**Assistant Headteacher Practitioner/Head - Geography**

**Required from September 2018, or sooner**

**L12-16 or TLR 1.1**

Following on from the OFSTED inspection of November 2017 the Governors and the Headteacher have signaled their determination to move the school rapidly forward by appointing new, permanent Assistant Headteachers.

We are looking to recruit a forward-thinking professional Geographer as Assistant Headteacher/Head of Geography who also aspires to be a member of a strong Leadership team whose focus is on teaching and learning.

To be successful, you will be a qualified teacher who is able to teach across the age and ability range. With a sound commitment to high levels of achievement for all pupils, you’ll bring enthusiasm and imagination to learning. The Geography department is very strong and has a consistent record of producing outstanding exam results.

Working collaboratively in a senior leadership role, your focus will be on improving learning. You will be close to the classroom and, as such, you will play a key role in developing staff but not be afraid to tackle underachievement.

By negotiation, a specific focus area will also be determined from the following areas:

* Marking and assessment
* The use of data to raise expectations
* Provision for the most able and more able
* Differentiation and planning
* Intervention and narrowing the gap

**Further details of the post are available from the school**[**website**](http://www.mcauley.org.uk/index.php/home2-build/public-vacancies)**.  For application forms and to visit the school please contact Kate Leggott on 01302 537396 ext 101 or email** [kleggott@mcauley.org.uk](mailto:kleggott@mcauley.org.uk)

**Closing date: Noon, Wednesday 16th May 2018.**

**Shortlisting: Wednesday, 16th May 2018.**

**Selection: w/c 21st May 2018.**