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ABOUT THE HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES FACULTY

Humanities and Social Sciences is an ambitious and successful faculty comprised of Religious Studies, History and Geography at KS3/4, and further the offering of Psychology, Criminology and Law at KS5. We are passionate in delivering our two key aims: to provide a rigorous academic curriculum enabling pupils to pursue further education/employment; and to develop Moor Park pupils into tolerant, empathetic and responsible individuals.

Our faculty includes eleven teachers who deliver one or more of the Humanities subjects that they specialise in. The faculty is excellently resourced, with subject leaders having built a curriculum around a broad range of skills and knowledge that we believe our pupils require. All classrooms contain a fully interactive promethean smartboard, a range of recently updated textbooks and access to a set of faculty Chromebook. All Humanities classrooms are along the same upper corridor allowing for collaboration between staff and full-time staff are based in one classroom each.

All pupils at GCSE sit Religious Studies and will select either History or Geography at the end of Year 9. We are proud of the continued success of our pupils in end of Year 11 exams, which saw all classes and subjects achieving significantly above expected levels. Our curriculum planning is built upon supporting pupils to develop a broad range of detailed knowledge which enables success in GCSE and A-level assessments.

At KS3 students are taught in mixed ability groups. Students have one lesson of RE a week and two lessons each of both History and Geography. We also encourage students to consider the importance of our subjects beyond the curriculum, for example through the Environment Crisis Club and resources sent to tutors across the school for Black History Month. The appointment of an enthusiastic and ambitious teacher of RE is key to continuing the faculty's success and supporting the delivery of our ambitious curriculum.

Our teachers are passionate, collaborative, committed and reflective. The faculty is driven by the belief that all pupils can and will achieve, we look forward to appointing a high-calibre and enthusiastic teacher who is driven by the desire to ensure that all young people have access to the highest quality of education, regardless of background. We look forward to receiving your application.