



HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL
Company No: 07696905
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Deputy Headteacher

Salary: L10-L14

Contract type: Full Time (0.4 teaching role)

Contract term: Permanent

Start date: 01.09.2025

Holy Cross is a well-established, successful and happy two-form entry school in the centre of Swindon. The Governing Board of the school wish to invite applications from practising Catholics with successful senior leadership experience for the post of Deputy Headteacher.

Our Deputy Headteacher should be dedicated and passionate for every child to reach their potential in order that they become the change makers and leaders of the future. As Deputy Headteacher, you will work alongside our Headteacher to provide vision, strategic direction and leadership to build on our many strengths and lead our school into the future.

Holy Cross was judged to be Good by Ofsted at its last inspection in July 2023 and Good in the Catholic School Inspection in November 2022.

We are looking for a strong, dynamic and inspirational leader who is:

- A practising Catholic, committed to the values of Catholic education, with senior leadership experience in a Catholic school.
- A passionate, experienced and ambitious educator, with the vision to articulate clearly the role that he or she will take in further developing our Catholic school.
- A highly effective teacher and leader of learning, with experience of delivering a broad, rich and varied curriculum that meets the needs of every unique child.
- Committed to team working and the development of all of our staff team.

In return we can offer:

- Children who are committed, enthusiastic and fully engaged in their learning.
- Friendly and professional colleagues and active Governors.
- Parents who take an interest in their child's development
- Excellent opportunities for further professional development.
- Strong support from Parents, Governors and the Catholic community.
- Support from both Clifton Diocese and Swindon Local Authority
- A developing relationship with the Little Way Catholic Educational Trust in line with the Bishop's vision for his schools.

Commitment to safeguarding

Holy Cross Catholic Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of all its children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. This post is subject to an enhanced DBS check along with an online search in line with KCSIE.

Applying for the job

Visits to the School are encouraged and warmly welcomed. If you think this exciting opportunity is for you, the Governors look forward to meeting you and receiving your application.



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Closing Date for Applications: Friday, 25th April 2025

Interview Date: Friday, 2nd May 2025