





Mary Webb School & Science College
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Information about the school

Mary Webb School and Science College is situated in a particularly beautiful location in the village of Pontesbury, just a few miles south of Shrewsbury. The site, surrounded by hills and woodland, provides an ideal setting for a school that aims to provide an educational experience firmly rooted in a modern rural context. We seek to open minds and widen horizons by ensuring that all our students are prepared for the challenges of life in the 21st century.

As a relatively small, community secondary school of over 700 students, staff and governors, we feel that the school has a number of distinctive features that makes it a little bit special. We aim to provide an environment in which each and every student can develop and flourish, and where the pursuit of excellence, in terms of personal development and academic achievement, is the aspiration of all. Relatively small class sizes ensures that every student receives personal attention.

The curriculum at Key Stage 4 is based around a core GCSE offer. We believe that this provides students with robust qualifications that support transition to post-16 education, training and employment. GCSE examination results at Mary Webb School and Science College have been good in recent years and are above national averages for attainment and progress across the curriculum.

GCSE results in 2024 saw us achieve a very pleasing Progress 8 score of +0.08. 65% of our students achieved GCSEs in both English and mathematics at grade 4 and above and the school's Attainment 8 score was 47.84, which was in line with the Shropshire average for secondary schools. Over 10% of GCSEs awarded to our students were at grades 8 or 9. Most importantly, all our students were able to go on to the destinations they planned to in September 2024.

To view our latest Ofsted report from May 2023 please visit our website.

Inspection of Mary Webb School and Science College Pontesbury, Shrewsbury, Shropshire SY5 OTG

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Inspection dates: 7 and 8 June 2023

Overall effectiveness Good

The quality of education Good
Behaviour and attitudes Good
Personal development Good
Leadership and management Good
Previous inspection grade Not previously inspected under section 5 of the Education Act 2005

- Pupils feel safe and happy in this inclusive and supportive school.
- Pupils behave well and have positive attitudes to learning.
- Governors and leaders ensure that staff's well-being matters.
- Staff morale is high.
- The arrangements for safeguarding are effective.

Job Description

Hours: Variable

Salary: £30 per hour Contract Type: Casual

START DATE:: Immediate

Experience Required

TrustEd Schools is a multi-academy trust based in Shropshire consisting of five secondary schools and four primary schools and is committed to raising students' aspirations so that all young people reach their fullest potential and achieve the success they want for themselves.

Main outline of the job

The main responsibilities of this role will be to support groups of 3 or more students who have fallen behind and help to develop their knowledge and understanding. This will include complex, bespoke, assessment and identification of needs of the groups.

Main Duties and Responsibilities

- Teach groups of 3 or more students with complex, bespoke, assessment and identification of needs of the groups.
- Carrying out bespoke packages, specialist interventions with independence.
- To plan and mark for specialist work at an individualised level.
- To report the needs the tutor has identified to the subject teacher and suggest subject teacher actions.
- To independently ensure resources are available as and when required.
- To set high expectations of behaviour, work rate and effort and report to staff where these expectations are not met.
- Give precise and diagnostic feedback to students to ensure they develop their knowledge, understanding and confidence.
- To uphold the staff code of conduct and report any safeguarding or other concerns to DSLs.

Experience

- Extensive experience of working with primary or secondary aged children and working in a school setting (UPS3 and TLR level or leadership level)
- Further extensive experience e.g. SEND qualification and/or examiner
- Experience of planning and evaluating learning activities for individuals or small groups

Job Description (Cont.)

Application process

Full details of the role and application process are available on the school's website. If you feel you have the qualities to complement our existing team, then we would love to hear from you. Please note CVs will not be accepted.

The closing date for all applications is Monday 17th February 2025

Interviews will be held on week beginning 24th February 2025. An email will be sent or telephone call will be made to shortlisted candidates with details of the interview process. If you have not heard from us within a week of the closing date, please assume your application has been unsuccessful.

Completed application forms should be returned by email to **nmurray@marywebbschool.com** by the closing date.

The appointment is subject to satisfactory pre-employment clearances including references, medical clearance and an enhanced DBS Disclosure under the "Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974". Further details regarding this check are available by visiting www.dbs.gov.uk.

An online search will be undertaken as part of due diligence checks during the shortlisting process.

The Trust values diversity and inclusion and welcomes applications from candidates with diverse backgrounds.

This Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people/vulnerable adults and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.