

Langley Grammar School

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Senior Science Technician

37 hours per week, term-time only, plus 2 weeks in school holidays NJC Scale 5 - 6, £22,515 - £27,243 p.a. pro rata (actual pro rata pay £19,474 - £23,563)

Required from November 2019

Langley Grammar School has an outstanding record for Science teaching and student performance. We are seeking a well-qualified, enthusiastic and good all-round Senior Science Technician to work within a large, well-resourced and popular Science Faculty.

Reporting to the Biology, Chemistry and Physics Subject Leaders, the post involves managing and leading a team of Science Technicians undertaking tasks to support teaching in all Science subjects. A sound knowledge of the management and control of equipment used across the whole Science department is required. In addition, the jobholder is required to monitor the departmental budget in conjunction with the Subject Leaders. You should be qualified to at least 'A' level Chemistry or Biology or equivalent, GCSE in Physics, have experience of a similar role within a school environment, and you will need to be confident in managing a team. Above all you will be interested in young people, supporting them in their studies and personal development.

The role will require you to be able to work on your own initiative and as part of a team, demonstrate practical knowledge and problem-solving skills, and have excellent interpersonal skills.

The school is a very popular co-educational 11-18 selective school, located within easy reach of Langley station and Junction 5 of the M4. We have approximately 1,180 students (increasing to approximately 1,260 over the next 4 years), 320 of whom are in the Sixth Form; the school is heavily over-subscribed and expectations of students and staff are high. In February 2020 a new teaching block will be opening, and all science teaching will take place in the brand new state of the art building.

All staff have the option to join the Local Government Pension Scheme (a career average scheme), the employee pays 5.8% and the School contributes a further 19.6%.

Information packs and an application forms are available on request from the school, or can be downloaded from the school website at www.lgs.slough.sch.uk. The application form must be completed; the School cannot accept CVs on their own although they may be included along with the application form and a covering letter.

We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expect all staff to share this commitment. Applicants must be willing to undergo child protection screening appropriate to the post, including checks with past employers and the Criminal Records Bureau.

Applications should be returned by midday on **Monday 14 October 2019** addressed to Mr Gregory Trigg, Business Manager, or by email to gregorytrigg@lgs.slough.sch.uk. Interviews will take place during the week commencing **Monday 21 October 2019**.