

APPOINTMENT OF TEACHER OF COMPUTER SCIENCE and ICT

The ICT Department

The school's Business Studies department includes Computer Science and ICT and has a proven record of consistent high standards in the classroom, dedication to school policies and teamwork.

We look forward to welcoming an enthusiastic, well qualified colleague, who will work with a small friendly team to build on established strengths and contribute to the continuing success of the department and school.

The Facilities

The department is housed in five large classrooms, all with 30 computers; each room also has an interactive white board.

Curriculum

At present Computer Science is taught to students in Years 9, 10 & 11 with 4 lessons per fortnight. The KS4 Computer Science course was introduced into the curriculum in September 2013 and is taught over 4 periods in a two-week timetable at GCSE following the OCR Computer Science specification. At present we do not offer Computer Science at A-Level, but we hope to offer it to our present year 10 cohort when they complete their Computer Science GCSE.

We also have KS4 students studying the OCR Nationals Level 2 in Creative iMedia course.

ICT/Computer Science is taught to Year 7 classes in 2 periods per fortnight and Year 8 do a mixture of Business, Computer Science, and ICT to give them an introduction to the subjects that the department offer at GCSE.

The school operates on a 2-week timetable of 1-hour lessons, with 5 periods per day.

Staff

The department consists of 4 staff - a Curriculum Leader and 3 other staff members. Opportunities for colleagues wishing to enhance their career development by taking on an area of responsibility may be available.

Extra Curricular

Most lunch times and after school the ICT suites are open for students to attend and work on their coursework.

I hope you feel enthused about the opportunities that this appointment offers, both for your personal career development and to play a part in our continuing development.

Should you find this opportunity of interest I look forward to receiving your completed application form. Meanwhile if you have any questions or queries about the post, please contact me at the school, on telephone 01789 268051.

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