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Applicant information – Geography

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We are a newly formed faculty consisting of four subject areas History, Geography, Re and MFL. We are entering an exciting part of our development and are expanding our team due to rising pupil numbers in the EBACC area.

Geography is taught twice a week to Year 7 and 8, once a week to Year 9 and twice a week to Year 10 and 11. The successful applicant will teach all year groups.

In Year 7 we study map skills, The United Kingdom, population, ecosystems, development, Newly Emerging Economies (NEEs), rivers and the Middle East. In Year 8 we study tectonics, urbanisation, energy and resources, climate change, glaciation, limestone, Africa and Russia.

At GCSE we study AQA Specification:

Unit 1 - Living with the physical environment

This covers Natural Hazards (tectonic hazards, weather hazards, climate change), Ecosystems (including tropical rainforests and hot deserts) and Coasts & Rivers.

Unit 2 - Challenges in the human environment

This covers Urban Issues and Challenges (including UK city study and a megacity NEE or LIC study), Changing Economic World (including UK study and a NEE or LIC study) and Resource Management (including food, energy and water).

Unit 3 - Geographical Applications

This covers Fieldwork enquiries and an Issue Evaluation, which contains a decision making exercise based on a pre-release resources booklet made available 12 weeks before the Unit 3 exam.

Other information

The successful applicant will be given the opportunity to lead curriculum planning and given support from the faculty leadership in all aspects of their practice. There may also be the opportunity to teach BTEC Travel and Tourism and lead curriculum development for this subject.



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We would say that if you are thinking of applying to work in our faculty, you will be supported by a leadership who will listen to you, give you advice to develop your practice and make you feel valued. We are excited to improve our faculty even further and you can help us do that.

We welcome applicants from NQTS and those looking who may be looking for a new opportunity with us at Baldon.

If you would like more information please contact alex.stonehouse@boldonschool.org.uk

Best wishes

Miss A Stonehouse – Faculty Leader for EBACC

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