



TEACHER OF MATHEMATICS REQUIRED FROM SEPTEMBER 2024

The School

St Gabriel's is a co-educational independent day school founded in 1929, which incorporates St Gabriel's Nursery, our EYFS provision. Situated in 33 acres of beautiful parkland, landscaped by Capability Brown, the school has evolved and developed over its 90-year history to provide a wonderful learning environment for children aged 6 months to 18 years.

St Gabriel's pupils thrive through strong, effective pastoral support; our broad curriculum and range of activities afford each pupil the opportunity to enjoy success according to their particular talents. St Gabriel's is no ordinary school; parents are always impressed by the sense of purpose and enthusiasm of the talented, committed staff and the confidence of the extremely happy pupils. We fuel our pupils' intellectual curiosity and broaden their horizons, developing their confidence and self-belief and ultimately ensuring that they achieve their academic potential.

Our passionate staff deliver inspirational teaching and exceptional pastoral care creating a relaxed and friendly environment for learning. Pupils are provided with the opportunities to develop their confidence, talents and potential, enabling them to achieve high levels of success and readiness for the future.

In the 2019 ISI inspection, the school was rated Excellent in all areas, indicating the balanced excellence that has been created in this forward-thinking setting.

Our excellent examination results speak for themselves. At A Level, we saw 42% of grades at A*/A with 71% of entries achieving an A*-B grade, with our pupils going on to study a wide range of subjects at top universities. At GCSE, 37% of grades were at 7-9 and 22% of these were at grade 8 or 9.

The Post

We wish to appoint a Teacher of Mathematics who is responsible to the Head of Mathematics for encouraging the enthusiastic study of Mathematics throughout the Senior School. We are seeking an exciting, vibrant teacher who will promote the highest of standards by all pupils. Pupils at St Gabriel's regularly take part in the Junior, Intermediate and Senior Maths Challenge run by the University of Leeds with ever increasing numbers of Gold, Silver and Bronze certificates awarded. The ability to teach Computer Science would be an advantage.

Key Tasks

Teaching and Learning

- To teach KS3, KS4 and KS5 as appropriate, or as required by the Head of Mathematics or Principal.
- To prepare and provide classroom activities appropriate to each year group.

- To prepare, set and mark class work or homework as appropriate for pupils in accordance with the School's Assessment for Learning Policy.
- To set, mark and analyse internal examinations and tests as necessary.
- To monitor standards of achievement, ensuring that assessment is regular, informative and in accordance with the School's Assessment for Learning Policy.
- To attend Parents' Evenings and communicate with parents whenever necessary throughout the year.
- The Teacher of Mathematics will keep up to date with curriculum development and teaching techniques.
- To help to produce, implement and review the department's scheme of work in order to provide a well co-ordinated and differentiated programme of study.
- To arrange, or assist in the arrangement of regular extra-curricular visits or support clubs that support teaching and learning and promote further the study and enjoyment of Mathematics at St Gabriel's.
- To accompany the pupils on extra-curricular visits, clubs or workshops as required by the Principal and Head of Mathematics.

Pastoral Care and Welfare of pupils and staff

Pastoral care at St Gabriel's supports the learning, behaviour and welfare of all our pupils.

The pupils in our care are individuals and we recognise that every pupil arrives at the school with potential and must be able to succeed in our environment. Each pupil and their parents are therefore entitled to and receive support, which is adapted at every stage of their development according to their needs.

St Gabriel's aims to sustain excellent standards of pastoral care. The school thrives on all staff being courteous to colleagues and providing a welcoming environment to visitors and telephone callers. The school is committed to the ongoing support of existing staff through INSET on important issues relating to the welfare of children and to the training and support of new staff through its programme of induction.

We promote moral and spiritual values through the quality of relationships between pupils and between pupils and staff; commitment to the care of others remains paramount to the ethos of the school.

Staff play an important role as Form Teachers within a strong pastoral framework. Other responsibilities include supervision duties as required by the Vice-Principal, attendance at and preparation of School events such as Open Morning, Speech Day and Carol Service, and other such events as the Principal may reasonably require.

Salary

St Gabriel's has its own generous salary scales and the APTIS Superannuation Scheme applies.

Method of Application

Please apply by completing an Application Form (either through TES, or the St Gabriel's application form found on the website) to camilla@stgabriels.co.uk. Applications should arrive by Friday, 19 April 2024.

The post holder's responsibility for promoting and safeguarding the welfare of children and young persons for whom s/he is responsible, or with whom s/he comes into contact will be to adhere to and ensure compliance with the school's Child Protection (Safeguarding) Policy & Safeguarding Guidance at all times. If, in the course of carrying out the duties of the post, the post holder becomes aware of any actual or potential risks to the safety or welfare of children in the school, s/he must report any concerns to the school's Designed Safeguarding Lead or to the Principal.