

Teacher of Economics and Business Studies

School:	Avanti House Secondary School	Posted:	24th April 2025
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Salary:	MPS 1 - UPS3	Suitable for:	ECT (NQT) Graduates
Hours:	Full Time		



AVANTI HOUSE
SECONDARY SCHOOL

Avanti House Secondary School

About The Role

Avanti House Secondary School is seeking an exceptional Teacher of Economics and Business Studies to join our ambitious and values-led learning community. This is a fantastic opportunity to make a real impact on students' academic journeys. Join our welcoming and inclusive team at Avanti House Secondary School, where values, wellbeing and academic excellence go hand in hand.

In 2024, our students achieved outstanding outcomes in Economics, surpassing national averages: 40.4% of A-Level students attained A*-A grades, and 66.7% achieved A*-B. At GCSE, 46.7% secured grades 9-7, with 86.7% achieving 9-5. Business Studies results were equally impressive, with 76.0% of A-Level students achieving A*-B, and at GCSE, 39.3% securing grades 9-7 and 88.5% achieving 9-5.

Our department's success continues to grow year on year, reflecting the outstanding teaching of both core and advanced concepts within the Business and Economics curricula, supported by a school-wide emphasis on developing excellence for both staff and students.

Economics has become one of the most popular subjects within our Sixth Form, currently enrolling over 100 students. Similarly, it is a leading option at GCSE, with more than 110 students choosing to study it. This strong uptake highlights our vibrant learning environment and our ability to motivate students towards ambitious academic and career pathways, particularly in business and finance. Each year, several of our students go on to pursue related degrees at prestigious universities, including Oxbridge, LSE, and UCL. We remain committed to building on this success and expanding the opportunities available to our learners

Avanti House Secondary School is a thriving school in Stanmore, Harrow. *"In addition to achieving well academically, pupils are very well supported to develop more widely. The culture and ethos of the school ensure that pupils are taught to be responsible and caring citizens"* - (OFSTED, 2023).

Avanti House is a co-educational, Hindu-faith school that welcomes pupils and staff of all backgrounds. Our fantastic site, which is a few minutes' walk from Canons Park station, has incredible spaces including sports facilities, theatre, specialist classrooms, dining spaces and a beautiful worship room

Our staff are inspired and passionate about their roles, the vision of the school, and providing the most fulfilling learning experience for pupils. Learning is a quest to discover each student's unique gifts and potential, and to lay the foundation for their lifelong journey of learning.

"The reality behind the school is the people in it. The highlight of our school, is that our staff give students the opportunities to become the best versions of themselves and help make the world a better place." - Simon Arnell, Principal

School visits are welcomed and encouraged. Please contact the school to arrange a suitable time.

What will you do?

- Engage in continuous professional development, take part in school-wide duties, and uphold the values and ethos of Avanti House Secondary School.
- Plan and deliver engaging lessons that meet the needs of all learners, ensuring strong pupil progress and outcomes in Economics and Business Studies.
- Assess, monitor, and provide constructive feedback to support student achievement, while using data to inform future teaching and learning strategies.
- Create a safe and respectful learning environment with high expectations for behaviour, fostering pupils' independence, motivation, and personal development.
- Collaborate with colleagues, parents, and external bodies to support pupil wellbeing and contribute positively to the wider school community.

Why should you apply

Avanti exists to help each person become a well-rounded human being through intellectual, moral and spiritual growth, and so make the world a better place.

You will be working in a fantastic environment, with:

- Great opportunities for professional development
- Teacher pension scheme (subject to eligibility)
- O2 discounts, Specsavers corporate eye test vouchers
- Eligible for NUS Card and CSSC membership
- Well-being programs (retreats, yoga, wellness apps)
- Cycle-to-work Scheme

What are we looking for?

- Qualified to bachelor's degree level in relevant or allied subject
- QTS Qualified
- Able to work independently, collaboratively and as part of a team
- Excellent communication skills with children, parents and carers
- Ability to create and maintain professional working relationships
- Commitment to the safeguarding and welfare of all students

Please view the full Job Description for more information on the responsibilities and essential criteria required for this role.

Further information

Pre-employment checks

Avanti Schools Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and requires all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. All successful candidates are required to have an Enhanced DBS check unless internally appointed and still within the cycle of DBS re-checks.

Any appointment subsequently made will be subject to the receipt of satisfactory references and other pre-employment checks.

Diversity and Inclusion

We want to make sure we are attracting the widest possible range of people and ensure that they are accepted, understood and treated equally when they work here. This means we will work hard to understand that each employee is unique and ensuring that individuals or groups are not treated differently or less favourably on the basis of specific characteristics.

Such characteristics include (but are not limited to) age, disability, gender including transgender, race, religion, sexual orientation, marital status, and how the school supports pregnant women and new parents.

Safeguarding Statement:

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