



ST JOHN'S COLLEGE

DEPUTY HEAD (ACADEMIC) JANUARY 2019

St John's College is an Anglican school situated on an historic campus in Houghton, offering quality education from Nursery School to Sixth Form. The school has an outstanding academic record and has an excellent reputation in sport, music, drama, art and debating.

This key leadership position has arisen at the College due to the impending retirement of the current Deputy Head (Academic).

The position is to support the Headmaster in sustaining the essential vision of the College through:

Developing and improving the quality of education offered to the students in the school through the promotion of the highest possible standards of education in an environment which is conducive to excellence in teaching and learning;

Leading the academic vision of the school in accordance with the 2023 strategic plan and ensuring that St John's remains at the forefront of academic innovation and excellence as measured against international best practice and curriculum development as a leading Anglican school, in and for, Africa.

Applications are invited from individuals who fulfil the following criteria:

Bachelor's Degree and a post graduate diploma in education

Be SACE registered

Substantial academic management experience and likely to be a current and experienced Head of Department or Deputy Head

Experience in leading and managing innovation and change

Success in: managing colleagues and contributing to the quality of learning and teaching; working with others to achieve goals by negotiating and allocating tasks; motivating and supporting a diverse and highly skilled team

Preference will be given to a candidate with:

Previous teaching experience in an independent school offering the IEB examination

An Honours or Master's degree

Involvement in curriculum development and assessment at National Senior Certificate level

Closing date: 28 May 2018

A letter of motivation, including a detailed CV and the details of three contactable referees, should reach the Headmaster by 28 May 2018: paexeheadmaster@stjohnscollege.co.za

The school reserves the right not to proceed with the filling of the post. The appointment of candidates is at the sole discretion of St John's College, taking into account factors such as St John's College Employment Equity Policy. Applications are welcomed from South African citizens only or persons with a valid work permit. An application will not in itself entitle the applicant to an interview or appointment and failure to meet the minimum requirements of the advertised post will result in applicants automatically disqualifying themselves from consideration. Only short-listed candidates will be contacted. If you have not heard from St John's College within two weeks of the closing date, please assume that you have been unsuccessful in your application.



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