

RIVERSIDE SCHOOL

Excellence for All



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Dear applicant,

Thank you for your interest in the post, teacher of A-level economics, at Riverside School.

Riverside School is a mixed 11-18 school that opened in September 2012. We presently have 950 students on roll including sixth form. Riverside School is located in a new £45m state-of-the-art Campus building with superb facilities.

Our early success is a result of an absolute emphasis on learning, the brilliant parental support that we receive and our close-knit team of enthusiastic and incredibly talented staff. There is a real sense of passion and dynamism that students and staff bring to all that they do, making Riverside School a superb place to both learn and to work. Our 2018 performance places us 82^{nd} for Progress 8 in the country with a score of +0.92. We are the leading school in the local authority on all DfE key measures.

As we have only one specialism at Riverside: learning. It is the focus of everything we do. Learning at Riverside is rich in challenge, characterised by superb student engagement and authentic learner interdependence. All of our students aspire to be the very best at whatever they choose do in life and it is our vocation to ensure this is achieved.

We serve our local community with the very highest standard of education to ensure 'Excellence for All'. Riverside works in partnership with the Local Authority (London Borough of Barking and Dagenham) to meet the needs of a rapidly growing school population in the Thames View and Riverside areas in the south of the Borough, adjoining the Thames. The local community provide Riverside with their overwhelming support.

All teachers at Riverside School engage in exceptional quality continual professional development and learning. We adopt an evidence-informed approach to teaching and learning, combined with highly collaborative professional learning. An effective coaching system ensures teachers make excellent progress every stage of their career. The school is a founding member school of the Partnership Learning Teaching School Alliance (PLTSA).

We hope you will be interested in this exciting opportunity of this new post at Riverside School and we look forward to receiving your **electronic application** using the form available on the TES website, by **25**th **February 2019**. Please call me on 0203 946 5888 if you wish to know more about the role.

Yours sincerely,

Andrew Roberts Headteacher

