



SHREWSBURY INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

BANGKOK

Shrewsbury International School

Job Opportunity

Position / Job Teacher of Mathematics

Specification:

Posting Date: 14th February 2018

Closing Date: 14th March 2018

Department: Academic

Salary: Shrewsbury International School QTS salary scale applies.

Benefits: An excellent international package of benefits including:

- Two-year contracts;
- Excellent accommodation in Central Bangkok for singles and couples is available subject to availability at The Chatrium, adjacent to the school (www.chatrium.com) or for singles, couples and families at Bangkok Garden, only minutes from the school (www.bangkokgarden.com). The accommodation is provided free of charge, although a small tax deduction is made at source.
- Flights at the beginning and end of each contract;
- Relocation allowance at the beginning and end of employment;
- Medical insurance with Aetna (Thailand);
- Generous support for personal professional development

Position	The Teacher of Mathematics reports to the Head of Mathematics, Mr Robert Groves, and is expected to teach a full timetable of up to 48 periods (55 minutes / 10 day cycle). This department of eleven highly motivated and experienced staff teaches throughout the Senior School (Years 7 –13) and expectations are high. The department enjoys outstanding results at IGCSE, AS and A Level. As a result of the increasing size of the school population and popularity of A Level Mathematics and Further Mathematics, we are seeking a Mathematics teacher to help deliver the curriculum from Key Stage 3 through to A-level or Further Mathematics A-level. The subject is very popular at A Level with over 90% of the year 12 cohort opting for Mathematics. We run four Mathematics and three Further Mathematics classes at Advanced level. Candidates should be willing to bring innovation, passion and a love of mathematics to an already inspired department. The candidate's work ethic must be exemplary. The candidate should also have a willingness to be a reflective practitioner who could further enhance teaching and learning in the school. The department runs regular teaching and learning focused meetings which members of the department take in turn to lead, the candidate would be expected to contribute to these meetings. The department also runs five mathematical extracurricular activities to cater for the number of pupils who are interested in mathematics. The school also enters two International Mathematical Competitions as well as taking part in UKMT competitions. All staff are expected to be involved in one of these activities.
Summary:	
General:	Shrewsbury is one of South East Asia's outstanding international schools, with enrolment of 1700 students from Early Years to Sixth Form, exceptional examination results and particular strengths in the creative arts, design and sport. The school itself enjoys a delightful and spectacular setting, right on the banks of the Chao Phraya River in the heart of Bangkok. The school is readily accessed by road and boats, which provide an easy and quick link to Bangkok's Skytrain and the city centre. The link with Shrewsbury School UK (www.shrewsbury.org.uk) is taken very seriously and, year-on-year, develops into a world-class educational partnership.

Candidate
Profile:

The successful candidate:

- will be a well-qualified Mathematics specialist;
- will be a dedicated, highly motivated teacher capable of inspiring students;
- will have a full working knowledge of the English National Curriculum and an ability and aspiration to attain the highest standards;
- will have either experience of working with English Language Learners (ELL) or a desire to broaden his / her experience and skills in EAL teaching and learning strategies;
- will have a flexible approach to working within the school curriculum and structures;
- will have demonstrated an appreciation of the value of the extra-curricular dimension in developing the potential of students;
- will have excellent interpersonal skills and a positive approach to professional development, particularly in the areas of EAL and ICT;
- will be internationally minded;
- will have the ability to work within and apply all school policies e.g. behaviour management, child protection, Health and Safety, Equal Opportunities etc;

Child
Safeguarding:

Shrewsbury International School is committed to Safeguarding and Child Protection promoting the welfare of children. The successful candidate will be required to

- attend in-house Child Safeguarding programmes
- promote and safeguard the welfare of all students in the school
- report to the Child Protection Officer any concerns they have for the welfare of a student. This may include unsafe practices witnessed within the school as outlined in the school's Speak Out (Whistleblowing) Policy.

- keep professional relationships with students where personal boundaries are respected and maintained
- seek advice from a Line Manager or Child Protection Officer with issues or concerns related to Child Safeguarding.

Requirements:

- Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service Check (DBS) prior to the start of contract.
- Formal proof of identity with photo ID (Original Driving License / Passport).
- 2 signed, confidential references (one of which will be from the candidate's current headteacher) before the start of contract.
- Verification of original qualifications.

How to Apply:

Applications will only be accepted on the official Shrewsbury International School Application Form, which is available on the school website "Job Vacancies" page.

Further Details:

Full details of the school are available on our website at www.shrewsbury.ac.th.

Any queries should be forwarded to The Principal, Mr. Chris Seal (Chris.s@shrewsbury.ac.th).