



# **Teacher of Welsh**

## **Full Time**

Required from 1<sup>st</sup> September 2018

# **Information for Applicants**



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11<sup>th</sup> June 2018

Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in the post of full time Teacher of Welsh, to start on 1<sup>st</sup> September 2018. This is a full time, permanent post however Governors would consider applications for flexible working hours for the right candidate.

Elfed High School was judged to be 'excellent' by Estyn in 2015 and was categorised as a 'Green' Support School by the Welsh Government in 2015 and 2016. This confirms that we are one of the highest achieving schools in Wales.

Governors are seeking an outstanding applicant to support the Head of Welsh.

We are very proud of the achievements of our students at Elfed High School and are keen to share information to help you to make a successful application. You can visit our website ([www.elfed.hs](http://www.elfed.hs)) for more information about the school and follow us on Twitter@elfedhs.

The closing date for applications is 9.00am on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2018.

I look forward to hearing from you and wish you well in your application.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Alistair Stubbs BA(Hons), NPQH  
Headteacher / Pennaeth

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## Teacher of Welsh Person Specification

Attributes	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Qualification in Welsh (first or second language)</li> </ul>	
Knowledge and Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Experience of teaching Welsh at Key Stages 3 and 4</li> <li>• Thorough knowledge of what makes effective teaching and learning</li> <li>• Thorough knowledge of thinking skills</li> <li>• Thorough knowledge of the MFL curriculum and other recent education developments</li> <li>• Ability to enthuse and motivate students</li> <li>• Ability to work as part of a team</li> <li>• Excellent ICT skills and a willingness to use and digital learning in MFL</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Knowledge of WJEC specification</li> </ul>
Personal qualities and behaviours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Passionate about languages</li> <li>• Excellent classroom practitioner</li> <li>• Ability to work hard</li> <li>• Excellent communicator</li> <li>• Excellent organisational skills</li> <li>• Self motivated and committed</li> <li>• Integrity, honesty, consistency of approach and a respect for others, enthusiasm, energy and initiative</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Willingness to make a full contribution to the life of the school</li> </ul>
Education philosophy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A commitment to the concept of lifelong learning</li> <li>• A commitment to integrate into the life of the department helping out in the various tasks and activities</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Commitment to own learning</li> </ul>

## **Elfed High School Modern Foreign Languages Curriculum Area**

### **About the MFL Curriculum Area**

We wish to appoint a well-qualified, passionate teacher of Welsh who is keen to create and develop innovative ways to engage our students throughout Key stage 3 and 4. They should be willing to develop extracurricular activities to engage our students and help build upon the outstanding work already established. We are very much looking for a dynamic team player who has energy and vision, in light of the developing literacy and numeracy framework.

### **Curriculum**

- Learners in Year 7, 8 and 9 are taught Welsh in fifty minute lessons and have two lessons of Welsh per week.
- Key stage 4 short course Welsh is compulsory and is timetabled for one lesson per week. Full course Welsh is an option.

### **Facilities**

The MFL Curriculum Area comprises of 4 rooms and all have a computer, overhead projector and interactive whiteboard. In addition, it makes regular use of the school's ICT rooms.