

Subject Leader PSHE

Heathside Walton-on Thames

Starting September 2026

Full Time – Permanent MPR/UPR (fringe) + TLR 2b £5,959

At Heathside Walton-on-Thames, an Ofsted-rated Outstanding secondary school we believe that exceptional pastoral education is the foundation for confident, compassionate and resilient young people. As our new Subject Leader for PSHE, you will shape a curriculum that equips students with the knowledge, values and life skills they need to flourish in an ever-changing world.

We are seeking a passionate educator with a deep commitment to the personal development and wellbeing of young people. You will be an inspirational communicator, an effective leader and a reflective practitioner, ready to drive excellence in PSHE across the school. To date, the PSHE curriculum has been designed by members of the SLT. It has been delivered by form tutors. We want to move to a model in which PSHE is planned and delivered by a specialist teacher as much as possible. We would welcome applications from teachers with a complimentary KS4 subject to offer, such as Citizenship, Sociology, Psychology or RS. This role would be line managed by our Head of Humanities.

Why you'll love working with us

As a valued member of our team, you will have:

- Opportunities to shape and develop your department
- Career growth and development: Access high-quality training, mentorship, and clear pathways for progression.
- Impact on the school's future: Contribute to a forward-thinking school community where your work has a lasting, meaningful effect.

See the school for yourself! We strongly encourage interested candidates to arrange an informal tour of the school. Visiting in person is the best way to experience our vibrant community, outstanding pastoral culture and exceptional learning environment. To arrange a visit, please contact the Head of School, Mr Clark, via email at smcgonigal@heathsidewalton.org

What we're looking for:

We welcome applications from teachers who are:

- Passionate about PSHE and its role in developing the whole child
- Excellent communicators, able to inspire and engage students and colleagues
- · Organised, reflective and committed to continuous improvement
- Knowledgeable about current guidance, best practice and emerging issues in PSHE, RSHE and pastoral education

We are proud of our **supportive**, **aspirational culture** and outstanding staff retention. This is your chance to shape the future of PSHE at Heathside Walton-on-Thames and make a lasting impact on our school community.

Closing date: Monday 5th January, at midday

Interviews: Week commencing Monday 12th January

Applications will be considered as they are received. We reserve the right to make an appointment prior to the closing date.

We are committed to safeguarding and promoting child welfare. Applicants must undergo child protection screening, including checks with past employers and Enhanced DBS disclosure. Committed to equal opportunities, we welcome applications from all sections of the community.