

JOB DESCRIPTION: Teacher of Visual Arts

Langley Park School for Girls is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff to share this commitment.

Title:

Teacher of Visual Arts

Postholder:

Date appointed:

Date appointed to this post:

Date of this Job Description

Salary Point:

Immediately responsible to: Head of Visual Arts

Responsible for:

Teaching Visual Arts including Fine Art, Photography, Textiles and Fashion

Important Relationships: Head of Visual Arts Visual Arts staff

## Job Purpose:

- To be directly responsible for the attainment and achievement of students and raising standards in the Visual Arts subject areas including Fine Art, Photography, Textiles and Fashion
- To develop and enhance the learning of students
- To ensure that school policies and procedures are understood and implemented by all students, especially with regard to health & safety, risk assessments, COSHH, equality of opportunity and social inclusion
- To work as part of a team in ensuring that delivery and assessment of work is consistent and in line with whole school and department policy

## **Duties and Responsibilities**

- To ensure that all students following courses in the Visual Arts subject areas including Fine Art, Photography, Textiles and Fashion are set attainment targets grounded in baseline data that are specific, measurable, achievable with challenge, relevant and timely
- 2. To ensure that regular termly systematic student attainment tracking checks are carried out, followed up and reported in line with the published schedule
- 3. To ensure curriculum coverage, continuity and progression in the subjects for all students and that appropriate use is made of baseline data and value added identified
- 4. To work closely with your team members to ensure the effective management of pupils placing emphasis on a positive system of care and support, social and personal development
- 5. To take account of the needs of students on the SEN Register and maintain effective links with the SENCO and AHT Inclusion.
- 6. To ensure the effective development of students' literacy, numeracy and ICT skills through the subjects
- 7. To oversee the arrangements for homework
- 8. To oversee the preparation of students for all assessments and examinations in the subjects and reporting to parents
- 9. To monitor student attendance at and behaviour in lessons, liaise with Heads of Visual Arts in this respect, and to use the school's referral system
- 10. To encourage the display and celebration of students' work in the school
- 11. To liaise with parents and students providing guidance for 16+ and FE/HE courses

## Developing and enhancing teaching skills

- 12. To keep up-to-date with local and national developments within the subjects and with wider professional policy changes
- 13. To be involved in teamwork to enhance the quality of teaching and learning across the department
- 14. To take part in the school's ITT programmes
- 15. To ensure that development reflects the school's Improvement Plan priorities and to reflect these in your subject plan
- 16. To develop own skills and knowledge in key subject areas, Fine Art, Photography, Textiles and Fashion in order to teach across a range of subject areas and encourage students to develop skills across subject areas



To carry out the general duties and responsibilities of a professional school teacher as contained in the School Teachers' Pay and Conditions Document

Agreed and signed		
Postholder	 Date	
Headteacher	 Date	