Job Description – Construction and Design Technology Teacher

Post Title:	Teacher of Technology and Construction
Purpose:	 To support the Director of Learning in the positive promotion of the Catholic ethos of Saint Benedict Catholic Voluntary Academy. To implement and deliver a knowledge rich curriculum to all students in Technology subjects. To contribute to raising standards and providing opportunities for all students. To provide a safe working environment for students that promotes learning. To monitor, assess and plan for the progress of all students.
Reporting to:	Director of Learning for Technology for curriculum matters. Head of Year for pastoral issues.
Responsible for:	 Student progress in Key stage 3 Design and Technology and Key stage 4 Construction.
Liaising with:	Teaching and support staff, external agencies, parents/ carers, Headteacher and Governors.
Working Time:	195 days per year – Full time.
Salary/Grade:	Main Pay Scale
Disclosure Level:	Enhanced
Strategic:	 To assist colleagues with the development of thorough schemes of learning which provide learning opportunities for all student groups and key stages. To remain informed of exam course changes and developments and implement into planning. To explore, develop and share good practice/ innovative teaching strategies with colleagues. To use tracking and monitoring data to assess progress and plan intervention strategies. To use the school reward system to promote learning and attitudes for learning.
Curriculum and Provision Development:	 To liaise with Director of Learning to ensure that the Technology department keeps abreast of current subject developments to keep the curriculum up to date. To strive to keep up to date with new teaching methodologies to develop teaching strategies. To liaise with the Director of Learning to maintain accreditation of relevant examination and professional bodies.

Pastoral System:	Safety and risk assessment procedures. To engage fully with the 'Thought for the day' programme. To report student welfare concerns on the CPOMS system. To stay up to date with school safeguarding procedures and policy.
Management of Resource:	 To assist the Director of Learning to identify physical resource needs in the department. To ensure that all equipment is used in accordance with Health
Communications:	 To communicate effectively with parents and students. To attend parent evenings as directed by Director of Learning. To produce student reports in line with the school assessment calendar. To undertake to log all communications on information management system. To help with liaison with partner schools, industry, examination boards and other relevant bodies.
Management Information:	 To ensure the maintenance of accurate and up to date information pertaining to Technology subjects on the school information system. To assist in the use of analysis and evaluation of performance data to inform planning. To assist with the identification of exam entries and procedures within the department. To use school software to set homework in line with school policy.
Quality Assurance:	 To participate in the monitoring and evaluation of the quality of learning through; Learning Walks Work Scrutiny Assessment data Behaviour data To ensure the effective operation of quality control systems.
Staffing:	 To work with the Director of Learning and Assistant Head teacher to identify and continue to develop professional needs. To engage with school inset training to develop teaching techniques. To fully participate in the school appraisal system. To ensure effective deployment of support staff to assist pupil progress.
	 Where possible to attend Construction network meetings/ CPD meetings. To ensure that students are provided with opportunities to achieve.

	To support the overall development of all students as a form tutor.
Teaching:	 To ensure high standards of teaching and learning. Plan work in accordance with departmental schemes of learning and programmes of study. Take account of pupils' prior levels of attainment and use them to set future targets and assessment. To complete marking, assessment and feedback in line with the school policy. Set work when required for absent pupils. Set appropriate and challenging work for all pupils. Be aware of and differentiate work for all student groups. Set homework in line with the school policy.
Additional Duties:	 To participate fully in activities to promote the school and it's ethos.