

WE'RE LOOKING FOR

A TEACHER OF

MATHS

TO JOIN OUR TEAM





Teesdale School and Sixth Form Centre
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Required for September 2019 Salary MPR

We are looking to appoint an excellent Teacher of Mathematics who would like to work with and contribute to the development of highly motivated students. We are looking for someone who is passionate about teaching engaging lessons which help students develop their mathematical ambitions.

We expect all our students to be challenged, to be inspired and to achieve excellent outcomes. As a teacher, you will be a key member of a close, dynamic team of skilled maths specialists who work collaboratively in delivering outstanding lessons and opportunities, which inspire our students.

The successful candidate will join us for September 2019 and will have the opportunity to teach all ability ranges. This post would particularly suit an NQT or a teacher in the early stages of their career. The ability to teach KS3 science would be helpful.

We would be delighted to hear from you if you are:

- An excellent teacher who enjoys working across the full ability range.
- Collaborative, building strong professional relationships.
- Able to motivate and inspire students to achieve their full potential.
- Ready to continue the development of an outstanding and vibrant Mathematics Department

Deadline:

9am on Monday 13 May 2019

Interviews will take place on 16 May 2019.

All visits to the school are warmly welcomed.

Please contact the school office on **01833 638166** to arrange a visit.

How to apply:

Application forms should be completed and returned with a supporting letter of no more than two sides of A4 to **tracy.tuck@teesdaleschool.co.uk** or by post to Tracy Tuck, Teesdale School and Sixth Form Centre, Prospect Place, Barnard Castle, County Durham, DL12 8HH.





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Job description

Responsible to

Head of Mathematics; Second in Mathematics and KS3 coordinator

Job purpose

- To teach Mathematics to students across the age and ability range within Teesdale School
- To be a committed and enthusiastic member of the Mathematics Department
- To develop and foster positive working relationships with students, teaching staff, other professionals and parents/carers

The key duties of this post will generally include:

Operational/Strategic Planning

- To report regularly to Mathematics Leadership on the progress of individual students
- To participate in staff meetings as required
- To plan, prepare, evaluate and modify personal teaching methods and materials in accordance with department and school policies
- To control and manage the classroom effectively
- To praise and manage student behaviour as appropriate
- To plan to meet the varied and special educational needs of students
- To set homework in accordance with the school and department policy and to ensure that students complete school planners

Enhancing own knowledge, skills and understanding

- To continuously develop your range of teaching and learning strategies for supporting the development and progression of individual students
- To keep up-to-date with developments and initiatives in the subject area.

Professional development and raising awareness

- To be an active member of the school's Maths Department
- To work with relevant staff to identify and address the needs of students
- To plan differentiated material to support all students at Key Stages
- To participate pro-actively in professional development initiatives



Curriculum and Extra-curricular Provision

- To contribute in developing/reviewing/revising schemes of work and engaging and challenging resources
- To contribute to the creation, planning and organisation of extra-curricular activities to promote the subject and enhance students' learning

Sharing information

• To ensure the efficient exchange of information regarding students both within the school and with other institutions/external agencies, as necessary

Support and monitoring

- To mark and record students' work in line with departmental and school policies
- To assess in line with departmental and school policies the ability of individual students; transfer that assessment to school records and to reports for parents; to communicate assessment details and data to tutors in preparation for parents' progress evenings
- To prepare and conduct assessments of students' learning as and when required, and submit data regarding students' progress into the school management information system.
- To liaise with others involved in supporting students' learning
- To develop and maintain links with subject and pastoral staff to support, monitor, assess and evaluate the progress of individuals
- To support students' social and emotional needs.
- To foster good relationships and liaison with parents/carers

Management of Information

• To ensure the maintenance of accurate and up-to-date information concerning students' learning and progress.

Communication

 To ensure effective communication/consultation as appropriate with the parents/ carers of students

Additional Duties

- To carry out duties as appropriate to the position of a classroom teacher within school
- To carry out duties as appropriate to the position of a pastoral tutor
- Employees will be expected to comply with any reasonable request from a line manager to undertake work of a similar level that is not specified in this job description.

This job description is current at the date shown but, in consultation with you, may be changed by the Executive Headteacher / Acting Head of School / Head of Department to reflect or anticipate changes in the job commensurate with the grade and job title.





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Person specification

	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications	 Specialism within the subject area Relevant degree – QTS Good qualifications within the subject area 	Good honours degree in maths or similar subject
Experience	 Experience of working with children within a learning environment (individuals/groups) Evidence of recent professional development/training in the teaching and support of the subject 	
Skills and knowledge	 Ability to teach KS3 and GCSE maths Ability to work flexibly as part of a team Ability to maintain a good learning environment Excellent communication skills Excellent organisational skills Willingness to take responsibility Ability to use own initiative Resilient, mature approach An appreciation of the value of learning A desire to encourage all young people to succeed 	 Ability to teach KS5 maths Ability to initiate activities to enhance provision within the subject area Ability to teach KS3 Science
Additional Factors	 Supportive manner Enthusiasm Sensitivity to students' needs /selfesteem Willingness to further develop professional skills Meaningful contribution to extracurricular activity 	Experience of working with young people aged between 11-18



References:

Any relevant issues arising from references will be taken up at interview.

DBS and pre-occupational health:

The North East Learning Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Any offer of employment will be subject to receipt of a satisfactory DBS Enhanced Disclosure.

An enhanced DBS check and pre-occupational health check are an essential part of the selection and recruitment process.

Equal opportunities:

We are an equal opportunity employer. We want to develop a more diverse workforce and we positively welcome applicants from all sections of the community.

Applications with disabilities will be granted an interview if the essential job criteria are met.

