



THE JOHN FISHER SCHOOL

FOUNDED 1929

Head of Sixth Form

The John Fisher School, Purley

Leadership Scale (Outer London) – L8–L12 (dependent on experience)

Full-time | Permanent

Start Date: September 2026

The John Fisher School is seeking to appoint an outstanding and ambitious Head of Sixth Form to lead and develop our thriving Sixth Form community.

This is a key leadership position within the school, offering the opportunity to shape the academic and pastoral experience of our senior pupils at a crucial stage in their education. The successful candidate will share our commitment to academic excellence, character formation and the holistic development of each individual, within a strong Catholic ethos.

Our Sixth Form plays a central role in the life of the school, combining high academic standards with a clear focus on leadership, service and personal responsibility. We are looking for a leader who will continue to raise aspirations, support pupils in achieving outstanding outcomes, and ensure that every student is well prepared for university, employment and life beyond school.

The successful candidate will:

- be an excellent classroom practitioner with a strong academic background
- have the vision and leadership skills to further develop a high-performing Sixth Form
- demonstrate a deep commitment to pastoral care and student wellbeing
- have the ability to inspire and motivate students to achieve their full potential
- be committed to the values and ethos of a Catholic school

The ability to teach **English or History** would be an advantage.

The John Fisher School is a high-achieving Catholic boys' school with a strong reputation for academic success, sporting excellence and music. We are an ambitious and forward-looking community, committed to providing an education that is both intellectually rigorous and rooted in values.

Visits to the school are warmly welcomed.

Closing date: Wednesday 22nd April 2026 at 12 noon

Interviews: To be confirmed

The John Fisher School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people. The successful applicant will be required to undertake an enhanced DBS check.