The South Wolds Academy and Sixth Form

Dear Applicant

Teacher of History

Thank you for your interest in this post. Further details of the post and an application pack are attached or are available on the school website for your information.

The South Wolds Academy is a popular, high-attaining 11-18 school. Our main aim is to enable every student to achieve their academic or social potential. We strive to achieve outstanding attainment and care, guidance and support; underpinned by a strong programme of enrichment that prepares our students for the rest of their lives.

In April 2016 OFSTED judged us to be a good school with many outstanding features. Our explicit aim is to be an outstanding school by the time of our next inspection. In 2015 we were one of the 4 highest performing schools in Nottinghamshire.

At the centre of our improvements are outstanding teachers who are committed to taking every possible step to enable our students to enjoy and succeed. If you are successful in your application for this post then you can rest assured that we will be absolutely committed to your professional development, work-life balance, and career aspirations. Governors, senior leaders and I are committed to enabling all teachers to fulfil their roles successfully, to flourish professionally and prepare for the next stage of their career.

Perhaps our school is best summed up by OFSTED who reported that we have "A culture of high aspiration which is set within a foundation of care and support". We are looking for someone who can make a major contribution to our great school and further enhance our students' experience.

Please do take some time to have a look at our website www.southwolds.co.uk where you can find out more about us and our students. Alternatively you can follow us on twitter (@southwolds) for an easier way of staying in touch.

South Wolds is an exciting place to work – a place where staff and students do have a smile on their faces. We would be delighted to hear from you if you decide to apply for this post. Please complete an application form and covering letter (no more than two sides of A4) explaining:

- How your training and experience to date have prepared for you this post;
- The steps that you will take to ensure your teaching is outstanding; and
- Why we should appoint you to this post.

We look forward to hearing from you. The closing date for applications is 10.00 am on Monday 20th May 2019. If you have any queries then please contact Jo Egglenton by phone or email (hr@southwolds.notts.sch.uk)

Yours sincerely

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