

**ROLE DESCRIPTION**

**ROLE TITLE: Teacher of IT and Computing**

**REPORTING TO: Head of Department**

LOCATION: Franklin College, Grimsby

**APPOINTMENT TYPE: Sessional**

DATE: February 2020

**ROLE PURPOSE**:

The post-holder will report to the Head of Department for this curriculum area, and will be responsible for the planning, development and successful delivery of teaching and learning within the department.

**DIMENSIONS:**

None

Direct reports: None

Budget responsibility: Not Applicable

# MAIN DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

*Teaching Responsibility*

1. To develop and deliver high quality teaching, learning and assessment to meet student needs effectively and efficiently and thereby raise student achievement, retention and progression.
2. Planning and preparation of courses and lessons within the course scheme of work, and making a positive contribution to curriculum and course planning and development within the department.
3. The monitoring and reporting of student performance including reporting and follow-up of student attendance.
4. Making a positive contribution to schools and community liaison, resource development and management, and active participation in quality assurance across the college.

**In these roles and tasks the teacher is responsible to the relevant Head of Department**

*Course Leadership Responsibility*

All teachers will be allocated full or part time course leadership, as appropriate to support the effective management of learning across the College. Course leadership may involve the following:

Course Development:

1. Development planning, assessment of accreditation options, resourcing, schemes of work, student course guides, student assessment plan, key skills development and assessment (as appropriate).

Schools and Community Liaison:

1. Course promotion materials, open evenings, workshops for partner schools and student induction.

Resource Development and Management:

1. Timetabling, resource bidding, developing teaching and learning resources (and the care and use of other physical resources), and health and safety in the learning environment.

Quality Assurance and Monitoring of Student Performance:

1. Annual Departmental self-assessment report (includes: assessment of student achievement and value added, analysis of student perception and annual review of recruitment, retention and achievement including the development and monitoring of annual quality improvement plans).
2. Liaison with the examinations team with examination entries and assessment materials and information, e.g. project assessment, estimated grades for students.
3. Student performance indicators, assessment grading and student reviews.
4. Direct liaison with parents / guardians when appropriate.

**In these roles and tasks the teacher is responsible to the relevant Head of Department**

*Whole College Responsibility (Membership of Teams / Task Groups)*

The post holder will be expected to involve themselves in appropriate whole college teams.

In this work the post holder will report to the relevant College lead manager.

*Other Responsibilities*

1. The post holder will contribute to Safeguarding and Child Protection at all times to ensure the safety and security of and identifying all young people and vulnerable adults who are in contact with the college, with a commitment to safeguarding the welfare of these individuals and protecting them from any potential harm.
2. Work to promote and contribute to the College’s *Prevent* policy and procedures, and are expected to assure that the College meets and exceeds its statutory responsibilities.
3. Work to promote and contribute to the College’s Equality, Diversity and Inclusion Policy, and are expected to uphold the College’s commitment to equality, diversity and inclusion.
4. Such other tasks as may be necessary to ensure the continuing development of quality assurance across the College, and to ensure the continuing development of systems and service.

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February 2020

**PERSON SPECIFICATION**

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| **Method of Assessment**  The table indicates the method by which the skills/knowledge/level of competence in each area will be assessed. | **Essential** | **Desirable** | **Application** | **Interview** | **Teaching Task** | **Other** |
| **Qualifications** | | | | | | |
| Good degree in the specific subject or related area | ✓ |  | ✓ |  |  |  |
| PGCE / QTS or other teaching qualification (including School Direct training) | ✓ |  | ✓ |  |  |  |
| **Experience** | | | | | | |
| Teaching experience, either in post or as a trainee / student teacher | ✓ |  | ✓ |  | ✓ |  |
| Extra-curricular activities to enhance learning |  | ✓ |  | ✓ |  |  |
| Pastoral support to support achievement |  | ✓ |  | ✓ |  |  |
| **Skills and Knowledge** | | | | | | |
| Strong interpersonal and communication skills |  | ✓ |  | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Planned creative, innovative and varied delivery of teaching, learning and assessment |  | ✓ |  | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Development of imaginative and stimulating teaching, learning and display materials |  | ✓ |  |  | ✓ |  |
| Effective organisational and administrative skills |  | ✓ |  | ✓ | ✓ |  |
| Adaptation of Teaching, Learning and Assessment to respond to the strengths and needs of all students |  | ✓ |  | ✓ | ✓ |  |
| Knowledge and understanding of how students learn and how this impacts on teaching, learning and assessment. |  | ✓ |  | ✓ | ✓ |  |
| Promotion of, and accountability for, student progress and achievement |  | ✓ |  | ✓ |  |  |
| Compliance with H&S, Equality and Safeguarding legislation |  | ✓ |  | ✓ |  |  |
| Safeguarding of students’ well-being |  | ✓ |  | ✓ |  |  |
| Effective ICT skills |  | ✓ |  |  | ✓ |  |
| **Attitude and Impact** | | | | | | |
| Positive, enthusiastic, ‘can-do’ attitude |  | ✓ |  | ✓ |  |  |
| Ability to work on own initiative and as a member of a team |  | ✓ |  | ✓ |  |  |
| High expectations which inspire, motivate and challenge |  | ✓ |  | ✓ | ✓ |  |
| Keen to improve self and others by participating in continuing professional development |  | ✓ |  | ✓ |  |  |
| Makes a positive contribution to the wider life and ethos of the College |  | ✓ |  | ✓ |  |  |
| Always acts in a fair, unbiased and ethical way |  | ✓ |  | ✓ |  |  |
| Flexible and adaptable approach to work |  | ✓ |  | ✓ |  |  |