

**TEACHER OF SPANISH WITH FRENCH
(MATERNITY COVER)
MPS/UPR (Outer London)
Required from September 2023**

Would you like to use your excellent dual language skills teaching highly motivated students in one of the foremost state schools in the country? We're looking to appoint a teacher of Spanish and French who would relish the opportunity to inspire our highly motivated, articulate and diligent student body. The school greatly values the contribution that the study of languages brings to its curriculum offer and to the all-round development of the students, helping them flourish as global citizens.

Both Spanish and French are popular subject choices at GCSE and A Level, with a number pursuing dual language GCSEs. Our languages departments supported the achievement of an extraordinary set of grades in the summer with 96% of Spanish and 83% of French GCSE grades respectively at level 9-8, and 100% A*-A in both languages at A level. Both languages are ably supported by specialist Foreign Language Assistants.

Candidates suitable for the role will:

- be confident in teaching Spanish to Key Stage 4 and both Spanish and French to Key Stage 3 students. New teachers will be supported in developing the knowledge and skills necessary for teaching to A level over a period of time
- be confident in teaching both languages to high achieving students
- be an excellent classroom practitioner, who is prepared to engage with evidence based research in their teaching
- be willing to use a range of strategies to teach across the ability range
- be passionate about personal and professional development and demonstrate a willingness to engage with the findings of evidence-based research through our whole school CPD programme.
- help extend and enrich students' school experiences beyond the curriculum
- have the ability to communicate effectively with staff, students and parents

We can offer:

- the opportunity to join highly successful and collaborative Spanish and French departments with a range of expertise
- a well-established curriculum with high quality lesson resources available for all key stages
- a stimulating and creative environment in a school where extra-curricular activities flourish
- a diverse workplace, with an engaged student and staff community who are currently collaborating on a review of the school's approach to equality, diversity and inclusion
- a two-week October half term
- a caring environment where the work-life balance of teachers is proactively supported by the governors and senior leadership team.
- a wide range of online paid resources to support teaching and learning
- numerous other benefits (please see our attached information pack)

The Tiffin Girls' School is ideally situated just fifteen minutes' walk from Kingston upon Thames town centre and mainline station (Zone 6). For further information about our school please see our web site on www.tiffingirls.org Please apply using the downloadable application form on this page or available on our website, or contact the school office. Please note that CV's will not be accepted.

**Closing date: 9am on Friday 2 March 2023
Interviews will be held during week commencing 5 March 2023**

The Tiffin Girls' School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share and support this commitment. The successful candidate will be subject to both a full employment history and child protection check, and will also be required to undertake an enhanced Disclosure and Barring (criminal record) check.