



Langley Grammar School

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Part time teacher of Mandarin **1 hour per week, £32 per hour, 25 weeks of the year**

Required for October 2019

We are offering an exciting opportunity for an enthusiastic Teacher of Mandarin to deliver an introductory course in the language to a small group of Year 10 students. We offer Mandarin as an optional enrichment course for students in Year 10. Students who sign up do so voluntarily and have a keen interest in learning. The lessons will take place between approximately 3.30pm to 4.30pm once a week for 25 weeks through the academic year beginning in October 2019. There is flexibility over the day of the week. This is fixed term position of a year in the first instance and the successful candidate will be required to invoice the school for payment.

Although we do not require applicants to hold Qualified Teacher Status for this role (QTS) we are looking for applicants who have some relevant teaching experience, a secure knowledge of the subject and a commitment to delivering an engaging and high-quality programme that will enable students to develop their knowledge and skills in Mandarin. Students follow a course leading to the AQA FCSE in Mandarin (Short course). There is no final examination, but the course does involve continuous assessment of short listening and speaking tasks provided by the examination board. The course book Jin Bu is used.

Langley Grammar School is a co-educational 11-18 selective school with academy status, located within easy reach of Langley station and the M4. We have approximately 1140 students, over 300 of whom are in the Sixth Form. The school is heavily over-subscribed and draws students from a wide geographical area and range of backgrounds. Alongside promoting excellent academic outcomes, our school ethos supports students to become confident and well rounded, independent and creative, responsible and caring. Our students are capable, hardworking and a delight to work with. We are a National Teaching School with a record of nationally recognised innovative practice, and an Apple Distinguished School in recognition of our leading-edge use of technology for learning.

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 Disclosure and Barring Service.

CVs should be returned by **midday on Monday 2 September** addressed to Mrs Jane Milward, Headteacher's PA. Interviews will take place as soon as possible after the closing date although we reserve the right to interview promising candidates prior to this date if applications are received early.