

Part-time (0.6) Teacher of English Fixed-term from February half-term to end of summer term 2020

The School

Haberdashers' Adams is a selective state grammar school with academy status situated in the small market town of Newport in rural Shropshire. It is a boy's school with co-educational Sixth Form. There are currently about 940 pupils on roll; approximately 100 of these are boarders. The Sixth Form has about 340 students of whom just over 100 are girls.

The English and Drama Department

The Department consists of six full-time and part-time members of staff.

All pupils are taught and examined in AQA English language and English literature GCSE. English Literature is taught at A-level. Teaching is delivered in the main classroom block and there is a studio area which is used as a resource for drama teaching.

As a result of recent specification changes at GCSE, the Department is currently reviewing and updating a significant portion of its course materials and associated Schemes of Work. The new appointee will have the opportunity to contribute to this process.

The Department introduced drama teaching into Year 9 in September 2017 and started teaching GCSE drama in September 2018.

The extra-curricular side of school life is very important. The English Department organises or contributes to activities such as school drama productions and dance events; a house poetry competition; a creative writing group; a senior debating club; a range of theatre trips and the school magazine.

The Candidate

The Department is looking to recruit an outstanding teacher of English to join its dynamic team. Candidates must have significant experience of teaching English Language and English Literature to GCSE. Ideally, candidates should have at least some experience of teaching A-level English Literature.

Job Description and Person Specification

Please see the attached Job Description and Person Specification that apply to all Main Scale teaching posts at Haberdashers' Adams.