



Required for Easter 2024

HEAD OF SOCIAL STUDIES UPS/TMS Plus TLR1B

Full Time

Would you like to be part of a school recently confirmed as GOOD by Ofsted (April 2023)?

Pupils are happy to attend this school. The school's values include honesty, excellence, ambition, respect and teamwork. The school's culture is rooted in these values. There are positive relationships between staff and pupils. Staff have high expectations, and pupils live up to these.

Staff are proud to work at the school. They feel well supported by leaders in respect of workload, well-being and managing pupils' behaviour. Staff value the professional development they receive.

If so, the following opportunity could be right for you.

We are delighted to be able to offer an exciting promotion opportunity for a colleague to join us and become Head of our growing Social Studies faculty. This currently comprises Psychology at KS4 & 5, Sociology and Criminology at KS5 and Religious Studies at all key stages. We hope to add Health & Social Care to further expand this rich offer of subjects, that are popular choices with our students.

If you are an outstanding teacher and an ambitious leader, it really is worth applying for this post, which does not often arise. You will be well supported and developed as a leader.

The Social Studies subjects are popular and growing in numbers and this role provides the chance for a leader to shape the future, and develop a team of staff. We are seeking to appoint a candidate who has experience of, or a willingness to, teach some of the following: Psychology or Health & Social Care at KS4 or 5, or Criminology or Sociology at KS5.

We are seeking someone who is passionate about these subjects: a team player who will thrive on collaboration; someone who really wants to make a positive difference to the futures of the students at our school.

Why come to Latimer? This is a fantastic school to work in: as a result of our success and popularity we are over-subscribed and have a very strong positive reputation. On interview we ask candidates for their impressions of the school and without fail they comment on how wonderful our students are, the supportive team ethos amongst staff and how friendly and welcoming the school is. We are on the journey to outstanding and developing our sixth form provision is a school priority over the next few years.

We genuinely care about our staff, their well-being and their professional development: we are a happy team, committed to working together and sharing the very best practice. This was very much recognised in our most recent Ofsted Inspection.

We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. This post will be subject to an enhanced DBS disclosure.

The Latimer Arts College values the diversity of our workforce and welcomes applications from all sectors of the community.

For an application form and further details, please visit the [teaching vacancies](https://www.teachingvacancies.org.uk) page on our website www.latimer.org.uk. Alternatively, please email vacancies@latimer.org.uk.

Closing Date: 9.00 am on Friday 15 December 2023

Early applications are encouraged as we will review applications as we receive them; and applicants may be contacted before the closing date.