



The department currently consists of seven full-time Maths teachers who work closely together to plan and co-ordinate courses. There are 7 classrooms all situated in the same area of the school. The Department is well resourced in terms of equipment. Each Maths classroom has a ceiling mounted projector, interactive whiteboard and PC. Each member of the team has the personal use of a laptop with an extensive amount of Maths software, autograph, geometers sketchpad, KS3 Maths Alive, Virtual Text Book and we subscribe to mymaths. A wide range of textbooks are available at all Key Stages. There are many opportunities for further professional development. We are supported in the department by a Maths Teaching Assistant.

Key Stage 3

Students are taught in mixed ability groups for their first few weeks and are then set in the first half term. These sets are reviewed regularly using test data and progress in lessons as a basis for discussion. We use a variety of resources and teaching techniques.

Key Stage 4

Currently students in Key Stage 4 study the AQA linear qualification. Students also study GCSE Statistics in Year 10.

Key Stage 5

A Level Mathematics is a popular choice in the sixth form. There may be the opportunity to teach A-level for a successful suitably qualified candidate. Students follow the OCR A-Level Maths course.

Some Year 12 students resit GCSE if necessary.

Teaching and Learning

At all Key Stages we try to ensure that Maths is taught in a lively and interesting way and that students enjoy the subject. As a department, we are working on activities and questions to promote independence and deeper thinking.

Revision and support sessions run after school for those preparing for external exams.

The successful applicant will be expected to teach across the ability range. There are programmes of study for each year group. Curriculum development is shared and data stored centrally. The team benefits from much experience and therefore a successful candidate can be sure of much support.

Please note we will be unable to give any feedback if your application is not successful.

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