



Headteacher: Ms Tracey Reynolds BA (Hons) MA (Ed)



BUDEHAVEN
COMMUNITY SCHOOL

3rd October, 2018

Dear Applicant,

Teacher of Modern Foreign Languages

Thank you for your interest in the above post at Budehaven Community School. The post is full time and commences January 1st 2019.

The post

We are seeking a teacher of French and Spanish who is ambitious for her/himself and for the department and our students. We are looking for someone who sets exceptionally high standards in the classroom, plans and delivers innovative and challenging lessons that will inspire our students to become articulate, curious, imaginative, capable and productive members of our society.

Our languages department offers French to Years 7 and 8, French and Spanish to Years 9 to 13. Our students often go onto study languages at university. The department consist of five specialist teachers and two technicians and it sits within our EBacc Faculty.

Our school

Budehaven is located on the beautiful north Cornwall coast in the town of Bude. We are proud to be a fully comprehensive school, providing education to 1160 students from ages 11 to 19. We have a thriving Sixth Form. Our school also has an Integrated Health Centre and community leisure centre. We are a co-operative school and have many partners from local primaries, to secondary schools in Devon, Cornwall and a successful partnership with Assossa, Ethiopia.

We are judged by Ofsted to be a good school (Ofsted, March 2017) but we want to be a truly great school. We are ambitious for our students academically and for their development into curious young people, who go beyond their locality and look at the world in wonder, becoming thoughtful and productive members of society. We are looking for someone to join our school, who shares this aspiration.

If you are appointed to this post, we will support you with an excellent induction programme. This is for both experienced and new entrants to the profession and is led by one of our Assistant Headteachers. We work very closely with Dartmoor Teaching School Alliance to ensure that our newly qualified and recently qualified teachers are well supported and receive bespoke training

The closing date for applications is noon on Monday 15th October, 2018 and we intend interviewing shortly after. Applicants should complete the Application Form and submit a letter of application (of no more than two sides). The letter should outline your educational philosophy and experience linked to the post

At Budehaven we are committed to the safeguarding of our students and the successful candidate will be subject to an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service Check.

We very much look forward to receiving an application from you.


Tracey Reynolds
Headteacher