

The Holy Trinity Church of England Secondary School

Job Description

Role:	Year Leader
Salary:	TLR2b
Contract Type:	Permanent

Reporting to:	Specified member of SLT	
Purpose:	Extend the Leadership of the Headteacher.	
	Create the opportunity and capacity for all members of the year group to learn.	
	Evaluate patterns of safeguarding, behaviour and academic progress within the Year Group.	
	Plan, monitor and quality assure the pastoral support of all students within their Year Group.	
	Embody the Christian ethos and underpinning elements of the school.	
General:	This job description encompasses the key areas of work for which the post holder is responsible for over and above their role as a classroom teacher. It should be read in conjunction with the job description for the relevant scale/spine classroom Teacher (i.e. TMR/UPR) and the appraisal descriptors for emerging, established and expert teachers (TMR1 to UPR3).	
	Specified priorities will be agreed for individual leaders with their Line Manager on an annual basis. Details of the initial focus will be given in the job details for the post. Additional responsibilities will reflect the level of TLR which goes with the post. It will be reviewed annually but can be modified in the interim following negotiation.	

Key Accountabilities	Key Actions		
Ensure that every student has the capacity to achieve their full potential	 Ensure there is a relational approach with all students and families Ensure attendance is at least in line with target Ensure there is appropriate pastoral support delivered through Tutor time Ensure there are appropriate interventions in place to overcome barriers to achieving their potential Ensure effective communication with all stakeholders 		
Maintain and improve Pastoral provision within the Year Group	 Management of Tutors Management of Year Team LSAs Liaison with wider pastoral leadership team including SENDCO, Welfare Manager, Behaviour Manager, Safeguarding Manager and Attendance Manager Liaison with Leaders of Learning and individual teachers Liaison with external professionals 		
Maintain and improve the academic outcomes of all students	 Implement systems that maintain and improve the pastoral wellbeing of all students in the Year group 		

	 Implement a reflective approach to enable all students to take ownership of their learning
	 Implement data systems that support the holistic understanding of all the students within the Year Group
	 Implement the culture for learning at all times within the Year Group
Maintain and improve the quality of Co-Curricular opportunities within the Year Group and wider school	 Establish and maintain regular co-curricular opportunities for students within the Year Group Establish and maintain links to relevant outside agencies to help provide appropriate co-curricular opportunities Establish systems to monitor engagement with co-curricular activities

Signed:	(Post Holder)	Date:
Signed:	(Line Manager)	Date:

The particular duties assigned to this post are set out above but should not be regarded as exclusive or exhaustive. There will be other duties and requirements associated with your job and, in addition, as a term of your employment you may be required to undertake various other duties as may reasonably be required. These duties may be reviewed and amended in consultation with the post holder in light of any changes in the requirements and priorities within the school. Such variations are a common occurrence and cannot of themselves justify a re-grading of the post.

Year Leader - Person Specification			
	Essential	Desirable	
Qualifications	 Honours Graduate in relevant subject area QTS 	Further accredited professional development (e.g. Masters degree/NPQ) Able to offer second subject	
Knowledge and Understanding	 Secure subject knowledge Understanding of how learning develops in your subject area Awareness of new qualifications and requirements in your subject A good understanding of how to use data for planning and monitoring 	Understanding of the main issues in education today Experienced using Bromcom	
Experience	 Experience in supporting students' pastoral needs Demonstrable pastoral leadership experience Teaching across all Key Stages Recent CPD/CPL which has impacted on your own practice and on students' progress Evidence of teamwork in aspects of department development 		
Teaching and Learning; ability to	 Teach effective and engaging lessons which enable students of all abilities to succeed Demonstrate positive impact on learning and achievement in present post Use a range of teaching and learning strategies Use data perceptively to inform teaching and to plan appropriate interventions in your own lessons Organise assessment data and track progress towards targets Develop and share resources in support of new curriculum developments. Use ICT effectively to support learning Integrate literacy, numeracy and SMSC elements effectively into your teaching Set and model high expectations for learning and behaviour Promote a culture of inclusion 	Willingness to teach a second subject	
Personal Qualities	Enthusiasm for your subject and teachingA good communicator	Willingness to develop subject knowledge beyond current science specialism	

	 Ability to forge positive relationships with students and colleagues Supportive of the Christian ethos and values of the school Well organised and with good time management. Commitment to own CPD/CDL and willingness to develop professionally Adaptable and flexible Resilient and able to cope with periods of stress and challenge Reflective practitioner, ensuring a culture of continuous improvement 	
Statutory	 Full understanding of safeguarding requirements and how teachers promote the welfare of children. Suitable to work with children Enhanced DBS and validated references. Eligibility to work in the UK. 	Recent certified safeguarding training with an established provider.