



Job Description for Teacher of Science

Remuneration

UNQ / MPS / UPS + Fringe Allowance

Responsible to:

Head of Faculty - Science

Service Relationships:

Colleagues in Science Faculty

Main Purpose of Post:

- Teach Science in KS3 and KS4. The opportunity to teach A level may also be available
- Contribute to the effective functioning of the Science Faculty as a team.
- Contribute to continuous improvement and raising standards of achievement.
- Maintain high professional standards.
- Promote the use of Science skills.
- Monitor and support the overall progress, development and well-being of students as a teacher and Form Tutor

Responsibilities**Teaching and Learning**

- Plan and teach well-structured lessons, building on student prior attainment and using evidence-informed teaching and learning methods
- Use formative and summative assessment to monitor student progress, set targets and inform planning of subsequent lessons
- Provide regular feedback to students to support and secure their progress
- Set regular homework and encourage pupils to take a responsible and conscientious attitude to their own work and study
- In the planning and delivery of lessons, to be aware of the needs of individual students and to liaise with Heads of Learning, SENCO and Teaching Assistants where appropriate
- Contribute to the development of high-quality Faculty schemes of work which inspire, motivate and challenge students, ensuring effective curriculum coverage, continuity and progression in the subject for all students.
- Have high expectations of students and use the school behaviour policy to maintain a classroom environment which is conducive to effective learning
- Maintain Faculty and whole-school records to assist in the tracking of student achievement, progress, attendance, punctuality, behaviour and homework

Communication and Liaison

- Communicate and work effectively with other members of the Faculty
- Liaise with other colleagues, including Form Tutors and Heads of Learning, on matters relating to the teaching of Science and student progress
- Attend faculty and full staff meetings, representing the faculty at other meetings where



appropriate

- Maintain regular and productive communication with students, parents and carers
- Participate in liaison activities such as Learning Review Evenings and Open Evenings
- Co-operate with other staff to ensure resources are shared, maintained and used effectively for the benefit of the students, Faculty and the wider school.
- Carry out delegated tasks to meet Faculty objectives.

General

- Make a positive contribution to the wider life and ethos of the school
- Take part in the School Appraisal process.
- Participate in activities to support your own ongoing professional development
- Accept a share of the pastoral responsibility of the School, including membership of a Year Team with its attendant responsibilities

Person Specification

The ideal candidate will be

- Qualified to at least degree level in a Science or Science related subject
- An inspiring classroom teacher who can demonstrate successful teaching experience across a wide range of abilities and aptitudes.
- Passionate in their belief in the potential of every student and committed to an inclusive approach to education which improves outcomes for all
- Determined to drive up standards of achievement
- Able to create a disciplined and motivated working environment within their classroom.
- Able to contribute to and work well within a team, and willing to work collaboratively within and across other curriculum areas.
- Have good communication, planning and organisational skills
- Willing to embrace further training and development opportunities as appropriate.
- Approachable, positive, adaptable, reliable, motivated, and resilient

**This Job Description is not a comprehensive definition of the post.
It is to be reviewed and updated annually**