

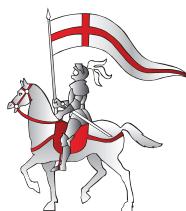


Application Pack

Teacher of Physics (1 Year Sabbatical Cover)

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ST GEORGE'S
BRITISH INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

A Message from the Principal



It gives me great pleasure to introduce St George's - one of the leading and most academically successful British International Schools in Europe.

At St George's we are proud of our rich history of providing a world-class education to both expatriate and internationally-minded local families in one of the world's most iconic cities. Our community - uniquely in Rome - represents more than 80 different nationalities and this infuses our school with vibrancy, inclusivity, tolerance, respect and support.

Our highly-qualified team of teachers includes many leading educationalists and experts in their field who inspire the pupils to genuinely be the best they can be. As a leading school, we are committed to not only recruiting and retaining the very best teachers, but also to ensuring that we constantly develop and improve the education they provide for our pupils through a focus on training, coaching, research and innovation.

Our close links with the world's highest performing and most aspirational universities ensure Georgians are filled with ambition and have the highest possible expectations for their future. Whilst our (I)GCSE and IB results are among the best of any school of its type in the world, and are comparable with leading independent schools in the UK, we believe that a truly outstanding education is about so much more than just examination results. Our focus on **the nine Cs** ensures our pupils become highly successful individuals who are equipped to excel whatever the global economy of the future looks like, but who are also proud of who they are and their own unique combination of qualities, talents, passions and challenges.

Our rich programme of extra-curricular activities allows pupils to develop a wide range of interests beyond the curriculum. Our sports facilities are without parallel in the city. Our performing arts and music productions are breathtaking in both their ambition and scope. The artwork that adorns the school would not look out of place in any professional gallery. And, perhaps unsurprisingly for a school with such close links to the city's diplomatic community, we have consistently excelled on the international stage in our Model United Nations endeavours.

Above all, however, we are proud of the young people we are helping to develop at St George's. Our pupils are welcoming, polite, compassionate, independent and entrepreneurial. They are also convinced that they have the capacity to make a difference in this world. Nowhere is this evidenced more clearly than in the excellent work that the pupils put into the school's orphanage in Zambia.

Thank you for your interest in joining our team.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D P Tongue".

**Mr David Tongue BSc (Hons), PGCE, MSc
Principal, St George's British International School**



Teacher of Physics

One Year Sabbatical Cover

We are seeking to appoint an enthusiastic and talented Teacher of Physics to join our highly motivated and experienced team, for the academic year 2019-20.

We wish to appoint a creative and inspirational subject teacher who will bring enthusiasm and vision to a successful and flourishing department within the school. This post would suit an aspirational teacher who would enjoy working in a supportive and forward-thinking school, which has been graded "excellent" in inspection and is achieving record results.

Core Purpose

To be an outstanding classroom practitioner who encourages students to experiment with and develop their creative skills within a safe but challenging learning environment, so that they can become the best that they can be.

Aims

The Teacher of Physics will demonstrate essential professional characteristics, and in particular will:

- Inspire and enthuse students, colleagues and parents
- Engage and motivate students to strive for the highest performance

- Display high-level inter-personal skills communicating effectively with the Head of Department
- Use tracking and monitoring to advance student learning
- Contribute to school improvement / development planning and promote the learning priorities of the school's Vision, Mission and Values document
- Promote the wider aspirations and values of the school, the Music Department and the IB Learner Profile

Academic

- To demonstrate excellence in personal classroom practice
- To attend Physics Department meetings
- To keep abreast of new curriculum thinking, teaching methods and examination syllabuses and implement the National Curriculum, GCSE and IB syllabuses as appropriate and according to the policies of the Department, in discussion with the Head of Music
- To maintain and implement school and department policies and handbooks
- To use all available data to monitor students' progress and work, where necessary, with the Head of Department, to manage appropriate and timely interventions.



How to Apply

Closing date for applications **15 March 2019**

Start date **September 2019**

Job reference number **TEPHFT0219**

Short listing will commence immediately after the closing date.
We reserve the right to appoint before the closing date.
Early application is strongly encouraged.

Please complete the Application for Employment Form available at
www.stgeorge.school.it/employment

Please submit your completed application via email to **jobs@stgeorge.school.it**, inserting the job reference in the title of the email.

Within the application form, please include a statement outlining your strengths and stating why you wish to be considered for the role. Please indicate your curriculum strengths and extra-curricular interests. Please do not submit a CV or send certificates or testimonials at this stage.

Please note that, as well as a face-to-face or Skype interview, the selection process will include another form of assessment, which may include a video lesson, administrative test, demonstration of practical skill, a presentation etc.) if relevant.

Shortlisted candidates will have references taken up prior to interview.

Conditional Offer of Appointment

Any offer to a successful candidate will be conditional upon the following:

- Verification of identity, qualifications and professional status;
- A safeguarding check;
- Receipt of at least two satisfactory references (one of which should be from your current or most recent employer);
- Verification of medical fitness (completion of a medical declaration).

Equal Opportunities

St George's is an equal opportunities employer. Discrimination will not be made on the grounds of race, ethnicity, religion, age, nationality, marital status, sexual orientation or other basis.

Salary

The successful candidate will receive a salary and benefits that are highly competitive in the international sector and consistent with the status that St George's holds as an HMC school.