

JOB DESCRIPTION

Name:

Role: Teacher in charge of Biology

This post would suit an outstanding teacher who can lead by example and manage the teaching of biology throughout the school. You must have very good subject knowledge, be able to plan effectively to achieve targets and be able to inspire and motivate students.

The successful candidate will:

- Be an excellent teacher with high expectations of themselves and students
- Have strong leadership skills
- Encourage and motivate students
- Have a proven track record in raising achievement

Report To: CTL Science

Location: St Chad's Catholic and Church of England High School.

Contract: As per STPCD with activities and flexibility commensurate with the post.

Salary: Main Scale plus TLR 2 (i)

Core Purposes:

- 1. As a member of the Science management team** you will manage, monitor and evaluate biology provision within the school. You will lead and develop outstanding Biology provision within the science department, have an up-to-date knowledge of developments within Biology specifications at GCSE, BTEC and A level and enhance the Biology specialism within the School.

Objectives

1. To work with the CTL for Science:

- 1.1 To be responsible for the quality of teaching and learning throughout the curriculum area.
- 1.2 To strategically manage the curriculum area and ensure that the departmental development plan links with the school development plan.
- 1.3 To research Biology best practice.
- 1.4 To coordinate meetings with the Science team
- 1.5 To produce medium term and short term plans with the Science team
- 1.6 To track and monitor students' progress in biology and implement intervention strategies for those students who are under-achieving in order to diminish the difference between disadvantaged and non-disadvantaged students, including the more able students.
- 1.7 To report on biology progress to line manager
- 1.8 To achieve high quality examination results for all students
- 1.9 To develop high quality 'Teaching and Learning' resources to support learning
- 1.10 To ensure biology meets the needs of all students including management of behaviour and its impact on learning
- 1.11 To ensure that students and staff meet deadlines

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- 1.12 To enhance curriculum provision with external links, competitions and extra-curricular and STEM activities
- 1.13 To liaise with the CTL to promote biology and celebrate successes
- 1.14 To actively promote the School's policies e.g. Health and Safety Policy
- 1.15 To continue one's own personal development and contribute to CPD in relation to leadership skills and subject development and to encourage, and when appropriate, lead staff development in Science.

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