



Dear Candidate,

Thank you for expressing an interest in the post of Science Teacher at Clapton Girls' Academy.

We are an outstanding 11-19 academy. We prioritise high quality learning and teaching to ensure successful student achievement. Our students are keen to learn and a pleasure to teach. We provide a warm and welcoming learning environment with a strong team of committed teachers and support staff. Staff can develop their teaching practice through a number of opportunities, including ongoing CPD, access to a range of courses and through our status as a World Class School and leading member of the Hackney Teaching Schools Alliance (HTSA).

Student outcomes at Clapton Girls' Academy are outstanding. 80% of our students achieved grade 9-4 in both English and Maths in 2019. Progress is outstanding with students achieving on average three quarters of a grade higher than expected in all GCSE subjects. 80% of students who were entered for the English Baccalaureate achieved 9-4 in all areas. This has been achieved with a cohort where approximately half of students are from disadvantaged backgrounds and results achieved by these students are significantly better than similar students nationally. Our popular sixth form continues to grow and our Key Stage 5 results are among the best in Hackney and our results for A Level and BTEC are in the top 10% of sixth forms nationally.

The science faculty are a well-resourced team that are passionate about inspiring young women into STEM subjects. The faculty is made up of 13 teachers, 3 science technicians and a dedicated science learning assistant. Our vision is to provide a rich and dynamic curriculum, delivered through consistent supportive teaching, varied practice and practical activities in the classroom. To complement this a range of extracurricular clubs, including student intervention at all key stages, are offered. We aim to foster a culture of excellence and challenge and to support high quality teaching for learning that has a positive impact on student outcomes.

If you feel that you can make a positive contribution at Clapton Girls' Academy, please apply via our website <http://www.clapton.hackney.sch.uk/current-vacancies/teaching-vacancies/>

If you have any questions or would like to arrange a visit to the academy, please do not hesitate to contact me. I look forward to reading your application.

Yours faithfully,

Anna Feltham

Headteacher

Please note the closing date for applications for this post is Monday 14th October 2019 by 9am or first post.