



# Royal Grammar School Newcastle upon Tyne

## **SCHOOL STAFF INSTRUCTOR (SSI) & HEAD OF OUTDOOR EDUCATION** Required from December 2023

We are seeking to appoint an inspiring and motivated person who can lead significant aspects of both our Combined Cadet Force (CCF) and wide variety of Outdoor Education programmes and activities. You will engage with our fantastic students in all aspects of the role and will be both a role model and an advocate for them.

Owing to the impending retirement of our current SSI, this role comes at an exciting time for our school. We are currently running a cohort of nearly 200 cadets (which is growing each year) across the Royal Navy, Army and Royal Air Force Sections. Most of our school also take part in Outdoor Education in some form, most notably, our DofE Award programmes (Silver and Gold), and our Junior and Senior School residential trips. We are looking for an experienced, enthusiastic, and proactive person with a love of the outdoors. You will have a track record of inspiring young people and be able to further develop the high quality and extensive provision we have in place. You will be a forward thinking and innovative practitioner who also values our rich history, tradition, and ethos.

**Working hours:** Normal working hours for a full-time member of the support staff are 37.5 per week. However, given the nature of the role and how it is structured around our academic commitments, a significant number of activities will take place during lunchtimes, after school (e.g., weekly CCF parade, 4.30pm until 6.30pm every Friday) and at weekends, as required. The successful candidate will be expected to work according to the school's activities calendar and flexibility will be expected around start/finish times. Further details are included in the Job Information pack.

**Salary:** The salary for this role is c £29 - £32k gross per annum and includes all after school working, weekend working and attendance on trips/camps.

RGS is proud to be an equal opportunities employer and all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment regardless of age, disability, sex, gender reassignment, sexual orientation, pregnancy and maternity, race, religion or belief and marriage and civil partnerships. Whilst all applications are considered on merit, we would particularly welcome applications from black and minority ethnic candidates who are currently under-represented in our staff community.

We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and we expect all staff to share this commitment. All posts are subject to pre-employment checks, pre-interview references and an enhanced DBS check.

### **CLOSING DATE**

9.00am Monday 11<sup>th</sup> September 2023

### **TO APPLY**

For full details and an application form please see our website:  
[www.rgs.newcastle.sch.uk/join-us/work-for-us](http://www.rgs.newcastle.sch.uk/join-us/work-for-us)

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