



# EWELL CASTLE SCHOOL

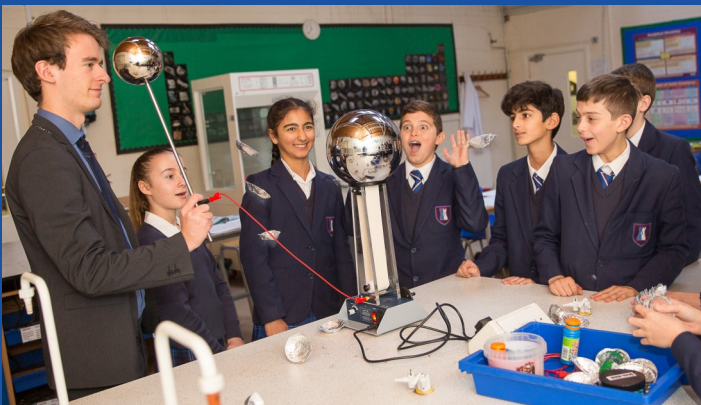
Where Children Thrive



Independent Co-Educational Day School  
for Boys and Girls aged 3 to 18 years

## Teacher of Chemistry or Physics

- Job Title:** Teacher of Chemistry or Physics
- Job Location:** Ewell Castle Senior School
- Reporting to:** Head of Science
- Start Date:** September 2024
- Salary:** Ewell Castle Teacher pay scale plus Pension Scheme + benefits



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## Job Description: Teacher (Senior School)



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### Academic Responsibilities

- Teaching as directed by the appropriate Head of Department
- To contribute to the well being of relevant departments/area of school in which the teacher operates, participating in the development of appropriate syllabi, materials and schemes of work.
- To support departmental meetings as directed by Head of Department.

### 2. Additional Subject Specific Responsibilities

- To supervise the use and care of any room allocated to the teacher
- To supervise the use and care of any teaching materials and equipment for which given responsibility by the Head of Department.
- To participate in in-service training as deemed appropriate for professional development

### 3. Duties/Pastoral Responsibilities

- a) To undertake such duties as deemed necessary by the Deputy Head (Pupil Wellbeing). These might include:
  - Form Tutor
  - House Tutor
  - Staff supervisory roles
- b) To promote and safeguard the welfare of children and young people for who you are responsible and with whom you come into contact

### 4. Co Curricular

- To make a regular and valued contribution to the co-curricular life of the school.

### 5. General

- To support School Functions as directed by the Principal.
- To participate in appropriate meetings with colleagues, parents etc. relative to the above responsibilities and duties.
- To adhere at all times to Safeguarding and Child Protection regulations, and training.
- To undertake appropriate professional development, incl. membership of appropriate professional associations and network groups.
- To engage in the school's procedures regarding appraisal.
- To be aware and adhere at all times to the school code of conduct and confidentiality.
- To undertake such other responsibilities as may be reasonable and required from time to time within the overall scope of the post.

This job description will be reviewed as and when necessary in accordance with the needs of the School.



## Teacher of Chemistry or Physics—Further Details

*Ewell Castle is a thriving, independent school located in leafy Ewell Village. The school is co-educational from Nursery to Sixth Form and enjoys small classes, averaging approximately fifteen pupils over the whole School. Ewell Castle has an excellent reputation for its family-friendly ethos, with a strong focus on pupil wellbeing and personalised learning. The School has a vibrant community spirit including regular events for staff, parents and friends of the School. Ewell Castle is a genuine mixed ability school with a focus on achieving each individual child's potential.*

We are seeking to appoint a suitably experienced and enthusiastic Teacher of Chemistry or Physics to join a highly successful and established department, to teach mainly across the 11-18 age range.

In Years 7-8 Science, we broadly follow the Activate Science schemes of work, however there is some scope for individual teachers to adapt the schemes of work. Our departmental/school assessment policy also reflects National Curriculum Assessment Levels. Class sizes average up to 20 across the school.

In Year 9, students start the Science GCSE AQA Trilogy Course. They are assessed at the end of the year and students who demonstrate excellent subject knowledge progress onto the separate science courses in Year 10. The remaining students continue with the combined science course. At A level, we follow the OCR A syllabus. Sciences are a popular choice at A Level for Ewell Castle pupils.

The Science department enjoys 6 well-resourced laboratories including interactive smart boards. Currently the department consists of seven full time members of teaching staff and two experienced Science Technicians.

We run a weekly STEM club and Science co-curricular activities are popular. The Science Department takes a lead role in running the School's STEM week which coincides with the British Science Week.

Click here to watch our video and learn more about us:

[‘Welcome to Ewell Castle School’](#)





## **Why join us?**

- Children of members of staff benefit by a 50% maximum (i.e. unaffected by scholarship or bursary) remission of school fees. (The remission is reduced pro rata for a part-time member of staff.)
- Lunches are provided during term time, free of charge.
- Appropriate Pension scheme with generous employer contribution.
- Interest free loans are available for the purchase of computers through the school.
- Ride to work
- CPD opportunities are available to all staff. The School also part funds MQSL, NPQSL, NPQH and MA courses.

**Ewell Castle School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and applicants must be willing to undergo child protection screening appropriate to the post, including checks with past employers and the Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS). Staff recruitment is also subject to the School's 'Equal Opportunities' policy and monitoring procedure.**

***Applicants invited for interview will be required to bring proof of identity e.g. passport, and qualifications to interview. Please note that we reserve the right to appoint before the closing date.***





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