

April 2016

Dear Applicant,

## Re: Head of Social Sciences and Business

Thank you for sending for details for the post of Head of Social Sciences. This is an exciting opportunity for a Business Studies or Economics specialist who is an ambitious, talented teacher. An outstanding classroom practitioner, with excellent interpersonal skills, the successful candidate will lead the Social Sciences Faculty, as well as Business Studies Department.

You will join the school at an exciting time. With a successful OFSTED 'Good' judgment comfortably secured in late November 2014, we are now pushing towards 'outstanding' status, with all of the excitement of setting and achieving the highest standards on a daily basis.

Rainhill is a very stable school. We are significantly oversubscribed and will be expanding the admission number for Year 7 from September 2017. Our partnership with Liverpool FC, the largest and most academically successful in the Premier league, gives us unique opportunities. Plans are afoot for a new Sixth Form block.

Find enclosed the following to help you with your application

- School Prospectus & School Magazine
- Social Sciences Faculty Description
- Job Description and Person Specification for teachers
- Person Specification for Head of Social Sciences
- Application Form

The dates for recruitment process are:

- Deadline for applications **9am** on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2016
- Interviews will take place on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2016

Please complete the Application form together with a letter of application (maximum 2 x A4) outlining 'How your career to date has prepared you for this post' and return it to me. All posts are subject to rigorous vetting and barring procedures.

Please do not hesitate to contact me, if you have any queries about this post. I will be delighted to help you.

I thank you in anticipation for your time and effort in preparing your Application form and I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely

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Headteacher