



St. OSCAR ROMERO CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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Dear Applicant

Teacher of Science (Chemistry preferred but not essential) for September 2021

Thank you for requesting an application pack for the above vacancy. I do hope that the information enclosed will help you in your decision about applying for the post. St Oscar Romero Catholic School is a successful, over-subscribed school, high-achieving school, enjoying a strong reputation within the local and Catholic communities. There are currently 800 students on roll (rising to 860 in September 2021)) and we have waiting lists in all year groups.

The Governing Body will only appoint leaders who have a passion for teaching and learning, who are willing to share ideas and to contribute to the further development of the school and enjoy their job. We believe in "learning together" and there is a great emphasis placed on relationships and respect within our community. We have an extremely strong code of conduct, standards of behaviour are outstanding and our students enjoy learning. The appointment is subject to an enhanced DBS check and Health check and verified professional references.

The Science Department is a creative and energetic team, who are always looking for new ways to deliver the curriculum that excite, stretch and provoke curiosity in our students. Their excellent results are evidence of their deep commitment to our students. We are seeking to recruit a new member of the Science team that will bring spark, energy and empathy to the department. Please read the job profile and person specification included in the pack, which should give you more of an idea of the person we are seeking and what the job entails.

We are a strong Catholic community in which every member of staff makes a contribution to the spiritual and moral life of the school. We do this as role models in our relationships with students and in the way in which we work together. If you decide to apply for the post you should be confident that you are able to support the Catholic ethos and principles of St Oscar Romero Catholic School.

HOW TO APPLY

- 1 Complete the enclosed application form giving names of two **professional** referees (one of whom should be your current or most recent headteacher if applicable). **Please do not use an application form from elsewhere.**
- 2 Please ensure you complete your entire job history on the application form with no gaps in employment, even if you enclose a CV. Please explain any gaps in employment.
- 3 You are also asked to include a supporting letter outlining your relevant experiences for the post and how you would see yourself developing the role.
- 4 Send your application by email to sbm@chathigh.co.uk

The closing date for applications is Wednesday, 5th May 2021 at 12pm. Interview date Wednesday, 12th May 2021.

I look forward to receiving your application.

Yours sincerely

Mr P Byrne
Headteacher