

# Vacancy Information Pack

School Name:	Mullion School
Job Title:	Science Technician

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Job Title:	Science Technician
Pay Point / Pay Range:	TPAT Point 5
Full Time Equivalent Annual Salary:	£22,453 (if paid over 52 weeks) pro rata
Actual Annual Salary for this Role:	£19,313.28  (an additional recruitment allowance of up to £1200 per year may be available to a suitably qualified candidate by negotiation)
Contract Type:	Permanent
Hours Per Week / Weeks Per Year	Hours – 37 hours per week  Working Weeks – 39 working weeks  Paid Weeks – 44.849 paid weeks
Closing Date:	12 midnight on Friday 12 April 2024
Proposed Shortlisting Date:	TBC
Proposed Interview Date:	TBC

An exciting opportunity has arisen to join our very successful school and play a crucial role in the management and development of our Science Department. We are seeking a motivated candidate with experience of working in science related environments, who can take a lead role in organising and maintaining equipment and can support teachers in the department in delivering high quality lessons and practical work for students. We seek a candidate with a strong work ethic, good attention to detail and with the flexibility and willingness to embrace new challenges that are essential attributes in a school

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environment. The successful candidate will be able to integrate seamlessly into our team and take a proactive and positive approach to their work and role.

The successful candidate will have a strong range of science and practical skills and will be given full support and appropriate training. A good understanding of relevant health and safety procedures and practices is an essential element of the role.

This is an exciting time to join Mullion School. Our staff are a vital resource and the successful candidate will have our full support in their ongoing career development.

To find out more about [insert school name], please visit:	www.mullionschool.org.uk
To discuss this position please contact the Headteacher:	Email – mdunleavy@mullion.tpacademytrust.org Telephone – 01326 240098
Application packs can be downloaded from:	www.tpacademytrust.org/web/application pack/604811
Please email your completed application form and equality & diversity monitoring form by the closing date to:	Sue Bennett sbennett@mullion.tpacademytrust.org

Please note that successful candidates will be informed via email.

The Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff, workers, volunteers, governors and trustees to share this commitment. All successful applicants will be subject to appropriate pre-employment checks and will be required to complete a Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) Enhanced Check, a Safeguarding Self-Declaration Form and satisfactory online searches undertaken.

School Information for Applicants		
School Address:	Meaver Road, Mullion, Helston, Cornwall, TR12 7EB	
School Telephone Number:	01326 240098	
School Email Address:	enquiries@mullion.tpacademytrust.org	
Name of Headteacher:	Mrs Michelle Dunleavy	
Website Address:	www.mullionschool.org.uk	

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#### **Welcome to Our School**

This information pack will provide you with an insight into our school and offer some practical information which will be of use to you as a prospective member of our school community.

Our School enjoys working collaboratively with our partner schools within Truro and Penwith Academy Trust.

We welcome visitors as this is the best way to see our lovely school, experience our creative and captivating curriculum and meet our motivated and engaged children. Please phone the school telephone number provided if you would like to arrange to look around.

## **General Background**

Mullion School is located on the outskirts of Mullion Village. We are an 11-16 school with 555 students on role. Our student community spans the Lizard Peninsula with a large number of students travelling to school by bus each day. We serve arguably one of the most beautiful and unique areas of the country. Mullion School is ambitious, creative and inclusive; our students consistently achieve academic excellence. We encourage all students to take an active role in the school, through leadership opportunities, sport, performing arts and enrichment opportunities. The school is a vibrant supportive community and our students are a pleasure to teach and work with every day. Relationships are important to us at Mullion School and you would be joining a strong collaborative team of staff who are passionate about Mullion School. It is an exciting time for the school as we have recently joined Truro and Penwith Academy Trust, who have a clear vision for collaboration and school improvement.

## **Class Organisation**

For more information about our class organisation, please see our website: www.mullionschool.org.uk

# **Staff Organisation**

For more details about our staff organisation, please see our website: www.mullionschool.org.uk

#### **Our Curriculum**

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### **Safeguarding**

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TPAT is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff, workers, volunteers, governors and trustees to share this commitment.

Shortlisted candidates will be required to complete a Safeguarding Self-Declaration Form as part of their application. We will also carry out online searches as part of our due diligence on the shortlisted candidates, as updated in the Keeping Children Safe in Education recommendations. This may help identify any incidents or issues that have happened, and are publicly available online, which the School or Trust might want to explore with the candidate at interview.

Successful candidates will be required to complete a Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) application and Health Assessment form as part of their pre-employment administration. The amendments to the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exceptions) Order 1975 (2013 and 2020) provide that when applying for certain jobs and activities, certain convictions and cautions are considered 'protected'. This means that they do not need to be disclosed to employers, and if they are disclosed, employers cannot take them into account.

#### **Application Information**

We hope that you find this pack provides all of the information you need in order to consider your application for the post. Should you have any questions or matters you would like to discuss informally, or to arrange a visit, please contact:

Contact Name: Sue Bennett

Contact Email Address: sbennett@mullion.tpacademytrust.org

Contact Telephone Number: 01326 240098

Please note that CVs will not be accepted.

Application packs can be downloaded from: www.tpacademytrust.org/web/application\_pack/604811

Closing Date: 12 midnight on Friday 12 April 2024

Completed applications must be returned to the email address above and be received by 12 Midnight on the closing date provided.

Interview Date(s): TBC

To ensure the fairness of the selection process, shortlisting will be based upon information which you provide in your application, and assumptions will not be made about your experience or skills. We will look for demonstrable evidence that you meet the criteria set out in the person specification.

If we have not contacted you within 14 days of the closing date, it is unlikely that you have been shortlisted on this occasion. Many thanks for your interest in this post.

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