Year 7. We then set the students in Year 8. In Year 9 the students start AQA GCSE Science and are taught in ability groups. We offer separate science GCSEs to most able students. All other students follow the GCSE Combined Science: Trilogy course. The three separate sciences are strong at 'A' level with significant numbers going on to take scientific courses at university each year.

Title of Post: Teacher of Science

Responsible to: in the first instance the Head of Science and ultimately to the Headteacher.

Duties will include:

Science Department

- 1) Contributing to the teaching of the KS3 Science course in Years 7 and 8.
- 2) Contributing to the teaching of a GCSE course in Years 9, 10 and 11.
- 3) Contributing to the teaching of a subject at A Level and/or BTEC.
- 4) The planning and preparation of his/her own lessons together with associated homework.
- 5) The regular marking of work and the assessment and record-keeping in accordance with school and departmental policies.
- 6) Undertaking such responsibilities within the department as the Head of Department may reasonably require.

Whole School

- 1) Attendance at Staff Meetings, Pastoral, Curriculum Development meetings and Parents' Evenings.
- 2) Attendance at statutory In-Service training days and twilight sessions.
- 3) Supporting the implementation of whole-school policies in areas such as discipline, homework and health & safety.
- 4) Undertaking appropriate pastoral responsibilities as required.
- 5) Participation in the school's arrangements for performance management.
- 6) Undertake the duties of a Form Tutor with a year based tutor group.
- 7) Such other duties as the Headteacher may reasonably require.

It is important to remember that Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility and our top priority as educators.



We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

