Politics and Citizenship Subject Leader

Job Start: September 2024

Annual Salary Scale: Main Pay Scale or Upper Pay Scale Plus TLR2b

Location: South Hackney **Contract type:** Permanent

'The best school I've ever worked at: the culture, the staff and students, the training, everything!' (Staff member)

'I was amazed at what a great atmosphere the school exuded, how well turned out the children were and how polite and bright they all seemed' (Visitor)

The Bridge Academy is a truly exceptional school. Our students' progress is excellent and our superb personal development offer means that over the last few years we have been national debating champions, enjoyed a host of sporting successes and won both the Incorporated Society of Musicians Gold Award and the Hackney Mayor's award for music.

Why choose us?

- Excellent student behaviour and highly supportive Senior Leadership Team.
- An Achievement-oriented culture where students work hard and it is cool to be smart.
- A warm/strict approach, meaning that our high standards <u>do not</u> come at the expense of inclusion.
- The belief that teaching must be a sustainable profession: clear systems and structures, sensible approach to feedback and no 'late night culture'.

We are seeking a Politics & Citizenship Subject Leader who is totally aligned to our values of Hard Work, Integrity and Kindness, and completely committed to our mission: to ensure that every student will succeed at a good university or equivalent, thrive in their chosen field and live a great life.

The successful candidate will join a strong department of specialists who are passionate about their subject and work with students who are fully dedicated to their studies. This is reflected in excellent progress made by our students in Politics A-Level and Citizenship GCSE. At KS3 students study Politics weekly. The curriculum includes, and extends beyond, the national curriculum requirements for Citizenship education, improving political literacy and opportunities for active citizenship. If you are up for the challenge we would love to hear from you.

Our sponsors UBS provide significant support to the Academy, and we also work with a wide variety of community groups to ensure the best for all our students. Our award-winning building is outstanding and is based at our stunning canal-side location, a short walk from Haggerston Station and just over a mile from the heart of the City of London.

To apply for this position, please read the information pack and complete the online application form via TES here. Please ensure that you read our school workforce privacy

notice. We encourage applicants from all sectors of the community to apply. **The deadline for applications is: Wednesday 17**th **April 2024.**

The Bridge Academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. We expect all staff to share this commitment. All appointments will be subject to the necessary safeguarding checks, including receipt of a satisfactory Enhanced DBS check with barred list information.