



# STONYHURST

## General Information - Graduate Assistant

We appoint Graduate Assistants for a one year fixed term to offer them a development opportunity, which often helps them to decide whether a career in education is for them. During the year our Graduate Assistants have opportunities to develop a range of key transferable skills which will serve them well in the future whether or not they choose to pursue their career in education.

Graduate Assistants are expected to make a significant contribution to boarding pastoral care at the College and within their own specific departmental area. In some cases, suitably qualified Graduate Assistants are asked to make an appropriate contribution to teaching as well.

Please note key aspects of the role as follows:

- All staff at Stonyhurst are expected to promote the College's Mission and Identity.
- Our graduate assistants work in support of one of the Pastoral Heads. The position is residential and includes duties normally associated with boarding pastoral care, working up to a maximum of three evenings per week.
- They also make a significant contribution to their specific specialism, either:
  - Art
  - Drama
  - Sport – Hockey, Rugby, Football, Netball, Strength and Conditioning
  - Music
- In particular, Graduate Assistants will always be required between 11.30am and 6.30pm every Sunday during term time.
- Graduate Assistants may be required for duties during the day and in the evenings except at the following times:
  - Graduate Assistants are always allocated one full day off during the week
  - Graduate Assistants are not normally asked to work on Friday evenings or Saturday evenings
- Graduate Assistants will not normally be asked to work outside term time. However, the College cannot guarantee that the accommodation allocated to them will be available outside term time.