

Job Description

Job Title: Teacher of Sociology and Psychology

Reporting to: Head of Humanities

Liaising with: Head of Secondary, AHTL Secondary, AHCA Secondary

Salary: Main Scale Point

Job Purpose: To teach IGCSE sociology and IB Diploma psychology

Main responsibilities

• Planning, preparation and delivery of IGCSE sociology and IB diploma psychology lessons.

- Assessing, recording and reporting on the development, progress, attainment and behaviour of one's students.
- Providing or contributing to oral and written assessments and reports and references relating to individual students or groups of students.
- Contributing to the development of the IGCSE sociology and IB diploma psychology schemes of work.
- Communicating, consulting and co-operating with other members of the school staff, including
 those having posts of special responsibility and parents/guardians to ensure the best interests of
 the students are met.
- Participating in continuing professional development (CPD) opportunities, and taking part in action research activities.
- Participating in staff, group or other meetings related to the school curriculum or pastoral care.
- Adopting and working towards the implementation of the departmental and school development plans.
- Contributing to the school's extra curricular programme.

Important Notes

- The job description will be reviewed and will be subject to amendment in consultation with the postholder.
- The postholder will follow school policies and procedures; especially in terms of inclusion and safeguarding.
- The postholder will carry out any other appropriate duties as requested by the Head Teacher.



Person Specification

Qualifications	Essential	Desirable
Educated to degree level in the subject	~	
Qualified Teacher status	~	
Experience		
Minimum of 2 years' experience in the profession	~	
Experience in a COBIS school		~
Experience teaching GCSE or IGCSE sociology and A-level or IB diploma psychology		~
Professional Knowledge and Understanding		
Sound knowledge of the teaching of sociology and psychology	~	
Understand the curricula demands of sociology at key stage 4 and psychology at key stage 5	~	
Professional Skills and Abilities		
Effective communication and interpersonal skills	~	
Organisational and planning skills	~	
Personal Qualities		
Flexible and adaptable in approach to different situations	~	
Able to manage own workload effectively	~	
Personal commitment to professional development and lifelong learning	~	
Open-minded, inclusive and tolerant towards others	~	
Be well-motivated, have integrity and observe confidentiality	~	