



ANNENBERG FELLOW

SEPTEMBER 2026 -
JUNE 2027
FULL TIME | ACCOMMODATED



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We are looking for an exceptional US graduate with an interest in education and cultural exchange to join us as the Annenberg Fellow for the academic year 2026-27. The Annenberg Fellowship, established through the generosity of Walter Annenberg, a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania and a distinguished US Ambassador to the Court of St. James's, enables a recent graduate to spend one academic year at Eton College on a Student Teaching Fellowship and has been running for almost 40 years.

The Annenberg Fellow plays a full and active role in the co-curricular, academic and pastoral aspects of school life, enriching our vibrant community and supporting the development of our pupils. They have a key role in supporting pupils applying to US universities. We welcome candidates who will make a significant contribution to the co-curricular life of the school, with, for example, a strong record in sports (particularly in one of our main sports: rowing (crew), soccer, field hockey, rugby, tennis, athletics or cricket). Experience in other areas of the co-curriculum such as drama, journalism and debating could be an additional recommendation, but a 'can do' attitude and a willingness to get fully involved in the co-curriculum, regardless of expertise, is the most important qualification for this role.



SALARY AND ACCOMMODATION

This is a one-year fixed term contract, commencing in September 2026 and ending in June 2027. The role is contracted to work for 40 hours per week during Eton College term time, plus three days at the start of each term (the equivalent of 34 working weeks each year). On top of these working weeks, the post holder is entitled to 5.6 weeks paid holiday, meaning they will be paid for 39.6 weeks in total.

The salary for this role is £2,500 per month for the period from September 2026 to June 2027. Please note, The Annenberg Fellow is also accommodated in a furnished flat within one of our boarding houses and is expected to be an active member of the House Team. The post holder's accommodation is currently rent free, but they will be required to pay the cost of council tax and utility bills. As the post holder will be taking a tutor group they will not be required to pay any additional tax for living in their accommodation.

WORKING IN ETON

There is a strong community feel within Eton and staff enjoy a range of events throughout the year, either as part of the College or the wider local community. The College is situated within the vibrant village of Eton, which is surrounded by acres of green space adjacent to the Thames. Eton itself has a wide range of local amenities including a gym, hairdressers, bars, cafes, restaurants, shops and pubs, as well as a GP surgery. Windsor is a short walk away and has a good range of shops and restaurants, as well as walks into Windsor Great Park. Both Windsor and Eton are well connected to central London and further afield by train.

"We are an equal opportunities employer and are seeking applications from suitably qualified candidates from all backgrounds. There is no 'typical' Eton employee; we value individuality, difference, teamwork and the contribution everyone makes to the life of the school."

GETTING INVOLVED

We believe that our pupils learn as much, if not more, outside the classroom as within it.

OUR BOARDING HOUSES

Eton is the largest boys' boarding school in the UK. It is a 24/7 boarding school with 25 boarding houses, each home to around 55 pupils aged 13-18. Houses are the heart of life at Eton. Each house is run by a dedicated team, providing excellent pastoral care and helping every pupil make the most of their time at Eton. Headed by House Masters and Dames, these teams include Deputy House Masters, House Assistants and Resident Tutors drawn from the teaching staff body. All our accommodated teaching staff are part of a boarding house team. They also tutor boys in small groups, ensuring that at least two adults have oversight of every boy's development and welfare.

The Annenberg Fellow will act as a Resident Tutor in a boarding house and as a pastoral and academic tutor to a group of boys within the house.

THE CO-CURRICULUM

Personal development is as important to us as academic results. Our diverse co-curricular programme enables pupils to identify and develop skills and strengths outside the classroom through a wide range of activities. It includes:

- A full sporting programme delivering an inclusive vision which values participation over performance (without denying opportunities for the latter). A broad array of sports is available and most teachers are involved in the sports programme in some way.
- Over 25 theatrical productions each year, including school and house plays directed by members of staff.
- Around 90 clubs and societies encompassing a wide range of interests and inclusion forums. Our societies host world-class speakers, as well as experts in academic and professional fields.
- A variety of outdoor education activities, including mountaineering, climbing, kayaking, channel swimming and Combined Cadet Force (CCF).

We are only able to offer this range of opportunities because of the skills, experience, commitment and enthusiasm for getting actively involved in the co-curricular life from our teachers.

The Annenberg Fellow will contribute significantly to the co-curricular life of the school.



PARTNERSHIPS

We work with numerous state schools on activities of mutual benefit, with a particular focus on our enriching partnerships with Holyport College, the London Academy of Excellence, the Thames Valley Learning Partnership and Star Academies.

Our programme encompasses a wide range of activities which are free to our partner schools, (such as self-study courses, sharing sports facilities, school visits and workshops and short courses), an annual community fair fund-raising for charities, and pupil voluntary service in the local community.

Our Centre for Innovation and Research in Learning (CIRL) works alongside partners to explore the latest pedagogical research and new technologies, to conduct research projects and by hosting conferences and round-tables. If you would like to learn more about CIRL, please visit our CIRL webpage.

ABOUT THIS ROLE

ACADEMIC

You will:

- work in an appropriate academic department, providing support, observing lessons and participating in team-teaching opportunities;
- attend departmental meetings, subject society sessions, trips, and INSET activities as appropriate;
- work with our US universities team to provide guidance and support to pupils applying to US universities.
- deliver non-examined elective courses to senior students on aspects of American culture, current affairs or related topics (to be agreed prior to arrival).

CO-CURRICULAR

You will:

- lead or assist in one or more co-curricular areas throughout the year, depending on your expertise: coaching sport and/ or contributing to creative disciplines such as drama, debating or journalism;
- participate in school socials, trips, and the wider enrichment programme;
- support the Partnerships Team in activities involving our partner institutions;
- contribute to the staff duty rota, including exam invigilation, supervising meal times, and detention duties.

PASTORAL

You will:

- promote the safeguarding and wellbeing of pupils, maintaining appropriate professional boundaries and relationships based on mutual respect;
- be a Resident Assistant within a boarding house, supporting the House Master by undertaking a weekly boarding duty;
- be a pastoral and academic tutor for a small group of pupils, meeting weekly to provide advice, guidance, and academic oversight.

This list is not exhaustive and is subject to change. The successful candidate will be expected to fulfil any reasonable request made.



CANDIDATES

ABOUT YOU

Essential:

- An outstanding academic record;
- Excellence or significant engagement in sports and/or the creative arts;
- Enthusiasm for education and for contributing to the life of a busy boarding school;
- Strong interpersonal and communication skills, with the ability to work collaboratively within a team;
- Commitment to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of pupils;
- Initiative, flexibility and a proactive attitude.

Desirable:

- Prior experience in teaching, coaching, mentoring, or youth work;
- An understanding of both UK and US educational contexts;
- The ability to design and deliver engaging learning experiences.



APPLICATION PROCESS



SAFEGUARDING

Eton College is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, and applicants must be willing to undergo child protection screening appropriate to the post, including, but not limited to, reference checks with past employers, an Enhanced Disclosure from the Disclosure and Barring Service (including Barred List information), an online search and, where applicable, Prohibition checks. If you are successful in your application, you will be required to complete a DBS Disclosure Application Form. Any information disclosed will be handled in accordance with any guidance and/or Code of Practice published by the DBS. The College is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974, and therefore all convictions, cautions, reprimands and final warnings (including those which would normally be considered as “spent” under the Act) must be declared, subject to the DBS filtering rules. It is a criminal offence for any person who is barred from working with children to attempt to apply for a position at the College.

CONTACT

If you have any questions about this role, we would be more than happy to help. Please contact the Recruitment Team at recruitment@etoncollege.org.uk.

We are looking for outstanding individuals who can bring new life experiences and skills that will inspire and motivate our community. We believe in collaboration, encouraging innovation and sharing best practice to offer a transformative education to all our pupils. If you share our holistic vision of education and are keen to embrace the challenges and rewards of life in a full-boarding school, we'd love to hear from you.

Please apply online at <https://recruitmenthub.etoncollege.com/members/modules/job/detail.php?record=1351>

Please ensure that you fill out your personal details, career history and reference details in full as part of your online candidate profile, in addition to completing the application form for the post in its entirety. We will also require the names and contact details of two referees, at least one of whom is a current employer. You must ensure your referees can provide references shortly after you apply for this role. We cannot accept testimonials.

Closing date for applications: 2nd December 2025

Start date in post: September 2026

Online interviews: Shortly after closing date

Further information can be found at <https://www.etoncollege.com/>



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