

Grace Academy Solihull

Grace, Integrity, Excellence, Respect and Potential



Head of French (TLR 2b)

Grace Academy Solihull aims to develop well educated, considerate and caring citizens with a strong sense of values who will succeed in, and contribute to modern society. At Grace Academy, we believe that excellent teaching and support, world-class facilities and outstanding resources combine to give our students the best possible preparation for their adult life. The Grace Academies joined Tove Learning Trust in 2019.

An excellent opportunity has arisen for an inspiring Head of Department to lead our well established and high performing French department.

We are seeking to appoint a confident and enthusiastic Head of Department to plan, prepare, shape and deliver exciting lessons at KS3/4/5 which will allow all students to reach their potential, as well as having the skills to lead the department and improve on current successes.

Inspirational teaching is key to achieving our aims – we are keen to appoint innovative teachers who are ambitious for our students and can help them to raise their aspirations.

The successful candidate will:

- Join a dedicated team of professionals who are supportive, passionate and driven by raising standards.
- Lead a vibrant French department focused upon enabling success for students of all abilities by establishing and sharing best practice and implementing innovative learning tools.
- Have a fantastic opportunity to take advantage of outstanding modern facilities.
- Work in a learning environment where cutting-edge developments in teaching practice are continuously being utilised.
- Have to meet the job description/person specification and will be required to apply for a DBS disclosure.

Candidates must be eligible to live and work in the UK.

Training and development opportunities will be offered. All staff are encouraged to study further and the trust will actively support staff to obtain relevant further qualifications where possible.

Tove Learning Trust is a fast moving and exciting place to work. The trust schools have a shared vision and purpose: to deliver outstanding educational experiences that lead to inspiring outcomes. Each academy has a strong individual identity and tailors their educational provision to serve their local community. Academies within the trust collaborate to share expertise and maximise opportunities and experiences for our students.

The Trustees of Tove Learning Trust are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, young people and vulnerable adults and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

How to apply

All documents including the full job description and application form are available on our website www.solihull.graceacademy.org.uk Please ensure your application form and covering letter includes examples of your experience and how you meet the criteria outlined in the job description. Further information requests or completed applications should be sent to:

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Closing date: 12 noon on 13th May 2022