

Leek High School

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Dear Applicant,

The Talentum Learning Trust, consisting of nine schools including Churnet View Middle School, Leek High School and Westwood College, is set in the beautiful surroundings of the Staffordshire Moorlands. Leek High School is a well-established 13-19 secondary school and is currently on a journey of growth and development.

Teacher of English @ Leek High School

Position:	Teacher of English
Start Date:	As soon as possible
Contract Type:	Permanent
Hours:	32.5 hours per week
Pay:	Main Scale – Upper Scale
Allowance:	n/a
Location:	Leek High School; however, you may on occasions be required to cover duties at other schools across the Trust
Line Manager:	Member of the Senior Leadership Team

We are recruiting for an inspirational Teacher of English who understands the difference a great education can make to the lives of pupils. You will be responsible for planning and delivering high quality lessons, which achieve excellent results for your students, instilling in them a love for the subject and a desire to learn. We expect you to be a strong classroom practitioner with a range of teaching skills and to be able to formulate strategies for improved teaching and learning. You will strive to make a significant contribution to the department and across the school along with our collaborative team of teachers and support staff. Leadership opportunities may become available.

We are currently on a journey of improvement and require highly motivated, passionate and committed people to help us drive a culture of continuous and sustained improvement in all educational areas. This is an opportunity for you to make significant impact on the progress and attainment of our students and on the development of our school. Applicants are warmly encouraged to visit our school.

The Talentum Learning Trust T/A Leek High School is a charitable company limited by guarantee, registered in England and Wales. Company number: 9999238. Registered office address: The Talentum Learning Trust, Westwood College, Westwood Park, Leek, Staffordshire, ST13 8NP. CEO: Mr I. Wilson.

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We strive to inspire our students to have high aspirations for themselves, to believe that they deserve the best from life and to help them achieve their dreams. We expect our staff to be determined and caring. In this role you are expected to:

- Promote and safeguard the welfare of children
- Comply with school policies and procedures
- Be a positive role model for students and staff
- Work closely with parents/carers and other professionals
- Support before and after school provision

We can offer you:

- A friendly school community with delightful students and supportive parents
- A unified and collaborative staff team
- Excellent professional development opportunities
- Free on-site parking
- Pension contributions at 23.68% of gross pay
- Staff room facilities
- An incredible site with acres of land which includes grass pitches and woodland areas
- Shared access to a multi-use astro turf pitch

You must be educated to degree level or above with the required teaching certification and have experience in delivering consistently outstanding lessons to pupils of all ages and abilities. You will need to be a strong team player who demonstrates resilience, character and drive.

The Trust is an equal opportunities employer committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and this position is subject to: an Enhanced Disclosure check under the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 and two satisfactory professional references. A social media check will be conducted for the successful candidate only.

Please raise any queries with Mrs Thirza Eades, School Business Manager on teades@ttl.org.uk and submit completed applications for the attention of Mr Kevin Graham to recruitment@ttl.org.uk with 'LHS English Teacher' in the subject line.

Applications to be submitted by 06/11/2023

Interviews to take place w/c 06/11/2023

Yours sincerely,

**Kevin Graham
Headteacher
Leek High School**