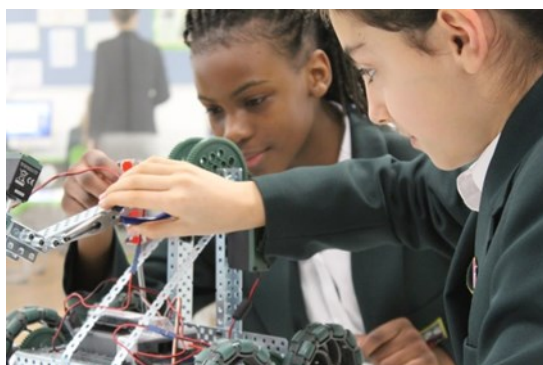




THE HOLY CROSS SCHOOL

PROVIDING A CATHOLIC EDUCATION TO GIRLS AGED 11-18

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TEACHER OF HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE CANDIDATE INFORMATION PACK



**Job Post: Teacher of Health & Social Care****Salary:** M6/U1-3**Contract:** Permanent, Full/Part-time**Job Start:** September 2019**About the Role**

Do you have the resilience, generosity of spirit and commitment to make a difference? If this is you, this is an excellent opportunity to join an outstanding school with a supportive staff body and highly motivated students. We are seeking to appoint a dynamic and inspirational classroom practitioner to teach Health & Social Care. The successful candidate will be suitably qualified, have a passion for health and social care and a proven ability to motivate students to reach their potential. This post would be suitable for teachers at all stages of their career and the school is fully committed to supporting staff with CPD. The ability to teach a second subject would be an advantage.

To apply, please visit the school's website and download a Teacher Application Form (www.holycross.kingston.sch.uk) and the person specification for the role. Please refer to the 'Notes to Applicants' document (which can also be found on the school website) when completing your application to ensure all required forms are submitted.

Please submit applications to the Headteacher's PA, Mrs Silvana Saragosa-Voysey (apply@holycross.kingston.sch.uk). Please refer to the '*Teaching Responsibilities*' document on the school website for a description of the role of a teacher. For further information regarding this post, please contact Assistant Headteacher, Nichola Murphy (nmurph2.314@hxsgmail.com) or Joint Head of Health & Social Care, Patricia Sullivan (psullivan5.314@hxsgmail.com).

Safer Recruitment Statement

The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

An enhanced Disclosure Barring Service check, satisfactory references and a health declaration will be required prior to the commencement of this post. We welcome applications from all

Interviews and Closing Date**Closing Date:** 9.00am Thursday 13th June**Interviews:** From Monday 17th June



About us

The Holy Cross School, founded in 1931 by the Congregation of the Holy Cross, is a voluntary aided Roman Catholic School for girls aged 11-18. At Key Stage 5 the school has worked in curriculum partnership with our local boys school, Richard Challoner School, for the past thirty years, and post 16 lessons are co-ed. The school converted to academy status in August 2012. With 950 students currently on roll and over 100 staff employed, the school is proud to be acknowledged as being in the top 1% of all schools nationally for progress made from Year 7 to 11.

The Holy Cross School can offer you the opportunity to work in an outstanding school environment with well-behaved, motivated students who are keen to learn and where your professional development will be fully supported. In 2017 the school was awarded 'World Class Schools' accreditation, a quality mark given to secondary schools already judged outstanding by Ofsted who have moved beyond this judgement.

Professional Development

We realise that the continuing development of our school is built on the foundations of our exceptional staff. The Holy Cross School is an accredited 'Investors In People Silver' organisation and will support your on-going professional development. The school is committed to excellence, putting great emphasis on staff development and training and can offer internal and external training opportunities to develop skills and assist with your career development. Staff will receive a personalised development programme tailored to their individual training needs. All members of staff will participate in an induction programme when they join our school.

Our Ethos and Values

At The Holy Cross School we aim to provide a rounded education for girls of all abilities. The Holy Cross School has very strong Catholic values. They are clear and explicit and inform all that we do. We are a thriving school with a strong community spirit. Our Catholic ethos is reflected in our Mission Statement below.

School Mission Statement

We are the children of God
and in the spirit of St.Francis and Mother Bernarda,
we aim to create a happy family environment

in which all may grow:

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in faith, hope and love for God,

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in love and respect for one another and the world around us,

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in learning and wisdom,

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so that we may live life to the full and joyfully share this life with others, especially those who are in any way disadvantaged.