

THE FERRERS SCHOOL

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Teacher of Mathematics

THE MATHEMATICS CURRICULUM AREA

The successful candidate will join a team of seven full-time Mathematicians. There is a wealth of experience within the department. We are also fortunate to have a Primary specialist. The department is housed in a purpose-built suite of rooms based around a central resource area. Every Maths classroom is fitted with interactive whiteboard technology.

Curriculum/Organisation

We would welcome applications from any teacher who is keen to involve her/himself in a hard-working, supportive, forward looking department at a time when Mathematical education, both in this school and nationally, is undergoing exciting changes.

The review and development of the curriculum at KS3 and KS4 is an ongoing process within the department. Across all year groups a wide range of teaching and learning styles is encouraged, particularly the use of investigational and practical work as well as ICT. As a team we are seeking to further develop opportunities for making the learning of Mathematics more interesting, stimulating and challenging. We are working hard to develop resources to facilitate this within the department. The review and development of Mathematics teaching is an ongoing process and will continue into the foreseeable future. This will provide new team members with exciting opportunities for involvement in curriculum design and development.

In year 7 and 8 students follow a project based scheme of work. Students in year 8 and above are set according to their Mathematical ability. At Key Stage 4 students are entered for AQA GCSE examination.

We are seeking to appoint a passionate, energetic, enthusiastic, committed and innovative teacher of Mathematics, who is keen to pursue opportunities for professional development. We would welcome applications from experienced teachers, new entrants to the profession and those who are currently undertaking training.

Staff working in the team are expected to take responsibilities to help maintain and develop areas within the Mathematics curriculum. Examples of responsibilities held by MPS Mathematics teachers are:

- KS2 liaison;
- KS5 liaison;
- the provision for very able students;
- SEN liaison;
- extra-curricular activities;
- target setting and self assessment

Please note that The Ferrers School operates a No Smoking Policy.

Nik Patel, Curriculum Leader.

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