

CITY OF LEEDS TRAINING COLLEGE

The College is situated in a hundred acres of parkland which itself is part of Beckett Park. It is three miles from the city centre and two miles from the University in an excellent residential area convenient for schools, shops and transport.

The buildings comprise five women's hostels, four men's hostels, the main teaching block and the new science building, as well as the refectory, swimming bath and gymnasium which are shared with Carnegie College of Physical Education. There are also playing fields on the site. Throughout its existence the College has been entirely residential until recent years, when a number of day students have been admitted. The number of day students is now increasing and in future a number of second year students will live in lodgings near enough to the College to enable them to take all their meals in the refectory.

Teaching staff are provided on the basis of one to eleven students. In September, 1965 there will be nearly 90 full time members of the teaching staff. Every lecturer, whatever his special interest, is expected to supervise teaching practice in primary or secondary schools and is therefore expected to be interested in general educational matters. Nevertheless, he will be able to pursue his own special interest to a high level. Similarly lecturers in Education are encouraged to continue to work in their own special field. All members of staff should find that their teaching programme and the nearness of the university make it possible for them to engage in advanced studies and work for higher degrees.

In addition to Education and a number of professional studies all students study one main subject and one subsidiary subject. In their third year their time is wholly devoted to Education and their main subject, and they have considerable free time, so a high standard of work can be expected. Normally a student has reached G.C.E. Advanced level in his main subject before he enters the College.

The existing hostels are undergoing modifications which will include provision of tutors' flats. At present two of the women's hostels are without resident tutors and applications will be welcomed from women who are willing to live in residence and to play some part in the cultural and social life of the community. The charge for full board and lodging in a self-contained furnished flat in a hall of residence for 60 women students is £180 a year covering 36 weeks. The tutor may continue to live in the flat during the remaining 16 weeks for which a charge of £2:11:0d. will be made weekly for rent. Payment for residential duties is at the rate of £180 per annum. Women applicants are asked to state whether they would like a residential post.

All tutors whether resident or non-resident are expected to play an active part in the life of the College, and to live near enough to make this possible. Candidates should make clear in their applications their extra-curricular interests and should give an indication of the part they would like to play in the life of the College. Men able to give a little of their time to training a group of students in one of the many outdoor activities which form part of the curriculum (games, athletics, mountaineering, sailing etc.) will be welcome. Candidates are asked to indicate their willingness to help in this work.

Pelham Scale: Lecturers, £1,230-£1,740

Senior Lecturers, £1,740-£2,045.

Salary will be payable through a bank account and subject to the provisions of the Teachers' Superannuation Acts or the Local Government Superannuation Acts. The commencing salary for newly appointed staff who have been on the Burnham Scales will be at that point of the Training College Scales for a Lecturer or Senior Lecturer providing an annual sum not less than that provided on their Burnham Scale, up to the maximum point of the scale for a Lecturer or Senior Lecturer. There will be opportunities for promotion from Lecturer to Senior Lecturer and from Senior Lecturer to Principal Lecturer.

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The appointment will be subject to a satisfactory medical report by, or on behalf of, the School Medical Officer, and to the conditions of service contained in the Articles of Government for the College and the regulations of the Local Education Authority, providing for termination of appointment by three months' notice in writing on either side taking effect at the end of the autumn or spring terms or by four months' notice in writing on either side taking effect at the end of the summer term.

The Education Committee will be prepared to consider applications for assistance towards the cost of removal expenses for newly appointed teachers moving to Leeds from the area of another Local Education Authority, if the teacher has dependants and is over the age of 25. Three estimates of cost and a receipted account should be enclosed with the application for assistance; the grant, where approved, will be 50% of the lowest estimate.

Completed forms of application should be sent to the Clerk to the Governors, c/o City of Leeds Training College, Beckett Park, Leeds, 6 by Monday 22nd March, 1965. If you wish your application to be acknowledged please put your address for communications on the acknowledgment card enclosed with this form, and return the card with the form.

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