|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Job title** | Head of Department History |
| **Location** | The Deepings School |
| **Salary range** | TLR2b £4539 |
| **Start date** *(this will default to ‘asap’ if unspecified)* | 01/09/2018 |
| **Closing date for applications** | 18/04/2018 |
| **Interview date** *(if applicable)* | tba |
| The History Subject team at The Deepings School is located within Priory College.  It currently consists of five qualified history teachers, led by the Head of Department. Individual strengths, interests and experiences are shared in what is a team approach to teaching History across all the Key Stages and to the School Development Plan’s aims of ‘Raising Standards’ and ‘Every Child Matters’.  We have access to admin support from two Priory College administrators which allows teaching staff to focus on developing teaching and learning.  **Accommodation**  Within the department there are four full-time History classrooms.  All classrooms have projectors and networked desktops with facilities for playing DVDs. There is also a Humanities work area that staff can use which has access to networked computers.  **Curriculum**  The curriculum is underpinned by the Every Child Matters agenda and we aim to ensure that every student is equipped with a range of Historical knowledge and understanding to take an active role in society when they leave the school. Within all stages active learning is promoted. We endeavour to encourage the ‘wow’ as well as the ‘how’ of the subject. History is a very popular subject and this is reflected in the uptake at both Y9 and Y12.  As the successful candidate you will lead a small team with a common goal, to work together to achieve year on year improvements and the best for all students. Although academic achievement is of paramount importance, we feel this is vitally linked to the enjoyment of the students and the variety of experiences gained throughout their school career.  In summary, we offer   * A well-resourced History department with full access to ICT facilities and superb administrative and technical facilities * A friendly, professional and supportive team who are all engaged in the development and growth of our co-workers. * A subject which is very popular and increasingly successful at GCSE and A Level. * High take up in both KS4 and the Sixth Form with some individual outstanding performances * Good and consistently improving results in all key stages   **The Post**  Permanent  Full time  We offer you the opportunity to share our positive, professional, people centred and performance focused outlook by joining:   * our dedicated and progressive team of over 200 teaching and support staff * a popular school where an adventurous approach to learning and life is at the heart of all we do * an 11-18 mixed comprehensive school with the full ability range, located in a vibrant and growing community in South Lincolnshire * a member of the CfBT Schools Trust   Closing date is MIDDAY Wednesday 18 April 2018  **The Deepings School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The successful candidate will be required to undertake an Enhanced Disclosure via the DBS.**  **The Deepings School is an Equal Opportunities Employer and we welcome applications from all sections of the community.**  **The Deepings School fully recognises its responsibilities for child protection. Our policy applies to all staff, governors and volunteers working in the school.** | |
| **Application and contact details:** | Applications must be on a school application form. CVs will not be accepted  Please upload your application form to the TES website, email it to [speacock@deepingschool.org.uk](mailto:speacock@deepingschool.org.uk) or post it to Mrs Sandra Peacock, HR Manager at the school address. |