## **The Mathematics Department**

We would welcome applications for a main scale position from newly qualified or experienced teachers. The successful applicant will be an inspirational, enthusiastic and innovative Maths teacher that will join our diverse team in this high achieving 11-16 comprehensive school. The Maths department is very successful. We are looking for someone to contribute to this success; someone who will actively participate within the department and further enrich our pupils' experiences within maths.

The Mathematics department at The Romsey School consists of nine specialist teachers. Maths is taught in a suite of rooms and is situated in the main block of the School overlooking Romsey Abbey.

Mathematics is a leading department within the school and members of the team work closely to support a number of schools, both at the primary and secondary education level. With a robust pupil premium intervention team, slightly smaller class sizes and our links with the National Centre for Excellence in the Teaching of Mathematics (NCETM), pupil performance has been consistently excellent at both key stages for a number of years. In 2018, 72% attained at least a grade 4 at GCSE level, with 30% attaining at least a grade 7.

The Mathematics department utilises SMART boards and digital projectors to improve teaching and learning in the classroom as well as networked computers. Staff within the Mathematics department use a range of software with all ages and abilities, together with a vast range of interactive internet resources. This is supplemented with the use of tablet devices, which are being explored by the department.

All mathematics teachers have a balanced timetable, teaching the full range of ages and abilities. Pupils are taught in sets according to ability, and composition of all sets is subject to continual review.

The department meets on a regular basis and all teachers contribute. The focus for faculty meetings is on the improvement of teaching and learning and they often take the form of a workshop. There is also a mathematics staff room.

Department staff also play a wider role in the school and community and have been instrumental in the School Fair, Ski Trip, Romsey Show, Challenge Day, Enterprise Project, Duke of Edinburgh Award and our Romsey to Kenya project, as well as after school maths clinics and revision workshops.

This post presents an exciting opportunity to develop both leadership and creative, innovative teaching within an outstanding curriculum area of the school.

We welcome applications from well-qualified and enthusiastic teachers and NQTs who are capable of contributing to a highly effective and supportive mathematics teaching team. The Romsey School is a high achieving and oversubscribed school, committed to high quality inclusive education.

Please see the school website <a href="www.romsey.hants.sch.uk">www.romsey.hants.sch.uk</a> for an application form. Applications should be on Romsey School forms, individual CV's will not be accepted. The Romsey School is an equal opportunity employer and is committed to safeguarding children.





