

## **JOB PACK**

Languages teacher: Turkish with Spanish or Latin

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Headteacher: Annie Gammon Stoke Newington School & Sixth Form Clissold Road N16 9EX

Dear Applicant,

Thank you for applying for a pack for the post of Languages teacher at Stoke Newington School and Sixth Form.

I am pleased to enclose a prospectus, some school publications and a faculty description. This is an exciting time to be working with us. We have an oversubscribed school, a diverse and enthusiastic student intake, a Languages team well placed to continue to build on its current outstanding status, a lovely refurbished building and a senior leadership team who will support you fully in further raising achievement across every Key Stage.

This is a key post for the school. You will be one of a strong team of teachers who are keen to develop consistently outstanding practice in teaching our diverse student intake. We expect you to be able and keen to teach Turkish across our full age range in Year 7 to Year 11, and either Spanish or Latin. Whatever age group you are teaching we will expect you to be planning thoroughly for the engagement and progress of every student and to be promoting the enjoyment of Languages.

You must have excellent interpersonal skills, a strong team ethic, drive, determination and energy and the highest expectations of every student. You must be committed to excellent provision for our students in terms of classwork, homework and additional catchup/enrichment classes.

We welcome applications from all colleagues. We are particularly keen to have applications from colleagues belonging to ethnic minority groups which are represented amongst our students.

I look forward to meeting you and showing you round the school. Please do contact us for a visit to the school in advance of applying or in advance of the interviews.

Please call Ioannis Mitrokotsas on 020 7461 9678 for any more details.

Best wishes,

Annie Gammon

Headteacher





















# Languages teacher: Turkish with Spanish or Latin Full time or 0.8fte

(you must be able to teach up to GCSE Turkish, and Spanish or Latin to KS3 level, preferably GCSE level)

# Required for September 2018 Salary Inner London Spine

### The School

This is an exciting opportunity to contribute to the development of a successful and popular 11-19 inner-city comprehensive school. The School is committed to promoting engaging teaching which ensures all students learn and progress. We aim that every colleague has excellent professional development which leads to every student having an outstanding education.

#### The Post

You will be teaching in an outstanding languages team which ensure great achievements for our students. You must be able to teach classes from our Year 7 students up to Year 11. You will be supported throughout by a strong faculty and by a leadership team who are ambitious for every student's and every staff member's success.

#### You

We will expect you to be passionate about teaching languages to all our students. You will want the very best for and from every student and from yourself. You will need to be well qualified in your specialist languages and be ambitious for your future career. We expect you to be creative and dynamic in the classroom and a reflective practitioner who constantly looks to improve your own practice.

We provide very well regarded professional development opportunities for all staff, including NQTs.

### Contacting us

If you are interested in joining us, or would like to see the school, then please contact us on <a href="mailto:recruitment@sns.hackney.sch.uk">recruitment@sns.hackney.sch.uk</a> for further information and application forms. You can also visit our website at <a href="mailto:www.sns.hackney.sch.uk">www.sns.hackney.sch.uk</a> and download an application pack

The closing date for receipt of applications is Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 12 noon. Interviews will be later that week.

We are an equal opportunities employer committed to ensuring diversity in our workforce.

### Job description



### STOKE NEWINGTON SCHOOL AND SIXTH FORM, CLISSOLD ROAD, LONDON, N16 9EX

**TITLE OF POST:** Teacher of Turkish and one other language

**ALLOWANCE:** CPS

### **FUNCTION OF THE POST:**

To teach Turkish including GCSE and A-level across the full age range, and one other language (Spanish or Latin). Other subjects may also be taught as identified by the headteacher.

To contribute to the planning, monitoring and curriculum developments in the Modern Languages department for years 7-13.

### MAIN TASKS AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- 1. To teach high quality lessons at all times and maintain a stimulating learning environment.
- 2. To implement the National Curriculum for Modern Languages across the age range.
- 3. To keep clear records in accordance with department policy, and to assess, monitor and report on individual pupils' work.
- 4. To help with the smooth running of the department by undertaking administrative tasks as requested and directed by the head of department.
- 5. To contribute positively to all school events aimed at raising achievement of Turkish students.
- 6. To be a form tutor or associate tutor.
- 7. To attend parents' evenings.
- 8. To attend school meetings as directed the department or by the headteacher.

9. To carry out all responsibilities in accordance with the school's and the Authority's equal opportunities policies.

#### **SELECTION CRITERIA:**

### Skills & Abilities:

- 1. Ability to work hard under pressure.
- 2. Ability to use I.T. effectively.
- 3. Good communication and organisational skills.
- 4. Good interpersonal skills and the ability to work collaboratively.
- 5. Excellent creative teaching ability.
- 6. Commitment to personal career development.
- 7. Ability to organise whole school/year-based activities.

### Knowledge and Understanding:

Knowledge and understanding of the recent developments in the National Curriculum for Modern Languages.

Understanding of developing differentiated Schemes of Work within a mixed ability context.

Knowledge of strategies for supporting teachers and improving teaching and learning.

### **Equal Opportunities:**

- 1. Understanding of the different social backgrounds of students.
- 2. Understanding of the needs of different students, and the appropriate policies and strategies to support them.
- 3. Understanding of the needs of bilingual students.
- 4. Commitment to highest possible standards.

### **Experience:**

Experience of teaching Turkish to students of all abilities up to A level standard.

Experience of teaching Spanish or Latin

### Qualifications:

Qualified teacher status.