

## Job Description

Post title	Teacher of Music
Academy	Borough Academy
Grade	MPS/UPS + ILW
Responsible to	Vice Principal

#### Summary of the overall purpose of the job

The core purpose of this post is to teach Music, initially to KS3, but building to include KS4 and KS5, and contribute to the continuing development of the Music curriculum. It is expected that the successful candidate will consistently plan and deliver outstanding lessons within the department. We are looking for an innovative and forward–looking individual who can inspire students and contribute fully to a very active Music team.

#### Key responsibilities and objectives of the job

- To work within and contribute to established Academy and department frameworks for lesson planning, delivery and evaluation.
- student behaviour and care
- student assessment
- To actively contribute to the teaching of Music across all age and ability ranges
- To remain informed of current developments in the subject area, to participate in INSET and to initiate change where appropriate
- To consistently plan and deliver outstanding lessons, ensuring that a variety of teaching resources are utilised
- To ensure that students' work is marked regularly and conscientiously, in accordance with the Academy marking policy
- To set and mark internal examinations and tests as required
- To demonstrate good knowledge of a wide range of teaching methods and to implement these in the classroom.
- To be fully committed to the Academy's house and enrichment activities
- To possess excellent ICT skills and use these as a core tool in the teaching of Music
- To provide accurate information for parents as directed by the Academy and department policy and to attend parents' evenings and other presentation meetings as directed
- To work within the academy framework with regard to Health and Safety

#### General responsibilities and objectives

- To work within the Academy framework with regard to Health and Safety
- To promote equal opportunities in the Academy
- To actively promote the aims and ethos of the Federation
- To support the Academy's commitment to the continued professional learning of all staff
- To undertake any additional duties as may reasonably required by the CEO or Principal

• To be aware of and assume the appropriate level of responsibility for safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and to report any concerns in accordance with the Academy's safeguarding policies and undertake an enhanced DBS

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Date JD was agreed: 31/01/2019

# Person specification

Criteria	E S E N T I A L	D E S I R A B L	HOW IDENTIFIED AND ASSESSED  AP Application AS Assessment I Interview P Presentation R References	
Education/qualification and training				
Well-qualified graduate in a relevant discipline	٧		AP,I, R, AS	
Fluency in another European language		٧	AP,I, R, AS	
Knowledge/skills				
Excellent inter-personal and communication skills and the ability to establish positive relationships with colleagues, students and parents	٧		AP,I, R, AS	
Good ICT skills	٧		AP,I, R, AS	
Experience				
Experience of effective behaviour management	٧		AP,I, R, AS	
Experience at delivering Music at Key Stage 3, GCSE and possibly A Level			AP,I, R, AS	
An ability to recognise the scope for taking the subject out of its classroom setting			AP,I, R, AS	
Good understanding of the curriculum and exam requirements for Musicat GCSE and A Level			AP,I, R, AS	
Personal characteristics/other requirements				
An outstanding practitioner with demonstrable passion and enthusiasm for teaching Music		٧	AP,I, R, AS	
Sensitivity in dealing with difficult pastoral issues		٧	AP,I, R, AS	
Commitment to their own professional learning			AP,I, R, AS	

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