



Job Pack Media Teacher

September 2022



Dear Applicant,

Thank you for applying for a pack for the post of **Media Teacher** at Stoke Newington School and Sixth Form.

This is an exciting time to be working with us. We have an oversubscribed school, a diverse and enthusiastic student intake, an Expressive Arts team well placed to continue to build on its current success, a newly refurbished building and a senior leadership team who will support you fully in further raising achievement across every Key Stage.

This is a key post for the school. You will be one of a strong team of teachers who are keen to further develop consistently outstanding practice in teaching our diverse intake. We expect you to be able and keen to teach our sixth form Media and Film studies students. We will expect you to be planning thoroughly for the engagement and progress of every student, no matter what their starting point, and to be promoting the enjoyment of your subjects. We will expect you to be an advocate for students following degrees in Media and Film Studies.

This is an excellent opportunity to be involved in one of the most significant, committed and successful PE teams in London. You must have excellent interpersonal skills and the highest expectations of every student and member of staff. This post is suitable for ECTs or experienced colleagues.

I look forward to meeting you and showing you round the school: you are welcome to visit us before applying. The closing date for applications is **midday Wednesday 29**th **June 2022.**

Best wishes,		
Zehra Jaffer		
Headteacher		

Media teacher

(must be able to teach Media and/or Film studies at A level)

Required for September 2022 Salary

Inner London Spine

The School

This is an exciting opportunity to contribute to the development of a successful and popular 11-19 inner-city comprehensive school which has recently received a good OFSTED inspection. The School specialises in Media and Arts and is committed to creative teaching and learning. We aim that every colleague has excellent professional development which leads to every student having an outstanding education.

The Post

You will be teaching in a strong team which has very good results at GCSE. We are aiming for further success at the top end of GCSE and in recruiting students for A level Media and Film Studies. You must be able to teach classes from our Year 10 students up to our Media Year 13 groups. You will be supported throughout by a strong Expressive Arts faculty and by a leadership team who are ambitious for every student's and every staff member's success.

You

We will expect you to be passionate about teaching Media to our KS4 and sixth form students. You will want the very best for and from every student and from yourself. You will need to be well qualified in Media and be ambitious for your future career. We expect you to be creative and dynamic in the classroom and a reflective practitioner who constantly looks to improve your own practice. The ability to offer ICT or Business Studies at KS4 level is desirable but not essential.

We provide very well regarded professional development opportunities for all staff.

Contacting us:

If you are interested in joining our team please apply via https://www.tes.com/jobs/employer/stoke-newington-school-and-sixth-form-1050384.

The closing date for receipt of applications is midday Wednesday 29th June 2022.

We are an equal opportunities employer committed to ensuring diversity in our workforce.

Job Description

TITLE OF POST: Media Teacher

ALLOWANCE: Inner London pay scale

Function of the post:

To teach Media and Film Studies at GCSE level and A level. Other subjects may also be taught as identified by the Headteacher.

To contribute to the planning, evaluation and curriculum developments in the Expressive arts faculty for years 7-13.

Main Tasks and Responsibilities

- 1. To plan and teach high quality lessons at all times and to maintain a stimulating learning environment.
- 2. To implement relevant examination courses for Media and Film Studies across the age range.
- 3. To keep clear records in accordance with department and school policy, and to assess, monitor and report on individual pupils' work.
- 4. To help with the smooth running of the department by undertaking tasks as requested and directed by the head of department.
- 5. To ensure all students make excellent progress through well planned and differentiated classwork
- 6. To ensure all students make excellent progress through setting and marking challenging homework
- 7. To be a form tutor or associate tutor.
- 8. To attend parents' evenings.
- 9. To teach and lead on a range of Media related after school or holiday activities and clubs.
- 10. To attend school meetings as directed the department or by the Headteacher.
- 11. To carry out all responsibilities in accordance with the school's and the Authority's equal opportunities policies.

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Skills & Abilities

- 1. Ability to work hard under pressure.
- 2. Ability to use I.T. effectively in teaching
- 3. Ability to be effective in record keeping
- 4. Good communication and organisational skills.
- 5. Good interpersonal skills and a strong ability to work collaboratively.
- 6. Excellent creative teaching ability.
- 7. Ability to convey enthusiasm for Media at all levels
- 8. Commitment to personal career development.

Knowledge and Understanding

Knowledge and understanding of the recent developments in the National Curriculum for Media and related Media examination courses

Understanding of developing differentiated Schemes of Work within a mixed ability and setted context.

Knowledge of the importance of appropriate planning, assessment for learning and homework.

Knowledge of careers related to Media which will help enthuse and inform sixth form students.

Equal Opportunities

- 1. Understanding of the different social backgrounds of students.
- 2. Understanding of the needs of different students, and the appropriate policies and strategies to support them.
- 3. Understanding of the needs of bilingual students.

Experience

Successful experience of teaching Media to students of all abilities, preferably including teaching at A level.

Qualifications:

Qualified teacher status.

Excellent degree in Media or related subject

Stoke Newington School Supporting Early Career Teachers 2022 - 2023

Congratulations on joining a great profession!

As a school, we are committed to offering the best professional development we can to all colleagues. We recognise the ECT year is a crucial year for support and development: we aim to make these as strong as they possibly can be for you.

You know your year as an Early Career Teacher contains challenges and opportunities. You are dealing with a fuller timetable than you did as a trainee teacher, and you are taking full responsibility for teaching and assessing your own classes, without the support of the class teacher. We offer a range of support, both formal and informal.

Timetable

You will be teaching a slightly reduced allocation in your ECT year. ECTs are tutors and if not allocated to be a tutor, you will be attached to a year group team.

Mentoring

You will have a mentor within your subject area. They will meet with you each week, and support you with planning, marking and behaviour management. They will work with the Head of Faculty or Subject and with the Early Teachers Co-ordinator. They will also write your termly ECT reports and do some of your formal observations.

You will have six formal observations by a range of staff; however, we also encourage mentors and Faculties to support you informally, as well as ensuring you take part in peer observation.

Training

A training programme will be organised, which will develop and extend your understanding of the issues covered in your initial induction period, as well as covering other issues such as Literacy and Equalities. This will generally take place after school. In addition, you will take part in whole school and faculty training.

Support across the school

We are proud of the supportive and friendly nature of our staff. Staff often meet after school for social events, and the school puts a strong emphasis on wellbeing for both staff and students. In addition, we have a Staff Association which all members of staff are members of. Staff Association organises social events. You are also encouraged to join a union for professional reasons.

We look forward to working with you!