LOWTHER HALL

Lowther Hall is an inclusive school for girls from Kindergarten to Year 12, committed to excellence for all. Situated in Essendon, it is the only Anglican independent school for girls in the area. The School has an enrolment of 900, a size which enables each girl to be known as an individual. Lowther Hall is a learning community in which staff and students work together to achieve the shared goal of educating the whole girl for the whole of life.

POSITION OVERVIEW

This leadership position is combined with a teaching load of approximately 0.8 FTE.

The Head of the Mathematics Faculty will be a dynamic educator with experience in staff leadership. We seek a reflective practitioner who is committed to their own learning and professional development.

In 2023 the Head of Faculty will work with external Mathematics consultants to develop the Mathematics pedagogy and curriculum of Senior School as well as advancing the strategic priorities as established by the School. They will provide leadership and direction for the Faculty, ensuring that the programs are managed and developed effectively and that staff are delivering the highest possible quality of teaching to bring about academic growth.

At the end of 2023, a decision will be made about any further work with consultants

SELECTION CRITERIA

Applicants should provide a statement of no more than 300 words which outlines the ways in which they fulfil the following criteria:

1. Appropriate qualifications as a Secondary School Mathematics Teacher (post graduate qualifications in curriculum, pedagogy or leadership are an advantage)
2. A proven record as an outstanding classroom practitioner with at least 5 years’ experience
3. A proven capacity to develop and evaluate curriculum
4. Experience in leading teams of staff
5. Strong organisational and communication skills
6. A proven ability to develop productive relationships with students, staff and parents
7. An understanding of the Lowther Hall context and requirements for ensuring child safety
ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

1. Current VIT registration
2. Current Level 2 First Aid and CPR Certificate – with a commitment to on-going training
3. Current anaphylaxis management certification
4. Current asthma management certification
5. Willingness to undertake a National Criminal History Record Check upon appointment
6. Willingness to participate in psychometric testing

APPLICATIONS

Applicants for this position, Senior School Head of Mathematics, should include in their application in no more than 300 words the following information:

1. Full name
2. Residential/Postal address, email and phone contact details
3. Religious affiliation (optional)
4. Evidence of educational qualifications
5. Previous work history
6. A statement of no more than 300 words addressing the selection criteria
7. A copy of your current VIT registration card
8. Evidence of current level 2 First Aid and CPR Certificate, Asthma and Anaphylaxis training or the willingness to undertake such qualifications prior to commencing
9. The names, addresses and telephone numbers of three professional referees from whom confidential information may be sought.
10. Confirmation of willingness to undertake psychometric testing

If you are interested in this role please request the detailed position description by emailing employment@lowtherhall.vic.edu.au.

Applications close: 9.00am Monday 5 September 2022
Applications should be forwarded to: employment@lowtherhall.vic.edu.au