

## HGSS Visual Arts Department - Profile

The Department is a high achieving, high energy, fast paced environment. The school has Platinum Artsmark status, and the arts are highly regarded in school, and in the wider community. Staff have excellent relationship with students, and results are some of the best, nationally. We teach all six endorsed art subjects, and many students take multiple subjects. Students at the school often go on to prestigious universities and colleges, without needing to do a foundation course.

Teaching in the Department is SMART, strategic and well structured. Students are prepared for GCSE in KS3, and students start the GCSE qualification in year 9.

The team is very supportive, relationships are strong and there are opportunities to fast track. The ethos of the Department ensures that all students achieve their best - consequently value added scores are exceptional - ALPS score 1.

We are looking for an exceptional practitioner, who is well motivated, energetic, and keen, to contribute to the success of the Department.

The person appointed will have the opportunity to work to support other schools.

This is an excellent opportunity for someone looking to work in an outstanding department.