

Trading Standards Officer £25,951-£34,538 per annum, grade H-I



Public Protection and Culture, Public Protection Partnership,
37 hours per week, Permanent

The vacancy is part of the Acquisitive Crime team within Trading Standards. The team specialise in the larger, more complex level 2 & 3 investigations in Doorstep crime, E-crime, and Intellectual Property crime

The ideal candidate will be an experienced qualified officer able to undertake detailed investigations over a range of Trading Standards functional areas including food and metrology. You will be experienced in obtaining RIPA authorisations, search warrants, instructing expert witnesses and have a wide range of tools at your disposal to investigate online crimes on social media platforms.

West Berkshire Council offer excellent employment benefits such as flexible working, access to a wide range of relevant training, local government pension scheme, family friendly policies, a range of local discounts and much more. You will also be entitled to a generous annual leave entitlement of 27 days (pro rata) per annum rising to a maximum of 32 days, depending on how long you've worked for us and the grade of your job. This role has been identified as public facing in accordance with Part 7 of the Immigration Act 2017; the requirement to fulfil all spoken aspects of the role with confidence in English applies.

For an informal discussion please contact John Nash, Team Manager - Trading Standards on 01344 352589 or Theresa Bashford, Principal Trading Standards Officer on 01635 519930

To view the job description or apply for this role, please visit <http://jobs.westberks.gov.uk/jobsandcareers>

Closing date: 18th February 2018

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