



VICE PRINCIPAL VACANCY
REQUIRED FOR SEPTEMBER 2019
LEADERSHIP SCALE 19 – 22

In partnership with the Archdiocese of Birmingham, the Lumen Christi Board of Directors and Local Academy Committee of St Thomas Aquinas Catholic School are seeking to appoint a practising Catholic to the role of Vice Principal for September 2019.

St Thomas Aquinas is a large, thriving and oversubscribed Catholic comprehensive school in the south of Birmingham. It is a place where staff and students from all faiths live out the school mission. In November 2018 the school was judged to be 'Good' by OFSTED. Along with five local primary schools, it is part of growing Catholic Multi Academy.

Following significant changes to whole school routines, behaviour systems and the adoption of a knowledge-based curriculum, a rare opportunity has arisen to join a strong and established Senior Leadership Team.

The job description of the person appointed will match their strengths and experience in the context of the needs of the school. Experience of *some* of the following areas would be an advantage; having led or taken part in leading Catholic Life in a Catholic School, raising standards, post 16 and safeguarding.

The person appointed will have an excellent track record of achievement and innovation throughout their successful teaching career. They will be faith-filled and bring energy, integrity and drive – wanting to make a difference in a rapidly improving school – and undoubtedly be a prime candidate for headship within 3-5 years.

This is a wonderful opportunity for the right candidate to make a huge contribution in a major Catholic comprehensive school.

Prospective candidates are encouraged to arrange to visit the school and informally meet the Principal.

The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff to share this commitment. An enhanced DBS check is required for all successful candidates.

Closing date for applications is 9am on Wednesday 15th May 2019.

Interviews will take place on Wednesday 22nd and Thursday 23rd May 2019.

For further details please visit www.stacs.org and contact:

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