

## HEAD OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

MPR + TLR 2A

Required for September 2021

Line Manager: Head of Sixth Form

	Essential	Desirable
Experience	Substantial and significant experience of teaching Psychology and Sociology through the 11-18 age range Proven track record of raising levels of achievement and student progress Significant involvement in curriculum development Experience in making a significant contribution to improving learning and raising student achievement. Excellent Leadership of teams Involvement in extra-curricular activities	Mentoring or NQT guidance Experience of contributing to whole college professional development Excellent Leadership
Qualifications/	Qualified Teacher Status	
Training	Degree in relevant Social Sciences	
Personal and Professional Qualities	Set high professional standards Leads by example Sets high expectations for attitude and behaviour Positive about innovation and creative approaches Open and communication focussed Accepting of student opinion and using their views to inform practice People centred: caring and supportive of individuals	
Leadership and Skills	Ability to lead teams effectively, motivate, enthuse and inspire staff Excellent teaching ability Ability to plan strategically and effectively Ability to delegate and hold people to account Proven ability to prioritise and organise effectively Ability to build and develop mutually beneficial relationships with other colleagues to develop learning and teaching Sound ICT skills Excellent communication skills	Ability to contribute to whole staff and departmental self evaluation of learning and planning and use the outcomes in future planning

## Closing Date for applications: Monday 19 April 2021, midday.

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