

## RIPON GRAMMAR SCHOOL - Part time Teacher of Business (at KS5) 0.4 fte

[with the opportunity to make the post full time if able to teach up to GCSE mathematics (as a minimum), or ICT to KS3-4 (non-examined) – see separate adverts for these posts]

Ripon Grammar School is seeking to appoint a part time teacher of A Level Business to provide additional teaching within the growing Business and Economics department; an ability to offer Economics would be welcome.

## **Business**

It has been established as a popular and highly successful subject within the Sixth Form curriculum. The role would entail teaching A Level Business with approximately 30 students opting to study this course next year.

Currently the Economics and Business department consists of a Head of department (Mr Demir) and a part time colleague (Mrs Southwell) who between them share the teaching of Economics and Business.

The department currently offers AS and A-level Business (AQA, 7131 & 7132) and AS and A-level Economics (AQA, 7135 &7136). All students are issued with up-to-date textbooks approved by AQA. Pupils are encouraged to work beyond the curriculum and engage with current affairs. Many pupils participate in the Young Enterprise competition. There is a pupil-led Economics Society which meets to debate topical issues. An enthusiastic approach to assisting with and fostering such enrichment activities will be advantageous.

The department achieves good results in public examinations.

In 2016/17 the students achieved:

100% A-level Business at A\*-C and 45% at A\*-B

92% AS-level Business at A-C and 62% at A-B

95% A-level Economics A\*-B and 58% at A\*-A

97% AS-level Economics A-C and 78% at A\*-B