



# Birchwood Community High School

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## KS3 Lead for Science

Start Date:	January 2024
Contract Type:	Full Time
Contract Term:	Permanent
Salary:	Teachers Pay Scale plus TLR2b

The Science Faculty is a very strong department with a mixture of committed teachers of varied backgrounds and experiences, and the department benefits from strong and supportive leadership. It is envisaged that the person appointed will be enthusiastic about science and enjoy teaching the subject to all levels and abilities, and who is committed to ensuring pupil enjoyment and progress within our successful department. The ideal specialism is Chemistry or Physics, but please do not let this stop you from applying.

The successful candidate will:

- Be able to deliver Science to KS4
- Support the HOF in the smooth running of the department and to deputise when necessary.
- To provide professional leadership and management of teaching and learning of KS3 Sciences in order to secure high quality teaching
- Assist the HOF with data and examination administration for KS3
- Take responsibility for KS2 to KS3 science transition and progress in science at KS3
- Promote the extra-curricular life of the department for KS3
- Have high regard for their learning environment and resources
- Aspire to be a talented, dynamic and an ambitious teacher, who will ensure outstanding progress for all students
- Be skilled at fostering independent and collaborative student-led learning.

Please see the linked documents or our website for further details. If, prior to submitting an application, you would like to see for yourself why we believe this is such a fabulous school in which to work, then do not hesitate to contact us to arrange a visit.

This school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this legal requirement. The successful applicant's appointment will be subject to satisfactory pre-employment clearances including a Disclosure and Barring Service check (formally CRB).

For further details and an application form please visit: [www.birchwoodhigh.org](http://www.birchwoodhigh.org)

**Closing date for application:** 9am Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2024.

**Interview date:** Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2024.

Application forms should be returned to [joinus@birchwoodhigh.org](mailto:joinus@birchwoodhigh.org) and preferably not through TES.