

SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES

History Lecturer

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Cranton Sixth Form College is a highly popular and successful sixth form college conveniently located in Widnes, within easy reach of Liverpool, Manchester and Chester. Cranton Sixth Form College currently caters for over 1,800 16-18 students, the majority of whom are studying at Level 3 on either A Level or Vocational programmes.

The College has celebrated many recent successes with the Department for Education academic performance tables, published in January 2017 ranking the College as 3rd in the country on all three vocational performance measures:

- 99.3% A Level pass rate and 77% high grades
- 100% Vocational pass rate and 75% triple distinction grades
- Graded Excellent for Added Value (ALPs)

The School of Humanities offers the following courses at AS and A2:

Geography

Government and Politics

History

Law

Psychology

Sociology

Philosophy & Religion



The school has achieved excellent results over recent years. The current team within the school is dedicated to continuously improving and building on strengths and the College regularly shares good practice with other colleges.

The courses within the school offer a wide variety of enrichment activities which include national and international trips, where students are given the opportunity to enhance their study within the academic area, making the topics realistic and enabling students to relate them to the real world. Opportunities for research, which supports many of the courses within the school, are particularly relevant and current. Students are visited by guest speakers from various organisations and public services, who often set workshops and assignments based on current issues throughout the curriculum areas. Close links have been made with many of the universities within the area; including the Universities of Liverpool, Manchester, Lancaster, Liverpool John Moores and Manchester Metropolitan. The History department particularly prides itself on its enrichment activities including trips to London, running the Debating Society for the college and the Youth Parliament Scheme.

The school runs gifted and talented partnerships with local high schools, which give the students and prospective pupils the opportunity to participate in extracurricular activities to challenge them.

You will also be working with colleagues in our brand new IDEA Centre, which opened on 19th May 2017. The IDEA Centre is a state of the art building which will educate students some of the most advanced industry standard and methods.

History is one of the growth subjects within the school, thus we are seeking an enthusiastic and talented teacher to join the highly successful team to provide high quality maternity cover.

This post offers an excellent opportunity for a talented, creative and innovative teacher with the skills and dedication to enthuse and inspire students and to develop their interest and enthusiasm in the subject area.

This person will be an aspiring teacher with a passion for teaching and learning History and a devotion to students. The successful candidate will work with talented and co-operative colleagues and supportive management with teaching and learning at its heart.



Cranton Sixth form College is committed to:

- Providing learning experiences of outstanding quality
- Investing in teaching and learning
- Offering students distinctive and valuable opportunities to develop personally, professionally and academically
- Offering an Oxbridge programme in partnership with local high schools
- Supporting every individual student to reach their full potential
- Seeking opportunities for growth

Thank you for your interest in Cranton Sixth form College. If you would like further information or an informal discussion please contact Leeann Bellfield, Head of Sixth Form or Dan Adams, Head of Humanities, English and MFL on 0151 257 2800.