

### **Cover Supervisor x2**

### **Chellaston Academy**

# 37 hours per week, 39 weeks per year

## Full time, Permanent

Do you want to make an impact and motivate others within a Multi-Academy Trust learning and teaching environment that is moving forward with exciting times ahead?

QEGSMAT is seeking to appoint Cover Supervisors who are enthusiastic and highly motivated individuals. The successful candidates should be able to supervise whole classes and give instructions using their own initiative, have excellent communication and organisational skills, be patient and have a passion in seeing young people succeed.

### We offer candidates:

- Support, mentoring and professional learning appropriate to the post.
- A forward looking, hardworking and enthusiastic team of staff with the desire and skills to improve outcomes.
- A location which has a highly successful school, with an aspirational ethos which leads to excellent levels of achievement.
- Staff, students and governors are committed to working together to build a positive learning environment, ensuring continuing success for all students.
- Our core values include hard work and personal courtesy. We firmly believe that the aim of always doing one's best is the key to sustained success.

## The application process:

At present, we welcome school visits for interested parties, or if you wish to have an informal conversation to discuss the role in more detail, we would be happy to arrange this. Please call 01332 702502.

Further details about our school can be found on our website: www.chellaston.derby.sch.uk.

QEGSMAT is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. All appointments are subject to an Enhanced DBS check. Further information about our commitment to Safeguarding can be found <a href="https://www.gegsmat.com/documents/safeguarding">https://www.gegsmat.com/documents/safeguarding</a>.

To apply for this position please visit www.qegsmat.com where you can apply via TES. Alternately, you can contact us at <a href="mailto:hr@qegsmat.com">hr@qegsmat.com</a>.

Closing date for applications: Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July 2021
Interview date: Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2021

Scale 5 £22,183 - £24,491 (£18,740 – 20,690 pro-rated)

**Start date:** 1<sup>st</sup> September 2021



Post Title: Cover Supervisor
Responsible to: Assistant Headteacher

Scale:Scale 5Weekly Hours:37Weeks Per Annum:39

# **Core Purpose:**

- To supervise a prepared lesson in the absence of a class teacher ensuring that in doing so the students learning and progress is continued and maintained;
- To provide clerical and administrative support to departments;

## **Duties and Responsibilities:**

- In the absence of a teacher, provide leadership and supervision of and be solely responsible for a class of students during lesson time;
- Promote positive behaviour for learning of students to maintain a calm working environment, including implementation of the school's policy; rewarding students where appropriate.
- Report back, as appropriate, on the behaviour of students during lesson time and on any arising issues, or rewards to the Curriculum Leader.
- To provide classroom management to classes in the absence of a teacher (for up to a maximum of 10 consecutive days for the same teacher, including the first 3 days of absence).
- Establish positive relationships and communicate with other relevant professionals, in liaison with the class teacher, to support student learning and progress.
- Communicate the work set by the class teacher to the students and ensure that students are aware
  of the teacher's expectations during the course of the lesson with regard to learning and progress –
  including the homework set and any other extension/enrichment tasks.
- Motivate students to complete tasks set by the class teacher and encourage students to interact and work co-operatively with others to ensure that students are engaged on the set task.
- Respond to any questions from students about process and procedures.
- Deal with any immediate problems or emergencies in accordance with the school's policies and procedures.
- Collect completed work after the lesson and return it to the class teacher as appropriate.
- Contribute to the administration and delivery of examination assessments
- Invigilate examinations and be available for duties at break and lunch.
- Accompany teaching staff and students on educational visits.
- To collate a bank of supervision work for subjects at KS3 and KS4 in liaison with the relevant Curriculum Leader. Cover and supervision work should be set by the Department.
- Be aware of, uphold and contribute towards the development of the school's policies and procedures.
- Participate in appropriate school based meetings and training activities.
- To support a department with administration duties, e.g. displays etc, when not required for cover during the working day.
- Contribute to departmental improvements when it is appropriate
- Support "day to day" supply staff in locating work and help to orient

## **METHODS OF WORKING**

# The post holder must:

- Maintain confidentiality and observe data protection and associated guidelines where appropriate;
- Maintain an awareness of Safeguarding Children and Every Child Matters initiatives;
- Understand and comply with the academy's Health and Safety Policy in the performance of their duties and responsibilities;
- Carry out the duties of the post in compliance with the academy's Equal Opportunities Policy;
- Understand and comply with all other relevant academy policies;
- Take an active part in appraising their own work against agreed priorities and targets in accordance with the academy's professional development and supervision arrangements;
- Undertake any necessary training associated with the duties of the post;
- Carry out any other reasonable duties and responsibilities within the overall function, commensurate with the grading and level of responsibilities of the post.



# **Person Specification**

	Essential	Desirable		
Education,	GCSE qualifications Grade A-C or	HLTA – High Level Teaching Assistant		
Qualifications	equivalent including English and Maths.	First Aid qualification/ commitment to		
and Training		gain within first 3 months.		
Experience	Experience working with children aged	Some experience of working in		
	11-16.	education and supporting children in a		
	Experience of working in an office	classroom environment.		
	environment fulfilling a range of	<ul> <li>Experience of both KS3 and KS4</li> </ul>		
	administrative duties.	settings.		
Knowledge, Skills	Effective organisation and	<ul> <li>Knowledge of some areas of the</li> </ul>		
and Aptitudes	communication skills.	National Curriculum		
	Ability to consistently and effectively			
	implement whole school behaviour			
	management policy			
	Knowledge of the strategies that			
	recognise and reward effort and			
	achievements, as appropriate to the age			
	and development of students.			
	Ability to provide levels of individual			
	attention, reassurance and help with			
	learning tasks as appropriate to			
	students' needs, encouraging the			
	students to stay on task.			
	Ability to monitor the students'			
	response to the learning activities as			
	agreed with the teacher to achieve the			
	<ul><li>intended learning outcomes.</li><li>Ability to offer constructive feedback to</li></ul>			
	students to reinforce self-esteem.			
	Ability to work effectively and			
	supportively as a member if the school			
	team.			
	Ability to work within and apply all			
	school policies e.g. behaviour			
	management, child protection, health &			
	Safety, Equal Opportunities, etc.			
Personal	Willingness to take part in further	Ability to communicate with other		
Attributes	training opportunities	professionals and parents		
	<ul> <li>Ability to establish positive relationships</li> </ul>	,		
	with students and staff.			
	Ability to demonstrate active listening			
	skills.			
	Ability to maintain confidentiality on all			
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	school matters.  • Patience, good sense of humour  • Flexibility	
Other Requirements	<ul> <li>Good ICT skills.</li> <li>A commitment to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people</li> <li>Awareness and adherence to relevant Health &amp; safety regulations and a commitment to equality of opportunity.</li> </ul>	Knowledge of SEND/ strategies for working with ASD students

PRINT NAME	
SIGNATURE	
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