

TEACHER OF GEOGRAPHY

0.6 FTE Permanent from September 2024 Main Scale (MPS/UPS)

We are seeking to appoint a dynamic, enthusiastic and talented Geography teacher who will compliment and add to a supportive and successful humanities faculty to teach Geography across Key Stages 3 & 4 on a full-time permanent contract from September 2024.

Candidates should have the attributes to make a valid contribution to our wider school community and ensure our pupils make excellent progress. The post will be supported with an excellent induction and CPD programme at all levels.

Sir John Nelthorpe School is a successful and popular 11–19 mixed comprehensive school with a rapidly growing roll (approximately 790 pupils). It has a caring ethos and a long tradition of academic attainment.

If you have the qualities and ambition required for this post we look forward to receiving your application by post or by email to adminenelthorpe.org.uk by 9:00am on Monday 15th April 2024.

Sir John Nelthorpe School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The successful candidate will be subject to an enhanced DBS check and supportive references.





HUMANITIES

Structure of the Faculty

The Humanities Faculty is led by a Head of Faculty and supported by an Assistant Area Leader of Faculty. There is also an assigned Senior Leadership Team line manager. There are three full time teachers in Geography. In History there is one full time teacher and four part-time teachers. In conjunction with one specialist RE teacher colleagues within the faculty share a commitment to deliver the Religious Education curriculum.

The faculty forms an experienced, professional and well-motivated team maintaining high standards and achieving good results at GCSE level. At A level, Geography and History and Politics are always successful in recruiting students. Religious Education is delivered in Key Stage 3,4 and 5.

Curriculum

Key Stage 3

In Year 7 all students do 3 x 55 minute lessons per week of History and Geography.

In Year 8 and 9, all pupils are split depending on MFL;

Geography (2 NE x 55 minute lessons per week) LTH x 3 55 minutes

History (2 NE x 1 55-minute lesson per week) LTH x 3 55 minutes

Religious Education (1 x 55-minute lesson per week)

Key Stage 4

GCSE Geography (3 x 55 minutes lessons per week, Option subject)

GCSE History (3 x 55 minute lessons per week, Option subject)

Religious Education (1 x 55-minute Core lesson per week)

GCSE Religious Education 3 x 55 minute lessons per week

BTEC Tech Award Travel and Tourism 3 x 55 minute lessons per week

Key Stage 5

Core RE 1 x 55 minute lessons per week

A-Level Geography (5 x 55 minute lessons per week)

A-Level History (5 x 55 minute lessons per week)

A-Level Politics (5 x 55 minute lessons per week)

We teach a three year KS3 and two year KS4. Students are grouped in mixed ability in Geography, RE and History from Year 7 onwards. In History we teach the Edexcel syllabus at GCSE and the OCR (505) specification at A Level History. In Geography we teach the AQA syllabus at GCSE and at A Level we also deliver the AQA Geography (7037) specification. In RE, we teach the AQA syllabus at GCSE. We work as a faculty to plan courses and to develop resources for use in delivering the curriculum. Much of our success as a team stems from the collegiate approach that we take to all aspects of teaching and learning.

