ST RICHARD REYNOLDS CATHOLIC COLLEGE

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Thank you for showing an interest in our College. It is already developing into the school of choice for a significant number of Catholic families living in and around the London Borough of Richmond upon Thames. We had over 150 applications for our 30 Reception places in January and almost 1000 preferences for the 150 Year 7 places we have for September 2018.

As a one-form entry primary school and five-form entry secondary school, the College will grow to provide an educational experience of the highest quality for young people between the ages of 4 and 18.

The chance to be part of the design and creation of such a school is a once in a career opportunity for people passionate about improving the life skills and chances for children created in God's image.

We opened in September 2013 and currently have 150 pupils in our Primary School together with 750 High School students. The Primary School moved into new accommodation just before Christmas.

You will be…

- *either a committed and practising Catholic, or at least somebody who is committed to supporting and developing our Catholic ethos
- a qualified teacher educated to degree level
- *a passionate and outstanding classroom practitioner
- *ideally someone with at least three years ***clearly demonstrable*** successful school experience in the UK
- *an advocate for young people
- *an excellent communicator
- someone with clear leadership potential
- driven, tenacious, able to maintain focus, objectivity and exercise sound judgement
- innovative and creative
- someone who acts with integrity
- *someone willing and able to contribute to the wider life of the College
- someone with a positive attitude to life and work

Ofsted Outstanding School 2014|2015

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Diocese of Westminster

[If you decide to apply, please ensure that the criteria marked with an asterisk* are clearly addressed in your supporting letter, particularly evidence of lesson observation quality and pupil progress.]

You will appreciate and be excited with the knowledge that:

- the College is both a primary and secondary school bringing with it so many opportunities to explore and develop learning and teaching opportunities
- the College will grow over the next two years with eventually over 1000 pupils from Reception to Year 13
- you will become part of something very special for the Catholic and wider community in this part of South West London

I have very high expectations and a relentless focus on excellence in all aspects of my work, and I expect the same of my colleagues. An important part of my philosophy is the belief that strong, positive relationships built on trust, integrity and a love of God are essential to ensure that these expectations are met.

I hope that these few words and our website give you sufficient information to apply for this position, however please don't hesitate to contact us to discuss a role, or to arrange a visit. I wish you well.

R. E. Burke
March 2018