

HEADTEACHER VACANCY

- **The post will be with effect from 01 September 2025**
- **Deadline for Application:** 24 February 2025
- **Remuneration:** Competitive Salary and Teachers' Pension scheme

The Governors of Bishop Wordsworth's School are seeking an exceptional individual to join our school community as Headteacher. This is a unique opportunity for an inspirational leader to shape the future of a high-performing and well-respected school with a strong sense of community and tradition.

The ideal candidate will:

- Be an inspirational and dynamic leader, empowering students and staff to excel;
- Demonstrate a strong sense of moral purpose, ethical principles, and values, leading by example;
- Be committed to fostering diversity and equality across the school;
- Prioritise wellbeing, promoting resilience and good mental health for staff and students alike;
- Hold a deep appreciation for knowledge and a love of learning;
- Value the school's holistic curriculum, recognizing the importance of a broad range of co-curricular opportunities;
- Have a passion for developing outstanding Teaching and Learning;
- Possess exceptional leadership skills, with the ability to articulate and implement the school's vision;
- Have proven experience in implementing effective change;
- Build highly effective relationships with all stakeholders, demonstrating exceptional interpersonal skills;
- Show strategic leadership capabilities, including financial acumen and the ability to maximize opportunities for the school.

In return, we offer:

- A highly successful, happy school with a distinctive ethos and a deep connection to the community it serves;
- A productive learning environment, strong academic performance, and the capacity for further improvement;
- Dedicated, talented, and enthusiastic staff who embody and uphold the school's values;
- A committed and experienced Senior Leadership Team;
- Motivated students who actively engage in their learning and the wider life of the school;
- Supportive and dynamic Governors who provide strategic guidance and constructive challenge.

The Governors are fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The successful candidate will be subject to an Enhanced DBS check, a Section 128 Management check, and other relevant pre-employment checks, including satisfactory references.

How to Apply:

- Further details and an application pack are available on the school's website. Please send your completed application form and covering letter to Mrs. A. Lloyd-Gilmour, HR Manager, via email at alg@bishopwordsworths.org.uk.
- If you do not hear by 10 March 2025, please assume you have not been successful on this occasion.
- We kindly advise that previous applicants will not be considered for this role.
- We look forward to receiving your application and thank you for your interest in this exciting opportunity.