



## **MILLTHORPE SCHOOL**

**Teacher of Girls' PE - Main Payscale  
Permanent - Full Time  
From September 2018, or January 2019**

***The ability to teach Dance and Gymnastics would be advantageous.***

The PE Department is currently staffed by four full-time teachers, all of whom are subject specialists, and two part-time teachers.

### **Key Stage 3**

All Key Stage 3 classes are predominately taught single sex. Students receive two hours of curriculum time each week. Our students follow a rich curriculum that develops their social, mental and physical wellbeing. Our programme of study develops students' physical fitness, as well as enhancing skills and attributes so that they can cope with the demands of the sports we teach. We seek to provide opportunities for success and enjoyment in our teaching at all levels. The key concepts of competence, performance, creativity and healthy lifestyle are at the forefront of our delivery.

The sports delivered at Key Stage 3 are:

#### **Games**

Football, Rugby, Hockey, Netball, Orienteering, Cross Country, Cricket, Tennis, Rounders, Softball, Athletics, Ultimate Frisbee, Handball.

#### **PE**

Basketball, Volleyball, Badminton, Gymnastics, Dance, 5-a-side Football, Multiskills, Short Tennis, Fitness.

#### **Fitness Testing and Training**

All students identify their strengths and weaknesses by completing and recording fitness tests throughout the Key Stage. Their results are recorded by them, which enables students to reflect on their own progress. Our fitness testing allows students an opportunity to evaluate their own performance and appreciate their physical abilities, how they compare to other students and how they can improve their physical condition.

### **Key Stage 4**

#### **Core PE**

Students follow programmes of study that mirror and extend Key Stage 3 provision. In other words, they are able to extend their skills in sports that they have experienced in Key Stage 3 and

follow a number of sports that are new to them. Examples of new sports include Squash, Yoga, Netball Leaders Award, Cycling and Trampolining.

### **Edexcel GCSE Physical Education**

This course is the equivalent of one GCSE and is studied over Years 10 and 11. It combines a strong practical element with a terminal exam at the end of Year 11. The course has changed to include the option of developing skills in officiating and coaching in a chosen sport as well as giving credit for practical performance. A practical moderation and final performance is conducted in April/May of Year 11. Students must follow a Personal Exercise Programme (PEP) in the autumn term of Year 11, which is designed by each student. They must also fulfil an Analysis of Performance component, which is completed in Year 11. Due to the practical nature of the course, and the strong science components involved, it must be stressed that this course is not an easy option but an involved and interesting extension of work done in Key Stage 3. Without some practical skills and good organisation (ie kit) it would be difficult for students to gain high grades in this course.

### **The Post**

The PE department is a forward thinking and closely-knit team, which is committed to maintaining the high standards and profile that currently exist and build on its considerable strengths.

The successful candidate will be a highly motivated, enthusiastic teacher with a passion to enthuse students to enjoy PE and Dance, and the ability to teach all levels throughout the school.

**June 2018**