

## Merchant Taylors' Girls' School, Liverpool Head of Sixth Form For September 2019

The Sixth Form at Merchant Taylors' Girls' School (MTGS) is a dynamic and exciting time of change for young people within the Merchant Taylors' Community. Alongside our current pupils, additional girls join us within the Sixth Form which allows all pupils to experience cultural diversity, learn from each other and forge lifelong friendships. This is an exciting opportunity for a skilled pastoral leader to develop and steer the Sixth Form at MTGS. We are seeking to appoint an energetic and engaging individual who is committed to delivering exceptional teaching and learning and support the well-being of our Sixth Form pupils to enable them to achieve their full potential.

We tailor learning to each individual's needs and our Sixth Form team is always on hand to provide advice and support, both before pupils join MTGS and throughout their time with us. We offer an extensive range of courses and combinations in A level and other qualifications with associated UCAS points and the Extended Project Qualification. Some subjects such as Classics and Economics are jointly taught across the boys' and girls' senior schools.

Sixth Formers are supported in developing essential skills for independent study to enable them to develop as lifelong learners. Our PSHE programme further consolidates this by helping the girls to develop their study skills and exam techniques. We also welcome visiting guest speakers and former pupils each year and run the Harrison Society for enrichment. Participation in academic competitions and Olympiads is also encouraged. Sixth Formers are prepared for life beyond MTGS with a series of workshops and lectures on finance management, interview skills, life survival skills, resilience and interpersonal skills.

The Sixth Form offers a rich and vibrant range of co-curricular and academic opportunities both within MTGS and with our brother school, MTBS. This provides girls with all the benefits of a single-sex education with the associated benefits of a co-educational experience.

The LIONS programme is one of many leadership programmes that encourages Sixth Formers to develop leadership skills both within the school and the wider community. Other opportunities include training to be a peer listener, an enrichment ambassador or to coach younger pupils in sport or academic study.

For further details and to apply, please visit <a href="www.merchanttaylors.com/vacancies">www.merchanttaylors.com/vacancies</a>.

Candidates should submit a letter of application, addressing why they feel they are suitable for the post, together with a completed application form containing details of two referees via email to

<u>recruitment@merchanttaylors.com</u> or alternatively post to Mrs C Tao, Headmistress, c/o Human Resources Department, Merchant Taylors' School, Liverpool Road, Crosby, Liverpool L23 OQP to arrive by Midday Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June 2019. It is expected the interviews will be held during the week commencing Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2019.

Merchant Taylors' School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and applicants must be willing to undergo child protection screening appropriate to the post, including checks with past employers and the Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS)