



SIR WILLIAM BORLASE'S GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Sir William Borlase's Grammar School, a member of Marlow Education Trust, is an *outstanding* selective-entry, co-educational grammar school located in the centre of the attractive Thames-side town of Marlow, Buckinghamshire. The school is heavily oversubscribed, having an excellent academic record; a justifiably high reputation for its highly successful Sixth Form and the very impressive performance of its school sports teams and performing arts.

Teacher of Chemistry

Full Time/ Part Time

Required for September 2019

Required for September 2019, an inspiring teacher to teach up to and including A-Level Chemistry depending on experience. The post would suit an ambitious NQT or a more experienced teacher.

For an application form please visit
www.swbgs.com
and click on Job Vacancies
or email asummerfield@swbgs.com for more information

Closing date for applications is 9.00 am on Tuesday 7th May 2019
We would encourage early applications as these will be considered as soon as they arrive

Applications submitted via email should be sent to Mrs Anna Summerfield at asummerfield@swbgs.com

From September 2020, the children of staff with 2 or more years' service will be given priority in the oversubscription criteria in the admissions policy.

The school is fully committed to the DCSF guidance on Safeguarding Children and Safer Recruitment in Education and all candidates for the post will therefore be subject to vetting procedures following Buckinghamshire County Council's guidance on Safer Recruitment and Selection in Schools.

Chemistry Department

We are seeking a well-qualified, creative and inspiring chemistry teacher who is passionate about working with students who are all eager to learn and challenge themselves. Depending on experience the successful applicant will have the opportunity to teach across the full age range.

At KS3 all students follow an accelerated two year science curriculum, which allows the GCSE course to run over three years. In KS4 all students work towards the triple science GCSE following the Edexcel (9-1) specification. In 2018 77% of students achieved grades 7-9 in their chemistry GCSE. A-level chemistry is a very popular choice; there are currently 120 students over the two year groups. A-level results are excellent – in 2018 64% of students achieved A* to B grades. Each year a number of students opt to study chemistry based degrees at university, with most going to Russell group or Oxbridge institutions.

The chemistry department is an experienced and friendly department. We are keen to support each other and continuously aspire to deliver outstanding lessons. We are passionate about our subject and this is reflected in the enthusiasm from our students. A dedicated chemistry technician supports the teaching of chemistry in three dedicated laboratories.

There are many opportunities to go above and beyond the curriculum with students, ranging from competitions and projects, to conferences and subject based lectures. Sixth form students lead the school's chemistry society and chemistry club, supported by our STEM co-ordinator. A large number of students complete CREST awards and science based EPQ's during their school life. Older students are also actively involved in mentoring students in younger years.