EGGBUCKLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE ACADEMY TRUST

**Teacher of English**

**MPS/UPS + TLR2b**

**A. BACKGROUND**

Eggbuckland Community College is the lead school in a cross-phase Multi-Academy Trust with Austin Farm Academy. Our aspiration is for all students to leave with the skills, qualities and achievements they need to succeed in life. Pivotal to securing this vision is our commitment to the recruitment and professional development of teaching and support staff of the highest quality.

At Eggbuckland, we pride ourselves on our “Learning, Caring, Achieving” ethos and firmly believe in promoting Student Leadership so that young people are empowered to take responsibility as good, active citizens.

**B. ACCOMMODATION**

The Curriculum Team is based in grouped specialist classrooms with each full-time member of staff having his/her own room.

The Curriculum Team has benefited from substantial additional funding as a designated DfE Specialist School. Each teacher has a laptop computer and all classrooms are equipped with a multimedia projector, visualiser and Apple T.V.

**C. SETTING AND CURRICULUM TIME**

Students at KS3 and KS4 are set according to the needs of the cohort; some mixed ability and some by ability. Members of the Curriculum Team are required to teach a range of abilities at each Key Stage.

**D. SYLLABUSES IN YEARS 7-11**

The Curriculum Team operate a two year Key Stage Three programme. Key Stage Four begins in year 9 with most students completing their GCSE English Language and GCSE English Literature at the end of year 1l. We currently work with the AQA specification in Language and Literature.

1. **SYLLABUSES IN YEARS 12-13**

We work with the AQA A Literature syllabus for A Level.

**F. WIDER INVOLVEMENT IN THE LIFE OF THE COLLEGE**

We have an extensive range of extra-curricular activities and revision programmes and hope that new colleagues will want to contribute to them.

**G. THE TYPE OF TEACHER THAT WE WANT TO APPOINT:**

* + has a degree in an English-related specialism
  + is able to prove a track record of improving outcomes
  + is able to teach students of all abilities
  + is a good team player committed to raising achievement