

**Job Description- Science Teacher**

**The Role**

To deliver outstanding teaching, to ensure effective student learning in the subject and to achieve excellent results for the students.

To be a role-model and impact positively on the academy more widely.

**Key responsibilities**

* To plan, resource and deliver inspiring lessons that ensure that effective learning takes place and students make excellent progress
* To provide a nurturing and stimulating classroom and academy environment that helps students to develop as learners
* To maintain/establish positive behaviour for learning across the whole academy
* To contribute to the effective working of the academy
* To support students in the acquisition and development of learning dispositions and positive character traits
* To provide stimulating and enriching extra-curricular opportunities for students and potentially for members of the wider school community
* To be accountable for student progress and attainment levels in their own classes.

**Outcomes and activities**

Teaching and learning

* With direction from the Head of Department, to plan and prepare effective teaching scheme of work and lessons
* To teach engaging and effective lessons that motivate, inspire and involve students and improve student attainment
* To use regular assessments to monitor progress and set targets
* To respond accordingly to the results of such monitoring to differentiate intervention
* To utilise a full range of assessment strategies
* To maintain regular and productive communication with parents, to report on progress, sanctions and achievements
* To promote reading and teach literacy skills.

Academy culture

* To help create a strong academy community, characterised by consistent, orderly behaviour and caring, respectful relationships by maintaining a presence around the Academy
* To help develop an Academy culture and ethos that is utterly committed to achievement
* To demonstrate a commitment to equality of opportunity for all members of the Academy’s community
* To actively promote the Academy at all times
* To contribute to discussions at meetings
* To contribute to the writing and implementation of the Academy Improvement Plan
* To be active in issues of student welfare and support.

**Other**

* To be a form tutor and deliver tutorial sessions to the form group
* To undertake other various responsibilities as directed by the Head of Department or Principal
* To undertake the main professional duties of a teacher as set out in the OAT pay and conditions of service document
* To meet the expectations of all staff as laid out in the Staff Expectations Policy
* To uphold all Academy polices with consistency and diligence.