

## THE ACADEMY AT SHOTTON HALL



#### JOB DESCRIPTION

## **Maths TEACHER**

# Line of Responsibility

The teacher is directly responsible to the Head of Maths on curriculum matters and the Learning Manager for pastoral issues.

#### **Job Content**

#### Strategic Purpose

 The basic duties of a teacher are outlined in the latest School Teachers' Pay and Conditions Document.

# **Operational Responsibilities**

#### Teaching

- Plan work in accordance with departmental schemes of work and national curriculum programmes of study.
- Take account of pupils' prior levels of attainment and use them to set future targets.
- Set work when required for absent pupils.
- Maintain good discipline by following the school's pupil disciplinary policies and procedures.
- Establish a purposeful working atmosphere during all learning activities.
- Set appropriate and challenging work for all pupils.
- Identify and work appropriately with 'special educational needs' pupils and 'gifted and talented' pupils.

## Assessment, Recording and Reporting

- Keep appropriate records of pupils' work.
- Mark and return work set, including homework within an agreed and reasonable time.
- Adhere to the school's marking policy at all times.
- Carry out assessment programmes, as agreed by the school, or department.
- Complete pupil reports in line with school policy. Attend parents' evenings as required and keep parents informed about their child's performance and future targets.

#### Pastoral Work

Responsibilities for a Sept Tutor will include:-

• Monitoring and setting targets for the social and academic progress of all pupils in the Sept.

- Endeavour to build up a good relationship with the pupils in the Sept, so that they will look to you for support and advice.
- Report issues of concern to the appropriate senior staff.
- Maintain an accurate register of attendance and do everything possible to encourage good attendance.

#### Performance Management and Professional Development

• The teacher will be part of the school's performance management scheme. S/he will have a team leader who will set agreed targets for the year. The team leader will monitor and review performance, including classroom teaching. The school will support the continuing professional development of all staff, to ensure that their expertise is being kept up to date.

# **Conditions of employment**

The above responsibilities are subject to the general duties and responsibilities contained in the written statement of conditions of employment (the Contract of Employment).

The postholder is required to support and encourage the school's ethos and its objectives, policies and procedures as agreed by the Governing Body.

To uphold the Academy's policy in respect of child protection matters.

S/he shall be subject to all relevant statutory requirements as detailed in the most recent School Teachers' Pay and Conditions Document.

The postholder may be required to perform any other reasonable tasks after consultation.

This job description allocates duties and responsibilities but does not direct the particular amount of time to be spent on carrying them out and no part of it may be so constructed.

This job description is not necessarily a comprehensive definition of the post. It will be reviewed at least once a year and it may be subject to modification at any time after consultation with the postholder.

All staff members participate in the school's performance management scheme.



# THE ACADEMY AT SHOTTON HALL POST OF GENERAL TEACHER - Maths PERSON SPECIFICATION AND CRITERIA FOR SELECTION

CATEGORY	PERSON SPECIFICATION AND  ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE	WHERE IDENTIFIED
APPLICATION	Fully supported in reference		- Application Form
	Well structured supporting letter		- Reference
QUALIFICATIONS	Qualified Teacher status	Commitment to continue	- Application
		further study or	
EVEEDIENIES.		professional development	
EXPERIENCE	Have a good, up-to-date working     Have a good, up-to-date working     Have a good, up-to-date working	•	<ul><li>Application Form</li><li>References</li></ul>
	knowledge and understanding of a range of teaching, learning and		- Interview
	behaviour management strategies		interview
	and know how to use and adapt		
	them, including how to personalise		
	learning to provide opportunities		
	for all learners to achieve their		
	potential.		
	Have a secure knowledge and understanding of their		
	subjects/curriculum areas and		
	related pedagogy including: the		
	contribution that their		
	subjects/curriculum areas can		
	make to cross-curricular learning;		
	and recent relevant developments.		
SKILLS	Plan for progression across the	Knowledge and	- Application Form
	Secondary age and ability range,	understanding of subject	- References
	designing effective learning sequences	and curriculum.	- Interview
	within lessons and across series of		
	lessons informed by secure subject and		
	<ul><li>curriculum knowledge</li><li>Design opportunities for learners to</li></ul>		
	develop their literacy, numeracy, ICT and		
	thinking and learning skills		
	Plan, set and assess homework, other		
	out- of-class assignments and		
	coursework for examinations, where		
	appropriate, to sustain learners' progress		
	and to extend and consolidate their learning		
	Teach challenging, well organised lessons		
	and sequences of lessons across the		
	Secondary age and ability range		
	Use an appropriate range of teaching		
	strategies and resources		
SPECIAL	Detailed knowledge of the		- Application Form
KNOWLEDGE	structure and content of the		- References
	current Maths curriculum.  • Understanding and knowledge of		- Interview
	current issues in education		
PERSONAL	A belief in the ability of all young		- Application Form
ATTRIBUTES	people to achieve success.		- References
	A commitment to equality and		- Interview
	diversity.		
	High quality care guidance and		
	support for pupils and parents		
	A good health and attendance record		
	Evidence of being able to build and		
	sustain effective working		
	relationships with staff, Governors,		
	parents and the wider community.		
	Flexibility and adaptability in order		
	to be able to mix and work with a		
	wide range of people		