

The Priory Academy LSST, one of the UK's top performing state schools, is looking for a Teacher of Science to join our exceptional staff body. You would join a team who are rightly proud of our Academy's outstanding academic track record but prouder still of the vibrant, supportive and ambitious culture to which we all contribute and foster. The Academy sits in extensive grounds and has excellent facilities including a Sports Centre, a contemporary robotics lab and recently refurbished classrooms.

The successful candidate will benefit from numerous career development and network opportunities through LSST's membership of The Priory Federation of Academies Trust, and the lead school for IOP. This allows for secondments, CPD, promotion and progression within the organisation and supports our strategy to retain and reward talent.

This role will challenge you, give you autonomy to teach and provide varied pathways to progression, whilst ensuring you are guided and supported throughout your career.

More about the Department

The Science department is a large and dynamic team consisting of 20 teaching staff and 4 technicians. We have a vast array of experience across all the sciences and, within the team, many of us have TLRs in areas relating to school curriculum, pastoral and enrichment.

The curriculum we teach is broad but detailed. We teach Biology, Chemistry and Physics as distinct subjects from the start of KS3 to ensure students are clear these are separate disciplines, whilst emphasising the links between topics whenever appropriate. Within KS3 we have three hours a week dedicated to Science, but this increases to five or seven hours in year 9, and then four or seven hours in year 11. The number of hours depends on the students choosing one of three routes:

1. Combined Science – 2 GCSEs in four hours a week (five in year 9)
2. Separate Science – 3 GCSEs in seven hours a week
3. Accelerated Science – 3 GCSEs in four hours a week (five in year 9)

Within KS5 the department delivers five subjects: GCE Biology, Chemistry and Physics, and BTEC in Applied Science and Health and Social Care. Across all of these subjects in KS5 we have over 350 students who choose to study within our Department. These students often go on to study subjects within the scientific disciplines after leaving the school. In addition to this we offer a range of enriching activities to our students outside of the curriculum; these include day trips, visiting speakers and clubs.

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The Science department is very well regarded within the school and consists of staff who thrive from working collaboratively with each other, whilst supporting our students to reach their potential. We have high expectations of our staff and students and we foster an environment in which we can all flourish. In return for this hard work the candidate will be given enormous scope within the school and department to explore exciting career pathways, whilst receiving support and mentoring to ensure they can settle quickly and progress in line with the Academy's high expectations.

