



# MAGDALEN COLLEGE SCHOOL

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BY WILLIAM OF WAYNFLETE

## WAYNFLETE ACADEMIC: ENGLISH

Magdalen College School, Oxford, founded by William Waynflete in 1480 is one of the country's leading independent schools. Each year we employ a small number of graduates, doctoral and post-doctoral researchers, in a part-time capacity, to provide up-to-date, scholarly and expert knowledge as part of our Waynflete Studies programme. Recent appointees have found the role fits well alongside their current research commitments. We are looking to appoint a Waynflete Academic in English to commence in January 2025 and to continue throughout the 2024-2025 academic year. The responsibilities of the Waynflete Academic in English will be shaped in accordance with departmental needs to fit the strengths of the candidate appointed. Responsibilities are likely to include:

- Offering academic enrichment activities for the most able pupils, particularly but not exclusively in the Sixth Form
- Arranging a programme of talks by visiting speakers, students and colleagues for the Sixth Form English Society
- Preparing L6th candidates for university application
- Assisting members of the department in researching and resourcing texts

There is lots of scope for the candidate to develop their own initiatives: recent Waynflete Academics have run creative writing workshops and medieval and postcolonial reading groups, for example. A willingness to contribute to the School's extensive partnerships programme is desirable, as is a willingness to take on extra paid hours to assist with internal exam marking at certain points in the year. The role is likely to be the equivalent of half a day per week which is 0.15 of a Full Time Equivalent. The salary for this position will likely to be £3,638 per annum (£24,255 FTE).

Those interested should complete the application form for Teaching Staff, which is available to download via <https://www.mcsoxford.org/vacancy/>, and should be e-mailed to the Recruitment Officer, Miss Yelena Molcanova ([recruitment@mcsoxford.org](mailto:recruitment@mcsoxford.org)) by midday, Monday 11<sup>th</sup> November, early applications are highly encouraged. Interviews will be held the following week after the closing date, however we reserve the right to interview prior to this date therefore early applications are encouraged. Applicants who only send a CV will be automatically rejected.

*Magdalen College School is committed to the safeguarding of pupils. Any offer of employment will be subject to an enhanced DBS disclosure, the receipt of satisfactory references, the school's pre-employment medical questionnaire, plus sight of relevant original ID documentation and degree certificate(s). This role will be in regulated activity and will require a children's barred list check as well as an enhanced DBS check. The enhanced DBS check is due to this role being exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974.*

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