

LITTLE HEATH SCHOOL
Little Heath Road, Tilehurst
Reading, Berkshire, RG31 5TY
Headteacher: Mr D J Ramsden



SCIENCE TECHNICIAN

We are seeking to appoint an enthusiastic, creative and efficient Science Technician to join a hardworking and friendly team. The post holder is expected to assist in supporting the teaching and learning in a very successful science department, working under the Senior Science technician. Hours are 37 per week, term time only plus one inset day. Local Government Scale C, SP3-5, £18,562.00 - £19,312.00 p.a., (£15,592.00 - £16,222.00 pro rata), subject to experience.

The successful candidate will:

- Be educated to GCSE level or above.
- Provide day to day support in the running of the laboratories/classrooms.
- Have a passionate interest in science and be comfortable in dealing with practical preparation and clearing up.
- Prepare materials, and equipment for all GCSE and A Level lessons, as required.
- Participate in the general technical work of the department.

Previous school experience would be an advantage but not essential as training will be available if required. However, a good scientific background would be desirable.

The post requires a highly motivated person with good communication skills, who can work well as part of a team. They must also be organised and methodical with good attention to detail. The ability to prioritise a busy workload is essential as is the need to meet deadlines.

Little Heath School is a highly successful comprehensive school (1658 on roll, including 366 in the Sixth Form) situated in a pleasant semi-rural setting to the west of Reading, with good access to road and rail links. As a school, we pride ourselves on our strong Professional Development programme, believing that support staff need to be able to develop their own practice collaboratively with others.

Little Heath School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Little Heath School Governing Body is an equal opportunities employer. Appointments are subject to satisfactory pre-employment checks and the successful applicant will be required to apply for an enhanced disclosure from the Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS). Further information can be found at www.homeoffice.gov.uk

For an application form and information pack please email recruitment@littleheath.org.uk . Please address supporting letter of application to the Headteacher.