

POST INFORMATION

We are seeking to appoint a full time Teacher of French and Spanish to start in September 2023.

Hummersknott Academy believes in languages for all students – whatever their ability.

We want a person:

- Whose teaching inspires and engages students of all abilities
- Who believes that education should be inclusive and that every child matters
- Whose knowledge of the most effective approaches to teaching and learning will support subject and whole school improvement
- With imagination, vision, a sense of fun and the perseverance and stamina needed to ensure every child achieves their best

Hummersknott Academy MFL Faculty

We are a very successful Faculty in a school where languages are an integral and flourishing part of the curriculum and has parity with – English, Maths and Science.

Staff and Accommodation

The Faculty comprises eight members of staff, of whom three are Subject Leaders. The Faculty is housed in a suite of dedicated language rooms, all of which have interactive SMART boards for teaching.

Curriculum

All our students currently study French from year 7-8 and the majority select a second language from Spanish/German in year 8. In year 9 our students opt for one of their languages to study and the majority continue at GCSE.

Students in French and Spanish are taught in ability groups and students in German are taught in mixed ability classes.

GCSE - we currently offer AQA syllabus GCSE French, Spanish and German,

We are passionate about promoting language learning and we regularly host whole school activities such as European Day of Languages, Oktoberfest and crepe making. Our student voice tells us that our young people enjoy languages at Hummersknott.

Curriculum Enrichment

We are committed to offering our students an engaging and enriching curriculum both inside and outside of the classroom, for example we have Spanish film club, French Spelling Bee, Pen Pal club. Like all schools, we have had to suspend our foreign trips, due to COVID but we hope to start again next year, with trips to Spain and France.

At Hummersknott Academy, you will be part of a welcoming, supportive and dedicated team of staff. You will be provided with your own teaching room and have a mentor within the department. You will also have access to professional development through a series of CPD activities, with a whole school, faculty and individual focus. Our school is vibrant with many extra-curricular activities and opportunities, and we encourage getting involved in foreign visits, existing clubs and societies or even starting your own.