



September 2026 or January 2027

Teacher of Latin

UPPINGHAM



From the Headmaster, Dr Richard Maloney



Uppingham School has the highest ambitions for the education of our pupils. We seek to inspire and challenge them to work at the highest academic levels. We are fortunate to have wonderful facilities and fantastic, highly committed teachers who nurture and support Uppinghamians at every stage of their time here.

I hope that you will be excited by the opportunity to join us in the Modern and Classical Languages Faculty. We are looking for someone with exceptional gifts and skills as a teacher to make a difference to our pupils.

I look forward to meeting you.

Dr Richard Maloney
Headmaster



Classics at Uppingham

Latin, Classical Greek and Classical Civilisation are taught by an experienced specialist team of colleagues within the Modern and Classical Languages Faculty. All Year 7 and Year 8 pupils study Latin as a core part of their curriculum. In the Fourth Form, pupils can choose to study Latin as one of their two languages (from Latin, French and Spanish), and thereafter pupils are required to study at least one Modern or Classical language (Latin, Classical Greek, French, Spanish), with these forming a compulsory part of the GCSE curriculum.

At A Level we offer Latin, Classical Greek and Classical Civilisation, with numbers opting for these subjects remaining buoyant.

Modern and Classical Language teachers work alongside each other in a suite of classrooms in the heart of the School's main quads, in the Victoria Block. There is a staff work room, collaboration space and kitchenette in the building, supporting the collaborative faculty feel and collegiate approach.

There is a strong culture of modern and classical language learning.





About the role: Teacher of Latin

We seek to appoint a first-rate teacher of Latin, from September 2026 or January 2027.

It would be preferable if the candidate was also able to offer Classical Greek and Classical Civilisation to A level.

Teachers at Uppingham play a full part in the life of this seven-day a week boarding school, by taking on wider curriculum responsibilities in addition to classroom teaching. Each teacher is also attached as a tutor to one of the School's houses.

Accommodation may be available.

About the person

The person appointed will be a strong, dynamic character with excellent subject knowledge, a good degree, good classroom management skills, a track record of excellent teaching and an appropriate rapport with pupils. The abilities to communicate well and work as part of a team are essential.

The successful candidate will have high personal and professional standards, with well-developed pastoral instincts.

An appreciation of the wider life of a seven-day-a-week boarding school is a prerequisite, along with a willingness to contribute to the wider school community.

Teaching at Uppingham

Remuneration and Benefits

The School has its own salary scale for qualified teachers, which is reviewed annually. The scale starts at £37,844 and progression is possible to £68,809. The School offers an extensive range of benefits including a school fee discount scheme for children of staff, free gym membership, subsidised medical scheme, excellent pension scheme, and free Westfield Healthcare and Rewards package which includes discounts in retail outlets, restaurants, cinemas and with holiday providers.

All members of staff are expected to live within reasonable distance of the School so that they can contribute to boarding school life easily and effectively. Assistance with reasonable removal expenses is provided. School property is sometimes available initially, at a subsidised rate, for those who wish to rent, and some partly furnished flats are provided for those coming straight from university or overseas. Most staff prefer to buy their own houses in due course, and there is a wide range of property available in the town and surrounding villages.

One of Uppingham's great community strengths is dining in house. Each day teaching staff are invited to lunch in a boarding house; a genuine pleasure in the midst of a busy week.

Life in Rutland

Rutland – England's smallest county – is located in a beautiful part of the country. Alongside the stunning countryside, with Rutland Water only six miles away, there are a mass of leisure pursuits on our doorstep.

The town offers a range of independent stores and its location allows access to a number of thriving cities and towns. Uppingham is equidistant between Peterborough and Leicester which have excellent shopping centres, and Leicester, Nottingham and Birmingham all enjoy first-class theatre and concert facilities. Cambridge can be reached in 50 minutes and Oxford in an hour and a half. London is an hour by train from Corby, Kettering or Peterborough.

Uppingham town has nurseries, two maintained primary schools and an 11-16 community college, with sixth form colleges in nearby towns, such as Oakham and Stamford. There is a considerable community of young children within the area.

The next steps

Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis, and interviews may be scheduled before the closing date.

Closing date:
Monday 1 June, 5.00pm

Informal enquiries about the post may be made to the Deputy Head Academic, Miranda Melville-Coman (dha@uppingham.co.uk).

Applications must be made on the School's application form, which can be obtained via the School website or from hr@uppingham.co.uk.

Completed applications must reach us by the closing date and should be returned to hr@uppingham.co.uk or by post to:

HR Department, Uppingham School
High Street West, Uppingham, Rutland LE15 9QE

Uppingham School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. Successful candidates must be willing to undergo full screening in accordance with Keeping Children Safe in Education (KCSiE), including an Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check. Issues relating to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of pupils will be explored at interview.

At Uppingham School, we value a truly inclusive, fair and equal work environment for all. Opportunities to work at Uppingham School are open to all, at all levels. We want to further increase the diversity of our workforce and actively encourage and welcome applications from candidates who have black, Asian, and minority ethnic backgrounds.





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