

Government of Gibraltar



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OFFICIAL NOTICE

VACANCY FOR EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGIST

The Government of Gibraltar invites applications from suitably qualified and experienced persons for appointment as Educational Psychologist in the Department of Education and Training. Applicants must by virtue of their citizenship, be entitled to take up employment in Gibraltar.

The post holder will be required to take over the full range of duties of the Educational Psychology Service. The post is generic with ample opportunities to develop special areas of interest.

The post holder must be a good communicator and team player with an extensive INSET repertoire and classroom experience. The applicant must have an impeccable track record and be well versed in consultation skills and multi-agency work. Knowledge of Spanish would be desirable but is not essential.

Gibraltar's educational system is based on the British model and National Curriculum. English is the sole language of instruction. Gibraltar is not unlike a typical UK "patch": 5,000 pupils between 5-16; 8,000 aged 0-19; two Comprehensive Schools, one FE College, 5 Middle Schools and 7 First Schools. There is one generic Special School, and Learning Support Facilities in each of the three tiers. Teacher: Pupil staffing ratios are generous by UK standards. GCSE and A Level results generally surpass UK averages. There is free nursery education and no League Tables.

The appointment, tenable from 3 September 2007, is on contract terms for three years. Salary will be commensurate with experience. Further particulars of the post may be obtained from the Educational Psychologist, Department of Education and Training on Tel No. +350 75373 or email: edpsych@gibtelecom.net.

Application forms may be obtained from the Human Resources Department, 83-86 Harbour's Walk, New Harbours, Rosia Road, Gibraltar, (Tel No. +350 51685 or email: humanresources@gibraltar.gov.gi and should be submitted together with a curriculum vitae and copies of all relevant certificates (original documents will be requested if selected for interview) to the Human Resources Manager, at the above address, to reach him not later than **Thursday 31 May 2007**.