

Examinations Invigilator Job Description



Job Title: Examinations Invigilator

Responsible to: Examinations Officer

Grade: 3

Role purpose: To support students to engage with their studies through academic and emotional support. The post holder

To work as part of the Examination Team to ensure the correct running of external examinations.

Roles and Responsibilities:

- 1. Reporting to the Examinations Office at least 30 minutes before the examination is due to start and collect the regulations, necessary papers and candidate name cards.
- 2. Preparing the examination room, including laying out the candidate name cards according to the Examination Officers guidance.
- 3. Supervising areas in close proximity to the examination room(s) and admitting the candidates into the room in a quiet orderly way.
- **4.** Registering the candidates present in the room and following up any absence.
- **5.** Conducting the examination in accordance with Joint Council requirements.
- **6.** Being constantly vigilant when the examination is running (do not undertake any other task as this would be a distraction).
- **7.** Assisting with the collection of examination papers and the clearance of the room at the end of the examination, including the dismissal of pupils/students in a quiet orderly way.
- 8. Assisting with the supervision of pupils/students between examinations or preparing for oral examinations.

Decisions Made

The majority of decisions expected of this post are taken within established procedures, practices and routines. The post holder is expected to deal with variations from the accepted pattern, missing documentation or other unusual aspects and, if appropriate, bring the matter to the attention of the staff.

The post holder is expected to recommend procedures and routines in order to establish consistency, where appropriate liaising with the Examinations Officer and Administrator.

Health and Safety

- **1.** Ensure that Health and Safety regulations and risk assessments are complied with.
- 2. Ensure that school policies and departmental procedures are followed, for example, Safeguarding, Data Protection and e-safety.
- 3. Confidentiality must always be observed and complied with at all times.

Other

The postholder will be expected to have a good knowledge of the school's policies and procedures.

This job description sets out the main duties associated with the stated purpose of the post. It is assumed that other duties of a similar level/nature undertaken within the section are not excluded because they are not itemized.

The duties of this post could vary from time to time as a result of new legislation; changes in technology or policy and will be reviewed in a year. In the case that duties change appropriate training may be given to enable the post holder to undertake this new/varied work.

Working Arrangements

The actual timing of the hours will vary each academic year depending on the examination timetables. Examinations are usually scheduled in January, February, May and June. It is expected that the post holder would be available to work in the morning from 8.30am to 12.30pm and in the afternoons 1pm to 4.30pm. A minimum of 2 hours will be paid for each session worked.

A mandatory, annual training session will be held in October which is a requirement of the Joint Council for Qualifications (JCQ)