

**Position:** Director of Studies (Residential)

Camp: XUK English, Dauntsey's School, SN10 4HE

Pay: See separate list Reports to: Camp Manager

# Overview

- ✓ Your primary responsibility is to promote the safeguarding and welfare of the children in our care.
- ✓ Do what is needed to keep campers happy, healthy and wanting to return for more.
- ✓ You should be willing to share accommodation with other staff members.
- ✓ The application process for this position may require a second interview stage.

# **Responsibilities** (for further details see 'Management Responsibilities')

#### **Set up & Training**

✓ Organise classrooms and resources. Ensure staff are trained and prepared sufficiently.

#### **Kids and Staff in Correct Level**

✓ Organise placement tests, grouping campers according to level and then age.

#### **Staff Meetings & Planning**

✓ Meet regularly with your team and ensure a productive environment for planning.

### **Maintain Lesson Quality**

✓ Provide ongoing training and support (e.g. checking plans, observing lessons and feedback).

## **Addressing Concerns**

✓ Respond to and address staff concerns. Liaise with Camp Manager if required.

# **Writing Competition**

✓ Organise a weekly writing competition.

## Orchestrate Morning (XUK English) & Afternoon (all camps) Lessons

✓ Monitor student attendance, organise staffing and monitor lesson quality for all camps.

### **Study Trips**

✓ Organise groupings, resources and staff responsibilities.

#### **Reports/Certificates**

- Ensure reports are written by staff identifying students' strengths and areas for improvement.
- ✓ Ensure these are all stored in the XUK system.

# **Camper Leaver Questionnaires**

✓ Organise, distribute and action points arising from the questionnaires.

## Essential

#### **Proven Experience**

- ✓ CELTA or recognised equivalent
- ✓ Management / supervisory experience
- ✓ Experience working with children / young people
- ✓ Proficient user of Microsoft Excel, Word and other computer programmes

### **Leadership Skills**

✓ Communicator, organiser, decision maker, motivator and record keeper

### **Personal Qualities**

✓ Approachable, resilient, decisive, patient and flexible

## Desirable

- ✓ DELTA or recognised equivalent to TEFL-Q Level
- ✓ First Aid certificate Safeguarding certificate with DSL responsibility

