



Teacher of History (maternity cover)

Full time, fixed term for one year, starting September 2024

Salary: MPS - UPS depending on experience

We are seeking a full-time Teacher of History (maternity cover) to join our dedicated team. We welcome applications from specialists who are excited to teach History to highly motivated students. This position offers an exciting opportunity for someone at any stage of their career at an outstanding school.

Join a highly successful team of History specialists

We are highly successful and collaborative team. This is an excellent opportunity to bring your skills and experiences and develop your career in a forward-thinking History department that develops students' ability to critically evaluate evidence and arguments whilst communicating their judgements in a sophisticated and articulate way. Our students become increasingly independent learners as they progress through the School and develop a passion for the subject. This is reflected in the popularity of History when making subject options. Students achieve outstanding outcomes at GCSE (Edexcel) and in the internationally recognised IB Diploma and many go on to study History at degree level.

Tonbridge Grammar School; a high performing state grammar school in Kent

Educating girls aged 11 to 16 years and with a co-ed sixth form, TGS regularly features in listings of the top ranked schools in the South-East and the UK. In our most recent inspection in 2019 we were rated outstanding in every area by Ofsted. We have a vibrant enrichment programme and wellbeing is at the heart of everything we do. There is a real sense of community with staff, students and parents/carers working together.

A community where everyone is valued and supported to success

As a provider of employment and education, we value the diversity of our staff and students and consistently work to remove any barriers to progress and believe in fulfilling the Public Sector Equality Duty (PSED) outlined in The Equality Act 2010. We are committed to diversity, equity and inclusion and warmly welcome applicants from all backgrounds.

We are committed to staff wellbeing and offer:

- 5 Additional INSET days a year (10 in total)
- No afterschool staff meetings
- Staff laptop and dedicated staff work areas
- Free use of our Fitness suite
- Staff wellbeing package including winter flu jabs
- Ample parking
- Cycle to work scheme
- Active staff community and socials

Your personal development, our priority

There is individualised professional development to support your career stage be it ECT, middle or senior leadership. We are an International Baccalaureate World School – IB experience is beneficial but not essential as training is provided.

How to apply

Please send completed application form to: personnel@tgs.kent.sch.uk. Unfortunately, we are unable to accept CVs.

Closing date for applications: 09:00 Monday 18 March 2024

Interview day: Wednesday 27th March 2024

Tonbridge Grammar School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. Please be aware that schools are also required to undertake online recruitment checks on shortlisted candidates under changes to Keeping Children Safe in Education legislation. This post is subject to an enhanced DBS check. We reserve the right to interview before the closing date.