



Job description

All job descriptions define the responsibilities of the postholder in addition to those outlined in the School Teachers' Pay and Conditions Document (STPCD).

JOB TITLE:	Assistant Head of Maths (KS4)
SALARY CODE:	TLR 2B
RESPONSIBLE TO:	Head of Faculty
RESPONSIBLE FOR:	Teaching staff, Learning Assistants (LAs) and other personnel within the faculty
RESPONSIBILITY:	Raising achievement of students allocated to the faculty

All TLR job descriptions define the responsibilities of the post holder as being:

- Under the reasonable direction of the Headteacher to carry out the professional duties of a school teacher as set out in the current School Teachers' Pay & Conditions Document (STPCD).
- To fulfil expectations of teachers with TLRs as outlined in the current School Teachers' Pay & Conditions Document (STPCD).
- To comply with Health and Safety at Work Legislation.

POST RESPONSIBILITIES

- Leading teaching, learning and assessment at KS4.
- Tracking and monitoring student progress at KS4 and addressing any identified underperformance.
- Supporting and mentoring new staff.
- Deputising for the Head of Faculty (where necessary).
- Attending PIXL Maths conferences as required.
- Working with Assistant Head of English (KS4) to raise achievement in English and Maths.

TEACHING AND LEARNING

- Ensure effective learning for all students through excellent teaching and delivery of well-planned and organised lessons across key stages.
- Assess, record and report on the development, progress and attainment of students.
- Use appropriate strategies to ensure outstanding student progress and well-being.
- Monitor the setting and marking of challenging class and homework according to academy policy.
- Support the development of teaching materials and courses of study, including use of ICT study.
- Participate in arrangements for preparing students for public examinations.
- Liaise with parents and support staff to ensure excellent attainment.
- Support extended intervention/enrichment activities to enhance students' learning experience.
- Support the management of student behaviour across the faculty and around the academy.
- Maintain an organised and well-presented learning environment for students.







Challenge, Wellbeing, Teamwork

- Be responsible for leading relevant and appropriate curriculum.
- Be responsible for the development and selection of suitably differentiated materials.
- Employ knowledge of the KS2 curriculum to support curriculum planning.
- Be an effective form tutor/year group intervention tutor.

ASSESSMENT AND MAKING USE OF DATA TO TRACK STUDENT PROGRESS

- Devise and implement assessment, monitoring and evaluation procedures consistent with academy policy, including setting appropriate targets for students.
- Make use of baseline and performance data to set student targets, monitor student progress and attainment and identify intervention strategies across the subject.
- Oversee reporting to parents on student achievement in the given subject/faculty.

LEADERSHIP

- Lead teachers and other professionals in meeting the learning needs of students in the curriculum area.
- Provide knowledgeable and innovative leadership of teaching and the curriculum.
- Maintain a clear vision, purpose and high expectations of staff and students.
- Implement strategic planning for the faculty coordinated with the Academy Improvement Plan and Faculty Improvement Plan.
- Lead on self-evaluation and appraisal for the department/faculty.
- Promote effective teamwork and motivate staff.
- Play an active role in supporting good practice and quality assurance.
- Be involved in recruitment, induction, guidance, advice and preparation of references for staff.

MANAGEMENT

- Be responsible for the day to day management of the subject area and its staff.
- Implement the Academy Behaviour for Learning policy and assist in the Senior Staff On Duty System (SSOD).
- Provide information regarding the timetabling of staff and allocation of teaching groups.
- Manage the available resources of space, staff, money and equipment efficiently.
- Make appropriate arrangements for classes when staff are absent.
- Implement academy policies and procedures, i.e. Health and Safety, Child Protection and Promoting Equality and undertake relevant risk assessments where necessary.
- Be responsible for the development of relevant policies/subject handbook.

ACCOUNTABILITY AND MONITORING

- Be accountable for student progress and development within the subject area and the planning and implementation of the faculty improvement plan.
- Be responsible for all aspects of internal and external examinations in the faculty/subject.
- Monitor departmental/ faculty achievement, individual teacher performance and learning experience of students.
- Ensure effective communication with parents, governors and other stakeholders.





COACHING, MENTORING AND ENHANCING THE PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF OTHERS

- Develop and enhance the teaching practice of others through mentoring, coaching and appraisal.
- Undertake regular lesson observations, scrutiny of students' work and monitoring of colleagues' performance.
- Participate in your own professional development.

ACADEMY ETHOS

- Play a full part in the life of the academy community and support its vision
- Actively support the academy's corporate policies and aspirations.
- Adhere to the staff professional code of conduct.

Please note: Whilst every effort has been made to explain the main duties and responsibilities of the post, each individual task may not be identified. The teaching/ contact time associated with this post is 20 hours out of a possible 26 one hour lessons.

ACCEPTANCE OF THE JOB DESCRIPTION BY POST HOLDER

I can confirm my acceptance of the Job Description as outlined above

NAME:

SIGNED:

DATE:







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Person specification

QUALIFICATIONS	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE
Degree or equivalent in the relevant subject(s)	\checkmark	
Qualified teacher status.	\checkmark	
Recent and relevant professional development.	\checkmark	
Higher degree or other professional qualification in a relevant area.		\checkmark

EXPERIENCE	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE
Teaching that is good or better which impacts positively on student progress.	\checkmark	
A broad knowledge of relevant curriculum / assessment areas at different key stages (3- 5)	\checkmark	
Experience of the use of data tracking and target setting to raise attainment and identify under performance.		\checkmark
Experience of team leadership and team building.		\checkmark
Direct experience of managing a budget and resources.		\checkmark

KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS		DESIRABLE
An understanding and appreciation of the value of interesting and stimulating display.	\checkmark	
Ability to reflect on own and student performance in lessons and adapt practice accordingly.	\checkmark	
Ability to select and devise appropriate teaching methods and resources.	\checkmark	
Effective planning, assessment and record keeping.	\checkmark	
Ability to develop and maintain positive relationships with all stakeholders.	\checkmark	
Effective classroom management and efficient organisation of resources.	\checkmark	
Effective use of IT.	\checkmark	
Understanding of the importance of professionalism and confidentiality.	\checkmark	
An understanding of the principles of management and leadership with an ability to engage others and ability/ potential to lead a team to achieve its goals.	\checkmark	
An understanding of action planning and self-evaluation.	\checkmark	

PERSONAL QUALITIES AND ATTRIBUTES		DESIRABLE
A commitment to girls' education, the academy's vision and ethos, equal opportunities policy and practice.	\checkmark	
A commitment to, and understanding of the wider aspects of student development including tutoring and PSHCE.	\checkmark	
A willingness to initiate and participate in both cross curricular and extra curricular activities.	\checkmark	
Flexible, able to work under pressure and meet deadlines.	\checkmark	
A reflective practitioner who responds to change positively.	\checkmark	
A commitment to being a role model for staff and students.	\checkmark	
Has the potential for further promotion and a commitment to career development.		\checkmark



