

## HARRYTOWN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

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The Diocese of Shrewsbury in partnership with Stockport LA

**NOR: c.800 pupils 11-16 years mixed**



Headteacher: Mr K Turmeau

**Role:** Lay Chaplain

**Start Date:** ASAP

**Scale:** NJC Scale 6

**Range:** 18 - 22

Term time

**Hours:** Preferably Full time (37 hours) although Part time/job share will be considered

The Governors of Harrytown Catholic High School wish to appoint a School Lay Chaplain to work with school staff and leaders, to ensure that the Catholic mission and ethos of the school is maintained and that spiritual values are safeguarded. We retained our Outstanding judgement during our denominational inspection (March 2017). The person appointed will be able to work on his/her own initiative with enthusiasm and commitment. The successful candidate will be a practising Catholic with a deep sense of faith commitment and have an approachable and friendly way of relating to young people. The ability, resilience and willingness to earn the respect of our pupils, staff, governors and families is essential. Our school serves a diverse population which is a microcosm of society in our borough both socially, economically and in respect of faith background. Pastoral care, community and relationships are rooted at the core of this role and are integral to our mission and ethos. The person appointed to the post of Lay Chaplain will need to have diverse skills and interests underpinned by a well-articulated faith. The nature of the role will require the person to be a practising Catholic with a strong faith and commitment to the schools' mission, ethos and founding principles.

37 hours per week to be worked Monday to Friday term time, plus 2 weeks (equivalent) during school holiday periods, afterschool, staff training days), including attendance at evening events and on residential trips.

As a school committed to equal opportunities, we positively welcome applications from all sections of the community. Our school is committed to the highest standards of safeguarding, ensuring the welfare of children and young people at every stage. This post is subject to a Disclosure Application of the appropriate level to the Disclosure and Barring Service.

Applicants must complete the CES application form and an application pack is available on our website [www.harrytownschool.org](http://www.harrytownschool.org) or alternatively by email [applications@harrytown.stockport.sch.uk](mailto:applications@harrytown.stockport.sch.uk) telephone 0161 430 5277.

We are a successful 11 – 16 Voluntary Aided High School. Applications would be welcomed from suitably qualified colleagues whose skills and experience meet those outlined in the person specification and who feel that they are able to undertake the role as outlined in the Job Description. All employees will need to be able to act as role models to support the ethos and mission of our Catholic community.

**To apply:** Applicants must complete (in full) the current CES application form which includes a supporting statement of no more than 1,300 words detailing why you believe your experience, skills, personal qualities,

training and/or education are relevant to your suitability for the post advertised and how you meet the person specification. You should pay particular attention to the national standards for the position for which you are applying. (The supporting statement can be submitted as a separate document). Completed application forms should be submitted via email, by post or by hand: Hand delivered applications need to be during school working hours 08:00 – 18:00 Monday to Friday (during term time and before 15:30 during holiday times), by email via [applications@harrytown.stockport.sch.uk](mailto:applications@harrytown.stockport.sch.uk) or by post to the address above.

The successful applicant's appointment will be subject to satisfactory clearance by the Disclosure and Barring Service, suitable and appropriate references and health checks.

