



## **Teacher of Food Technology**

**Full Time**

**MPS/UPS**

### **Job Description**

#### **The Role**

- To deliver high quality, inspirational teaching to our KS3 and KS4 pupils.
- To work within our highly successful Food Technology Department, continuing to support the growth and development of the department.
- The post is suitable for an experienced teacher or Early Careers Teacher.
- To inspire all pupils to reach their full potential.
- Teach a range of classes across KS3 and KS4, delivering a range of classes in KS3 and AQA Food Preparation and Nutrition and WJEC Level 1 and 2 Hospitality and Catering to KS4 pupils.
- To be able to deliver other DT specialisms as part of the role.

#### **Key Responsibilities**

- To contribute to maintaining the ethos, values and expectations of the Academy and to work to Academy Policy and established procedures.
- To be committed to the philosophy of continuous professional development.
- To monitor action and self-evaluate, to learn from successes and mistakes.
- To be aware of and work to, the contractual requirements for teachers as detailed in the Teachers; Pay and Conditions Document 2000, and any subsequent amendment. (see Appendix A).
- To plan and deliver lessons effectively to meet the varied and special educational needs of pupils and to maintain appropriate records of teaching.
- To mark and assess the work of pupils in accordance with school and departmental policies and to maintain appropriate records of student attainment and progress.
- To set and mark homework in accordance with school policy.
- To ensure effective communication/consultation as appropriate with the parents/carers of pupils.
- To be an active member of the school's Technology Department.
- To work with relevant staff to identify and address the needs of students.
- To plan differentiated material to support all pupils.
- To participate proactively in professional development initiatives.
- To manage behaviour effectively to ensure a good and safe learning environment, in accordance with the school's behaviour policy.

- To contribute to the appearance and ethos of the Trust through the maintenance of a pleasant learning environment within the classroom and departmental areas.
- To actively celebrate the achievement of pupils using school systems to praise and reward.
- To participate in general supervisory duties in accordance with published duty rotas.
- To participate in required meetings with colleagues and parents/carers.
- To ensure the maintenance of accurate and up-to-date information concerning pupil learning and progress.
- To contribute in developing/reviewing/revising schemes of work and engaging and challenging resources.
- To contribute to the creation, planning and organisation of extra-curricular activities to promote the subject and enhance pupil learning.
- To liaise with colleagues in other departments as appropriate.
- To participate in professional development and Performance Management reviews in line with school policy
- To carry out duties as appropriate to the position of a classroom teacher within school.
- Employees will be expected to comply with any reasonable request from a line manager to undertake work of a similar level that is not specified in this job description.

### **Requirements**

- QTS or be an ECT.
- The ability to teach Food Technology to KS3/KS4.
- The ability to teach other DT specialisms.
- A proven record of excellent standards and expectations in and out of the classroom.
- A willingness to support the development of the department.
- The ability to plan and deliver high quality creative lessons.
- The ability to motivate pupils and achieve excellent results.
- Excellent organisational skills and the ability to work with others.
- The ability to form positive working relationships with staff and pupils.
- Enthusiastic team player with a desire to learn new skills.
- Reliable and conscientious.
- High expectations of all pupils.
- Ability to work under pressure whilst inspiring and motivating pupils.
- Successful teaching experience in KS3 and KS4.
- Ability to adapt teaching and learning methods to suit the needs of all pupils.

### **Whole School Organisation**

- To contribute to the development, implementation and evaluation of the school's policies, practices and procedures so as to support the school's values and vision.
- Make a positive contribution to the wider life and ethos of the school.

### **Safeguarding and Well-being of Pupils**

- Promote the safety and wellbeing of pupils, and help to safeguard pupils' well-being by following the requirements of Keeping Children Safe in Education and our school's child protection policy.

**Professional Development**

- Help keep your own knowledge and understanding relevant and up-to-date by reflecting on your own practice, liaising with Senior Leaders and identifying relevant professional development to improve personal effectiveness.
- Take opportunities to build the appropriate skills, qualifications, and/or experience needed for the role, with support from the school.

**Personal and Professional Conduct**

- Uphold public trust in the education profession and maintain high standards of ethics and behaviour within and outside school.
- Have proper and professional regard for the ethos, policies and practices of the school and maintain high standards of attendance and punctuality.
- Demonstrate positive attitudes, values and behaviours to develop and sustain effective relationships with the school community.
- Respect individual differences and cultural diversity.

*This job description is not necessarily a comprehensive definition of the post. It may be subject to modification or amendment at any time after consultation with the holder of the post.*