

# WE ARE HIRING

# Education Manager: Physics

Join our team to develop and deliver professional learning activities for educators which will inspire the next generation of Scottish learners.



## JOB PURPOSE

The Education Manager: Physics role is a leadership position focused on improving Physics education by designing and delivering high-quality professional learning for teachers, lecturers, and technicians. The postholder will provide expert curriculum and practical science advice, build partnerships with key stakeholders, and support the development of innovative teaching and learning across Scotland.

## APPLICATION SUBMISSION

- ✓ If you are interested in applying for this exciting post, please submit a **CV** and **cover letter** explaining your suitability for the post (in reference to the job description and person specification to: [vacancies@sserc.scot](mailto:vacancies@sserc.scot), using the email subject line: **EDUCATION MANAGER: PHYSICS**).
- ✓ The closing date for submission is **Friday, 29th May 2026, at 5pm**
- ✓ Selected candidates will be invited to an interview (and deliver a short candidate presentation) the week beginning the **15<sup>th</sup> of June 2026**.

## EQUALITY, DIVERSITY & INCLUSION

- ✓ We are committed to equality of opportunity for all staff, and applications from individuals are encouraged regardless of age, disability, sex, gender reassignment, sexual orientation, pregnancy and maternity, race, religion or belief and marriage and civil partnerships.
- ✓ If submitting an application, please also complete our [equality monitoring form](#).

## WHAT WE DO

SSERC is a local authority shared service, providing support to education practitioners across all thirty-two Scottish Education Authorities.

SSERC offers a broad portfolio of services, principally in support of the STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) areas of the curriculum not available from any other source and which can be broken down into three main strands of activity:

- ✓ The provision of Professional Learning for early years, primary and secondary teachers, school and college technicians and childminders
- ✓ The Advisory Service- supporting practical STEM classroom activities by providing health and safety advice
- ✓ STEM engagement activities, including the Young STEM Leader Programme, the STEM Ambassador in Scotland Programme, ENTHUSE Partnerships, Education/Industry Partnerships, ESERO Space Champion, Learner Research Placements and the Scottish STEM Placement Programme.



## MISSION VISION AND VALUES

### MISSION

**TO INSPIRE, ENTHUSE AND SUPPORT STEM EDUCATORS FOR THE BENEFIT OF ALL LEARNERS**

### VISION

**SSERC IS INTERNATIONALLY RECOGNISED AS A CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE FOR STEM LEARNING AND SUPPORT**

### VALUES

- ✓ RESPECT
- ✓ INNOVATION
- ✓ INTEGRITY
- ✓ PASSION
- ✓ EXCELLENCE

## BENEFITS

- ✓ Flexible working, including a hybrid working option
- ✓ Lothian or NEST Pension Scheme
- ✓ Minimum 25 days annual leave with flexibility as to when it can be taken
- ✓ 10 public holidays
- ✓ Mandatory close between Christmas & New Year
- ✓ Free car parking
- ✓ Electric car charging point
- ✓ Training and development opportunities
- ✓ Enhanced employee assistance programme

## JOB DESCRIPTION AND PERSON SPECIFICATION

Click on the link below to access the Job Description for this post:

[Job Description](#)

Click on the link below to access the Person Specification for this post:

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If you would like to discuss this opportunity further, please contact [alastair@sserc.scot](mailto:alastair@sserc.scot)

