







# Careers at SHARE Multi-Academy Trust

Art, Design Technology Technician
Shelley College, A SHARE Academy

**Application Pack** 



Valuing People, Supporting Personal Best

Welcome to SHARE Multi-Academy Trust, a supportive and close-knit family partnership of nine academies across West Yorkshire, and a Teaching School Hub.

At SHARE, we are committed to delivering strong educational standards within our academies and providing our people with excellent careers. This is all underpinned by an unwavering commitment to our vision of Valuing People, and Supporting Personal Best.

I believe our role as educators is to help children and young adults to instil a desire to learn, to overcome barriers to success, and to encourage an ambition to achieve. To reach this standard, we must first deliver for our people and ensure they feel valued, listened to and have a strong sense of belonging. In turn, our colleagues, pupils, and society all benefit enormously.

Two of our guiding principles are that 'quality is our driving force', and 'teams drive success'. We know that recruiting and retaining an outstanding workforce is fundamental to achieving our aims. We therefore make it our mission to ensure every colleague within the trust has access to exceptional training and personal development opportunities, alongside a positive teaching environment, clear and ambitious progression pathways, and highly competitive packages.

We are also committed to sharing best practice across our trust, creating networks for colleagues to learn from one another, and fostering a learning environment and workplace where everyone feels supported and inspired, and can truly thrive. As a result, we are proud to be an employer of choice.

Thank you for your interest in our academies and trust. I hope you will consider joining us as we continue to deliver the very best education for our pupils. Whether you are an education practitioner looking to start your journey, or an established professional wanting to bolster your career - we look forward to working together soon.

John McNally

SHARE Multi-Academy Trust

We must first deliver for our people and ensure they feel valued.

Quality is our driving force

**Teams drive** 





We are proud to be an employer of choice.



## **About** our Trust

SHARE Multi-Academy Trust was first established in 2014, and since then, we have built a solid reputation for high standards and strong achievements.

We operate four successful primary academies and five high-performing secondary academies across the region. Our outstanding provision is supported by our Calderdale and Kirklees Teaching School Hub and national training accreditations, which enable us to deliver exemplary training and development opportunities for education practitioners at every stage of their career, from initial training to executive leadership.

Our academies achieve excellent outcomes across the board. This includes academic attainment and school improvement, as well as maintaining exceptionally high standards in all aspects of school life including behaviour and attendance.

As a result of the trust's supportive and inclusive approach, senior leaders invest significant time in supporting positive pupil behaviour and attendance. Our pupils attend well and are positive about learning. In turn, this creates a positive and respectful teaching and learning environment for staff, with teachers able to focus on delivering an excellent education to students without distraction, and with a manageable workload.

Behaviour is excellent, and there are high levels of mutual respect and tolerance amongst pupils and staff.

Ofsted, 2023\*

## Whilst being close-knit, we are ambitious for the future.

We are always looking for additional ways to expand our positive impact, be that by working with new schools on exciting initiatives, or by collaborating with our talented team of staff.

Our aim has long been to be the best trust, not the biggest. Our priority for the future is to keep improving standards, building on our successes, and raising aspirations so we can support even more pupils to achieve even better outcomes.



## Your Career at SHARE

Our vision of 'Valuing People, Supporting Personal Best' underpins everything we do. Central to our work and ability to deliver a transformational education, is our dedication to developing our greatest asset, our staff.

That is why we have an outstanding pledge to teachers and support staff to provide professional development and training opportunities, particularly through our Teaching School Hub. We are committed to investing in our staff, ensuring that they have fulfilling careers and enjoy their jobs every day. This is fundamental to our ability to turn academies around and deliver the very best education to pupils.

### We offer a competitive package to all our colleagues.

We have committed to offering our colleagues pay and conditions that are at least as good as those available to colleagues in maintained schools. In practice, we often exceed them. We continue to contribute to the generous Teachers and Local Government Pension Schemes and at least match pay awards agreed or recommended by the Local Government Association and School Teachers' Pay and Review Body. We use the flexibilities available to us as an academy to enhance our offers where we can.

As well as two generous pension schemes, we also offer employee assistance and wellbeing packages; and flexible and family-friendly policies, such as flexible working, shared parental leave and enhanced maternity, paternity, and adoption entitlement, giving colleagues the control and freedom to work in a way that suits their needs. We offer incremental progression and cost-of-living pay increases, subscribe to local and national discount schemes, and provide exceptional onsite catering facilities.



group of professionals to achieve common goals. Watching new teachers and leaders become established in their roles gives me an immense sense of professional pride, as they help our pupils to achieve excellent outcomes.

Jack Wyatt
Associate Principal
Shelley College



## Our Shared Vision and Mission

#### **Our Mission**

We believe education is all about people. Our success is measured in how we help our pupils. We can only attain this success by employing talented, committed staff, and working in partnership with our whole academy communities.

Our mission means we endeavour to ensure every one of our pupils and members of staff enjoy coming to our academies, and that all of us try our very best in everything we do. We help everybody, regardless of background or starting point, to gain the knowledge, skills, and habits that lead to happy and successful lives, both now and in the future.

#### Our Vision

We want to transform education for the better, raising aspirations in diverse communities, increasing knowledge, and developing the skills that children and young people need to make their lives rewarding and successful.

Our vision is for our teachers and staff to continue to choose our academies and our trust as a working environment where, through our high-quality training and progression pathways, they can achieve their career aspirations. Our academies will be the first choice for parents because we provide a safe and nurturing environment, with excellent academic standards and a wealth of opportunities. Our trust will continue to be a well-regarded family network where other schools choose to join us, benefiting from strong support services, collaboration, and best practice sharing.

We live by our vision of 'Valuing people, Supporting personal best', bringing this to life in everything we do. We are all part of a family that has high expectations and a strong moral compass

> Jenny Carr Executive Principal and Headteacher, Royds Hall

"



## Our **Guiding Principles**

We have a clear and ambitious strategy as a trust, so that we can ensure we collectively fulfil our overarching vision and mission. This is built upon our guiding principles, with distinct goals and objectives linked to accountability and performance measures.



# Everyone can achieve Quality is our driving force Success People thrive in communities Our Goals and Objectives

Overcome disadvantage, so all pupils achieve outstanding outcomes

Deliver an outstanding curriculum and pedagogy

Recruit and retain an outstanding workforce

Provide outstanding leadership, management and trust infrastructure

Build positive communities that achieve outstanding outcomes, together













#### **Academies**

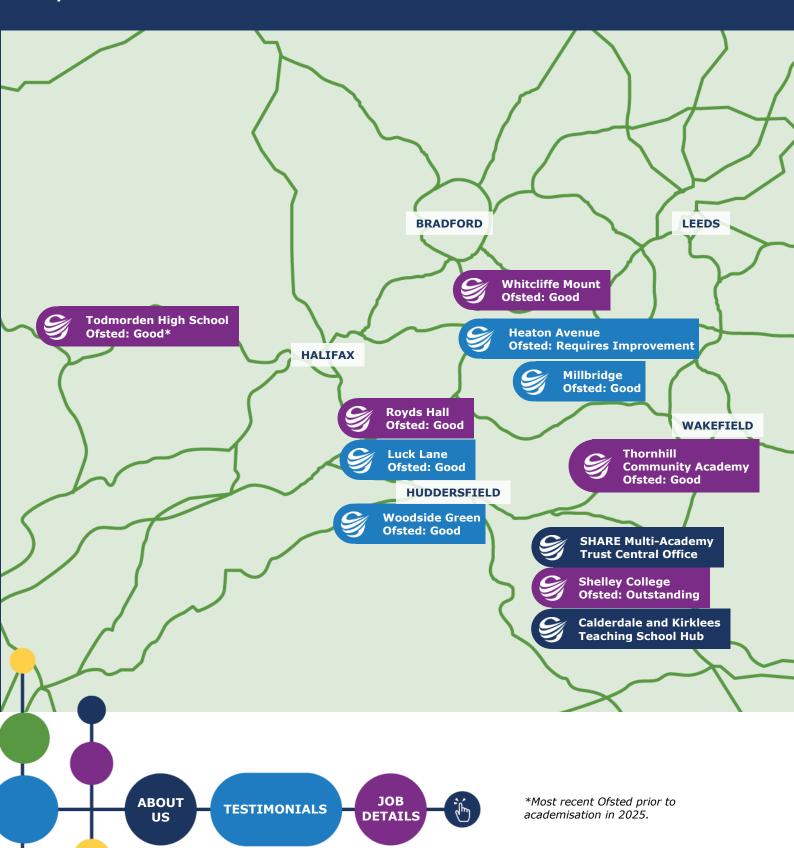


Our secondary academies



Our primary academies

Click below to select the location of the vacancy you are interested in to find out more.



#### Our **Outcomes**

At SHARE, we are proud of the high standards and expectations we set and uphold, across the board. Consequently, we consistently surpass both national and regional school results. Our academies consistently secure excellent academic outcomes, with achievement levels being amongst the highest in our region.

Supported by robust, well-resourced, and accountable improvement plans, we have a proven track record of significantly improving our academies, as reflected in national performance measures and our strong Ofsted outcomes.

Through our broad curriculum, first-class careers education and guidance, and our wide-ranging enrichment offer, we successfully prepare our young people for life beyond the classroom. We ensure no child is left behind, and do so by fostering a safe, inclusive, and nurturing environment where all barriers can be overcome.

We remain committed to developing our staff, who are our greatest asset in achieving our mission.

Alongside our successful Teaching School Hub and training accreditations, we take great pride in one another's individual successes. Many of our most senior leaders have progressed through the routes.

That includes the countless colleagues who have enjoyed varied, rewarding, and long careers with our academies and trust, as well as those who are just starting on their journey and are glowing with potential.



## What our colleagues say



Since joining
SHARE as an RQT, the
trust has always supported me in
my career, giving me ample opportunity
to develop and demonstrate my skills,
whether through official training courses such as the
National Professional Qualification (NPQ) or by offering
opportunities to deliver CPD and build leadership skills.

My career progression at SHARE has been rapid thanks to the encouragement of leaders. With every role I have applied for, or training opportunity considered, leaders have always been approachable, supportive, and encouraged these conversations.

There are regular opportunities within the trust to try new things and gain experience in areas that interest us. I am really glad I joined Share MAT because the culture of recognition, support, and celebration gave me the confidence I needed to chase my career goals.

## Lewis Day Trust Improvement Leader (Personal Development); PSHE Leader; Teacher of English at Shelley College

The care and support that has been provided during my time with the trust has not only allowed me to help make a difference to young people's lives but it has enabled me to excel in a fantastic career and in a role which is so fulfilling. It has been life changing!

Melanie Delaney-Hudson Assistant Headteacher (SEND and Inclusion), Thornhill Community Academy



## What our colleagues say

Alongside being part of the central trust team, I enjoy getting the chance to meet and work with other colleagues across the trust. I started as an apprentice and every year SHARE has helped me to progress further, either by supporting me with professional development in the form of external or internal training, which constantly bridges the gap to progress onto the next level when the opportunity arises.

Kieran Miller-Walker Finance Officer, SHARE Multi-Academy Trust



As Phase Leader, I am
pleased to be able to support
other teachers with passion and
excitement to help them lay the
foundations that mean pupils thrive
throughout their educational journey.

Being a part of the Share MAT family, means there is always a vast amount of knowledge, guidance and support available. The trust annual training day on the first day back really makes you feel like part of a team, with common goals to provide a unique learning journey for all children.

Ben Modeste
Phase Leader of Lower Key Stage 2,
Luck Lane Primary School

## First-class careers, through bespoke training and support

Our success as a trust depends entirely on our colleagues who are the bedrock of all we do. That's why we're determined to recruit and retain the best staff by offering first-class training and support, alongside highly competitive packages.

Across the trust, we pledge to deliver outstanding professional development and training opportunities that are bespoke for our teaching and support staff. We support colleagues through ongoing training, coaching, and mentoring using the latest evidence-based research, to strengthen their expertise.

Alongside career pathways carved out for our support staff, we similarly offer a variety of progression and promotion routes for teachers. In addition to the traditional progression journey, we deliver a full suite of specialist and leadership National Professional Qualifications (NPQs), offer Lead Practitioner positions for those with classroom-based preferences, alongside middle and senior leadership training programmes for new and aspiring leaders. With additional development opportunities for staff including research projects, subject enhancement training, and access to The National College online development platform, we are dedicated to supporting our staff to develop and grow as educators.

We also champion cross-trust collaboration and best practice sharing, maximising the opportunities and expertise available across our schools. All colleagues are encouraged to meet regularly, including through various forums where they can discuss ideas, and share experiences and resources.

We are committed to protecting our staff's wellbeing by providing the support, guidance, and training needed to achieve the highest standards they are capable of.

Just as we encourage our pupils to achieve their personal best, we want the same for our staff, with colleagues having their own personal development plans.





## Endless opportunities through our **Teaching School Hub and Training Accreditations**



Our commitment to professional development and raising opportunities and aspirations in the communities we serve and beyond, is best reflected through our Teaching School Hub and Training Accreditations.

We are immensely proud to be the Teaching School Hub for Calderdale and Kirklees, enabling us to connect with, shape, and inspire teachers and practitioners of the future.

Through our Teaching School Hub and training platforms, we induct Early Career Teachers (ECTs) into the profession through an outstanding Initial Teacher Training programme. All our academies similarly play an important role in supporting trainee teacher placements through the Hub and with other local trainee teacher providers. We also offer a full suite of specialist and leadership NPQs through the Hub, including for staff themselves to facilitate Early Career and NPQ frameworks.

Since its launch, we are delighted that 1,000 new teachers have progressed or are progressing through our Early Careers Framework Course, with over 600 studying NPQs. We also continue to provide the Appropriate Body Service for nearly 500 new teachers.

Having the Hub as a central part of our trust family means it continually informs our approach to staff development and how we can enhance our training based on learnings and insights. It has also shaped our approach in recognising that development is a long-term, meaningful investment in our colleagues and therefore our pupils.

Since the launch of the hub. 1,000 teachers have progressed or are progressing through the Early Career Framework 600 teachers are studying **NPOs** 500 teachers using our Appropriate

**Body Service** 

ABOUT US TEST





#### **JOB ADVERT**

#### Job title:

**Technician** 

#### Academy:

**Shelley College, A SHARE Academy** 

#### Headteacher:

**David Wadsworth, Executive Principal** 

#### Section:

**Design Technology & Art** 

#### Reporting to:

**Director of Design and Technology & Art** 

#### Contract type:

□ Permanent

#### Time commitment:

Part time (12hrs per week), term time only

#### Band/Range:

Band D, SCP 7 - 11, £7,052.89 - £7,517.40 actual salary

**TESTIMONIALS** 

#### Further salary information:







#### **JOB ADVERT**

#### Academy information:

Rated Outstanding by Ofsted, Shelley College is a proud partner academy in SHARE Multi-Academy Trust, a National Support School, and a National Teaching School. The academy is at the centre of a close-knit network that aims to provide the very best professional and career development opportunities for staff, and an excellent education for pupils. Shelly College has a sixth form, which is increasingly the top choice for students across Yorkshire, thanks to the high-quality teaching and pastoral offer which helps every single student thrive and prepare well for their next stage in life.

Students leave Shelley College fully equipped with the life skills, experiences, and educational outcomes to have a happy and successful future. Our staff are friendly and supportive of one another, with a strong sense of a committed team working together.

Shelley College is located in a beautiful rural area, within good commuting distance of Leeds, Manchester and Sheffield. The academy is proud to offer:

- A supportive and ambitious environment where all pupils students are encouraged to go beyond what they think they can achieve and to enjoy learning, helping them to lead successful, healthy and happy lives
- A vibrant place to work which equips staff to deliver their best every day, under the strong belief that Valuing People, Supporting Personal Best is the key
- A commitment that staff are happy, engaged and well supported at work, taking pride in students' attendance, behaviour, progress and development as well as their own
- Excellent training and guidance relevant to individual job roles, so expectations are understood and staff are motivated
- Great benefits, as an employer of choice, including outstanding CPD, supportive line management, and meaningful networking opportunities across the Trust to aid personal development
- Supportive leadership, encouraging healthy work-life balance
- A high-quality teaching and learning environment, alongside good facilities
- A culture where children are happy, settled and confident, accessing a broad and balanced curriculum which provides a memorable educational experience for pupils and staff.

#### **JOB ADVERT**

#### We are looking to recruit:

An exciting opportunity has become available for an Art and Design Technology Technician to join the Outstanding team here at Shelley College.

This is a key role within our dedicated Support Team, providing practical assistance to teaching staff and students across the Art and Design Technology (ADT) departments.

We are seeking an organised and proactive technician who will support the ADT department by co-ordinating the use of practical resources and facilities. The successful candidate will provide advice and assistance to staff and students, ensuring the smooth delivery of the practical elements of the curriculum. This will include liaising with teaching and support staff both within and beyond the department.

#### The ideal candidate will:

- Ideally have a background in Art, Design and Technology and be self-motivated and flexible in their work
- Have Maths and English to GCSE Grade C or equivalent
- Ensure the well-organised storage of materials, equipment and artwork
- Maintain efficient and tidy organisation of ADT classrooms and areas
- Love encouraging, motivating and inspiring young children through the support they give in order to encourage their learning
- Be committed to our ethos that all pupils can achieve at Shelley College
- Have great references demonstrating they are a suitable candidate, safe to work with children.

#### For more information, get in touch with:

Shelley.recruitment@sharemat.co.uk



#### Overall purpose of the role:

To work as part of the support team, providing practical support to teaching staff and students across the department(s).

To efficiently manage storerooms, stock levels, resources and specialist facilities ensuring a positive student experience and a safe working environment.

#### Safeguarding requirements:

This post requires the post holder to work in settings with children and young adults. Any employment offer is therefore subject to the results of an Enhanced Disclosure from the Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS). People who may have contact with younger children (i.e. primary school age) are also required to complete a declaration about family or other members of their household. Applicants MUST complete the MAT's standard application form to be considered, will be required to provide evidence of identity and qualifications and offers of employment will be subject to satisfactory references. For applicants who work or have recently worked in a school, one of the references must be from the Headteacher.



#### **Key Outputs:**

- 1. Ensure that the correct equipment is available in a classroom at the right time, with particular attention where a teacher is absent and as per their cover lesson notes.
- 2. Responsible for setting up of demonstration practicals, ensuring that they work effectively and are cleared away
- 3. Preparing and priming surfaces for students to work on in the workshops.
- 4. Under the guidance of teaching staff provide one to one support to students or working with groups of students on pre-planned activities, to reinforce the teachers' approach and to support the learning to maximise student progress and achievements.
- 5. Give appropriate technical advice to teachers, technicians and students.
- 6. Assist with preparing photocopies and resources to support teacher and student needs.
- 7. Undertake varied roles and responsibilities (e.g. supporting the class whist the teacher works with a specific group etc.) within the classroom under the direction of the teacher; helping to accelerating and measuring student progress.
- 8. Operate all relevant information and recording systems including cataloguing, filling and inventories, and legal records as they relate to the health and safety and equipment/appliance testing.
- 9. To be responsible for a number of elements relating to health and safety within the department including:
  - a. The safe storage and/or disposal of equipment, materials, chemicals and hazardous waste materials in line with recognised procedures and contribution to the production of appropriate risk assessments for these
  - b. Advice to departmental cleaning staff and others as necessary of potential hazards and of safe working practises within the department
  - c. Inspection, maintenance and ensuring the correct use of safety equipment
  - d. Giving health and safety advice to technical staff, teachers and students
  - e. Supporting the HOD and facilities manager in conducting department risk assessments for the use of departmental machinery and equipment
  - f. Consult with appropriate bodies (Facilities Manager) ensuring that routine safety checks on equipment, COSHH cupboards, pressure vessels, first aid kits etc. are carried out and that electrical and other safety checks are undertaken in line with health and safety requirements
  - g. Keep up to date with health and safety requirements and with developments in the subject (attending courses and reading publications)
- 10.Operate an efficient system for ordering, stocking, storing and distributing items used in the relevant department, including associated record keeping and receiving and checking deliveries and associated invoices.
- 11.Operate a loan system for equipment internally, advising on suitable materials, tools and equipment and practical work.

- 12. Maintain records of department accounts in line with the recognised financial procedures.
- 13. Security, maintenance, logging and handling of cameras and iPads/chrome books and other technical and ICT equipment in liaison with the school ICT Technicians. Ensuring equipment is maintained and ready to be used at any point.
- 14.Ensure all areas are kept secure, tidy and organised with regard to efficiency, Health, Safety and security issues, broken or malfunctioning equipment. Deal with issues where possible, effecting simple repairs when required discuss with HOD/Second in Charge and staff as necessary.
- 15.Ensure the maintenance of materials, stock and apparatus and repair of all machinery and equipment to required standards, including obtaining estimates for more complex repair work.
- 16.Responsible for the specialist cleaning of machinery, tools, equipment and materials as used by teaching staff and students, liaising internally as required.
- 17.To design, construct and modify space/resources, to ensure best and safe working practices for students and staff.
- 18.Test new equipment and devise practical work in consultation with the curriculum leader.
- 19. Recommend the purchase of specific items of equipment, researching costs and raising orders in consultation with the Head of Department.
- 20. Accompany students and teachers on trips and visits both on and off site as required.
- 21. Make petty cash purchases ensuring maximum efficiency and value for money.
- 22.As part of your wider duties and responsibilities you are required to promote and actively support the College's responsibilities towards Safeguarding. Safeguarding is about keeping people safe and protecting people from harm, neglect, abuse and injury. It is about creating safe places, being vigilant and doing something about any concerns you might have.
- 23. Carry out your duties with due regard to current and future College policies, procedures and relevant legislation. These will be drawn to your attention in your appointment letter, your statement of particulars, induction, and on-going performance development and through College communications.
- 24. Any other responsibilities commensurate within the requirements for this role or as directed by the Principal/Associate Principal and flexibility to support colleagues across team as required.

#### **Dimensions:**

- Range of teachers / support staff approx. approximately 200 across the whole school.
- Number of students approximately 1400



#### Work/Business contacts:

**Internal:** All teachers and support staff to advise how effectively to support students to achieve their Personal Best.

**External:** External staff, Other Schools, Parents and families.

#### Expertise in role required (At selection – Level 1)

#### **ESSENTIAL**

- GCSE Maths and English at least to Grade C or equivalent
- Ability to show initiative and to work with minimal supervision within an agreed framework
- Ability to advise and assist students in order to assist progression
- Ability to prepare teaching materials and resources using ICT
- Experience of working in a science/food/textiles/design technology/art environment
- Knowledge of Health and Safety legislation and relevant COSHH and ESCC regulations
- Knowledge of a range of design techniques and knowledge of CAD CAM and CNC equipment
- A willingness to undertake further development/training as appropriate
- Excellent communication skills
- Commitment to the safeguarding of young people

#### Other (Physical, mobility, local conditions)

 Is willing to work flexibly within scope of overall hours, e.g. occasional evening meetings

#### **DESIRABLE**

- Possession of appropriate qualifications relevant to this role.
- Experience of working with children/young people in a school.

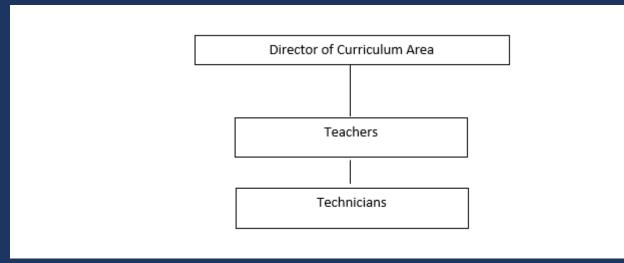
#### Expertise in role – After initial and advanced development – Level 2

- Efficient stock levels and ordering system in place and working well.
- Efficient system for maintenance of equipment in place and working well.
- Working knowledge or understanding of relevant policies and codes of practice.

#### Expertise in role – Advanced – Level 3

Specialist skills/training in curriculum or learning area.

#### Structure/Department Information:



#### **HOW TO APPLY**

Please note that CVs will not be accepted. To apply, please complete an application form on the Every Candidate Portal using the application link below.

#### Application link:

https://www.tes.com/jobs/apply/2235163

#### Closing date:

9am on Monday 14th July 2025

Interview date:

#### Wednesday 16th July 2025

Share MAT is committed to the Equalities Act 2010 and also to promoting the welfare and safeguarding of children and young people, by adhering to the "Keeping Children Safe in Education" guidance. All staff and volunteers are regularly trained regarding our expectations in keeping our students safe. An enhanced DBS is required for every post. An online search will be undertaken for all shortlisted candidates.





#### Valuing People, Supporting Personal Best

