

## Head of MFL The Green School for Boys

Dear prospective candidate,

Thank you for your interest in applying for the above post at The Green School for Boys. The Green School for Boys opened in September 2017 and now has 240 boys. It is one of two schools run by The Green School Trust – a Church of England Multi Academy Trust serving the young people of West London. The school is currently housed in high quality temporary accommodation and planning permission for a stunning permanent building was granted in December 2017. The Trust's core purpose is to develop schools which expand the hearts and minds of students within supportive, inclusive, multi-faith environments founded on Christian values. The motto for The Green School for Boys is "reach beyond your grasp" which is an adaptation of a line from "Andrea del Sarto", a poem by Robert Browning, which reads "Ah, but a man's reach should exceed his grasp, or what's a heaven for". This serves to illustrate the ambition we have for our boys.

The Trust intends to appoint an aspirational and innovative Head of MFL who will drive standards of excellence, curriculum development and pedagogical approaches which will inspire and motivate boys within the subject area. As a Head of MFL you will lead, plan and develop learning experiences which will foster a culture of high expectations, achievement for all and care for each individual within a dynamic learning environment where each boy will be stretched, stimulated and supported to make excellent progress. Currently boys have learnt Spanish in years 7 and 8 and we would like to add French to the curriculum in year 9. Both Latin and Mandarin have been offered in compulsory enrichment and we are looking for someone who can contribute further to the expansion of languages. The school has a STEM specialism underpinned by a focus on literacy, creativity and links to industry. The school's Christian ethos and enrichment in Sports, Arts and STEM ensures that boys develop as well rounded confident and compassionate young men.

Staff are expected to be involved in all aspects of school life in order to lay strong foundations for the future. We value our staff and we work collaboratively to provide professional support, C.P.D. and sharing of good practice across both The Green School for Boys and The Green School for Girls. Staff have the opportunity to teach across both schools and deliver A level at The Green School Sixth Form. This is an exciting time to join the school and presents a unique opportunity to contribute to a new school in its third year with a highly committed and professional team who have established a strong positive ethos where every child matters.

To apply you should complete the TES/LDBS application form and write a supporting statement of no more than three sides of A4 (calibri size 11) explaining how your professional experience has prepared you for the role with reference to the person specification. If you would like to visit the school please contact my PA Julie Hart <u>j.hart@tgstrust.com</u>. I very much look forward to receiving your application.

Yours sincerely,

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