



# International School of Berne

The International School of Berne (ISBerne) has the following opening for the 2020/2021 school year:

## **IB MYP Integrated Sciences and IB DP Chemistry Teacher**

starting August 2020

ISBerne is a dynamic, friendly and thriving school located close to the Swiss Capital Berne. ISBerne aims for all students to be reflective and responsible life-long learners who are active global citizens. The school ethos is based on the attributes of the IB Learner Profile and advocates a constructivist approach to teaching and learning.

ISBerne is an authorized IB World school, offering the Primary Years Programme (PYP, ages 3-11), Middle Years Programme (MYP, ages 11-16) and Diploma Programme (DP, ages 16-18).

The International School of Berne was founded in October 1961. In April 2017, the school moved to a modern and spacious purpose-built campus which includes three brand new state-of-the-art science laboratories with a dedicated prep room, a big central library, subject dedicated classrooms and a large double gym.

ISBerne currently has an enrollment of 300 students representing around 50 nationalities, with over 60 dedicated faculty and administration staff.

### **The Position**

ISBerne seeks to appoint a teacher of MYP Integrated Sciences and DP Chemistry, with the possibility of teaching DP Environmental Systems and Societies. Applicants must have experience in teaching MYP Integrated Sciences and DP Chemistry. Experience teaching DP ESS would be an advantage. Applicants should be excited by the challenge of contributing to curriculum development.

The successful applicant will be an accomplished teacher with experience, enthusiasm and a passion for teaching which will inspire our students. S/he will also understand the importance of being part of a department team and the wider faculty.

### **Required**

- A desire to contribute to and foster a positive IB learning community
- Minimum of three years teaching experience
- Outstanding classroom practitioner and experience with external exam preparation
- Minimum of two years IB experience MYP and DP
- Appropriate degree and teaching qualification





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## Desired

- An appreciation of working in a small school environment
- Experience working in a European international school environment
- EAL experience
- EU Passport

## Salaries and Benefits

- Nationally competitive salary and benefits
- Open ended contract
- Enhanced pension plan
- Subsidized lunches at the school cafeteria
- Moving/settling in allowance
- Visa fees paid

## Application

Interested candidates who meet the above mentioned requirements should apply to [recruitment@isberne.ch](mailto:recruitment@isberne.ch).

Please submit the following:

- A letter of motivation
- Full CV with photo
- Passport copy
- Contact details of three referees, one of which must be your current Head of School (referees will be contacted with your consent)

Interviews will be held via Skype and/or face-to-face, as appropriate.

Our school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of all students in our care and expects all applicants to share this commitment. We follow safe recruitment practices and appointments are subject to satisfactory references and criminal record/background checks.

