



**DERBY HIGH
SCHOOL**
ESTABLISHED 1892

Primary Class Teacher

Commencing September 2025

Derby High School is seeking an enthusiastic, dedicated, and inspiring Primary School Teacher to join our vibrant and nurturing school community. At Derby High, we pride ourselves on fostering a love of learning and a culture of curiosity, kindness, and courage. Small class sizes and our focus on the individual ensures that every child thrives academically and personally.

This is an exciting opportunity to be part of a forward-thinking team in an environment that supports creativity, individuality, and excellence. Our School offers a warm and supportive atmosphere, where relationships are at the heart of our practice.

If you are passionate about teaching, have high expectations, and are eager to contribute to a dynamic and caring school, we would love to hear from you.

You will be:

- an inspirational primary teacher, with a strong knowledge of child development
- passionate about innovative learning and teaching and believe in high aspirations for all children
- a dynamic, forward-thinking individual
- committed to pupil success and high levels of pastoral care for each individual
- highly organised, enthusiastic with the ability to plan, prioritise and manage a varied workload
- a collaborator who is team focused and keen to share knowledge and information with other members of staff to promote excellent practice

In return we can offer you:

- a positive and innovative learning culture supported by students, staff, parents and governors
- a collaborative and supportive attitude amongst staff which promotes a sense of teamwork and unity
- a Senior Leadership team who is committed to promoting the best environment and outcomes for staff and students
- an excellent CPD Programme
- membership of the Teacher's Pension Scheme

Derby High School is an independent HMC co-educational day school educating 700 pupils between the ages of 3 to 18, in our purpose-built buildings in the leafy suburb of Littleover in Derby. Derby

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High School was awarded the highest possible 'Excellent' rating following a full inspection from the Independent Schools Inspectorate in January 2023. The inspection focused on the pupils' academic and other achievements, as well as their personal development, with the school being found to be excellent in every category.

Our small class sizes enable each child to progress at their own speed, with the support and challenge of exceptionally well qualified teachers. Each lunchtime and after school, we offer a wide variety of clubs and activities and we encourage all our pupils to try something new each term, as well as continue to develop skills in areas they have grown to love. Our many and varied trips and residential experiences ensure each child is encouraged to expand their boundaries within a safe and secure environment. We take pride in our excellent pastoral care throughout all stages in the school, with pupils feeling confident they are listened to and looked after. The 2024 A level results reflect an impressive 75% of grades at A*-B and an impressive 53% of A*-A. 27% of all grades were A*. At the GCSE level, two-thirds of entries earned the top grades of 7 – 9, with an outstanding 20% achieving the highest grade, 9; this places Derby High significantly ahead of all local schools in both A level and GCSEs.

Our pupils are drawn from diverse backgrounds and the school population is multi-ethnic, reflecting the cultural diversity of Derby. Our Christian ethos ensures a warm welcome and a friendly atmosphere. The site and the buildings are attractive and well-maintained.

The closing date for applications is midday on Thursday 13th February, with interviews in the week beginning 24th February 2025.

Applications should be addressed to:

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