Information for Applicants



Teacher of Dance (Full or Part-time)

Great Western Academy opened in September 2018 in North Swindon with a full cohort in year 7 (PAN 150). The Academy will educate pupils from Years 7 to 13, with our first cohort of Sixth Form students having started in September 2019. Years 7, 8 and 9 are heavily oversubscribed and there are nearly 100 students on roll in the Sixth Form.

This role is available due to the expansion of the school, and you will join a dynamic and forward-thinking team of three other experienced teachers. The post is suitable to an experienced or newly-qualified teacher.

As the school grows, in future years there is an excellent opportunity for existing staff to shape and develop their role including potentially moving into leadership positions.

An applicant's briefing pack with full information about Great Western Academy and the role is available on the GWA website at http://www.gwacademy.co.uk/joining-us/vacancies. If you have any questions prior to application, you are very welcome to contact us.

Application process

Please complete the application and Equal Opportunities form supplied and enclose a supporting letter, either in the space provided on the application form or as a separate document. The application form should be completed in full in black ink or type. A CV is not required and should not be submitted as part of the application.

Your supporting letter should be no more than 2 sides of A4 (with a font size no smaller than 11) and should enhance your application by providing further information, matched to the person specification, about your suitability for the post. This should include evidence of the impact on student outcomes you have made in your career to date. You should be clear whether you are applying for a full- or part-time role; if full-time please state the other subject(s) you could offer.

Electronic applications should be returned via email to recruitment@gwacademy.co.uk . Postal applications can be returned to:

Graham Davis Principal, Great Western Academy William Morris Way Swindon SN25 2PP

Closing Date: 9am Monday 1st March 2021

Interviews: The following week on site (subject to Government guidelines)

References: References will be taken up prior to interview.

The interview process will include observation of teaching, and a variety of other tasks and activities.

Great Western Academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, young people and vulnerable adults and we expect all staff to share this commitment and undergo appropriate checks. All posts within the Trust are therefore subject to an Enhanced DBS and barred list check.