Music Teacher

Job start: September 2023

Salary: Main Pay Scale or Upper Pay Scale

Location: South Hackney **Contract type:** Permanent

'The best school I've ever worked at: the culture, the staff and students, the training, everything!' (staff member)

'I was amazed at what a great atmosphere the school exuded, how well turned out the children were and how polite and bright they all seemed' (visitor)

The Bridge Academy is a truly exceptional school. Our students' progress is consistently excellent for GSCE and A level, and our superb personal development offer means that over the last few years we have been national debating champions, enjoyed a host of sporting successes and won both the Incorporated Society of Musicians Gold Award and the Hackney Mayor's award for music.

Why choose us?

- Excellent student behaviour and highly supportive Senior Leadership Team.
- An Achievement-oriented culture where students work hard and it is cool to be smart.
- A warm/strict approach, meaning that our high standards <u>do not</u> come at the expense of inclusion.
- The belief that teaching must be a sustainable profession: clear systems and structures, sensible approach to feedback and no 'late night culture'.

We are seeking to appoint a Music Teacher who is totally aligned to our values of Hard Work, Integrity and Kindness, and completely committed to our mission: to ensure that every student will succeed at a good university or equivalent, thrive in their chosen field and live a great life.

The music department is staffed by 5 classroom teachers and 11 peripatetic teachers. The spiral curriculum is both broad and rigorous - students are challenged and make excellent progress. All KS3 students study music twice a week, and Year 7 students receive an extra hour of music every week as part of our Whole Class Ensemble Tuition scheme. Edexcel GCSE and BTEC music are both offered as options at KS4, and BTEC Music Performance is offered at level 3. The successful candidate will teach music up to KS4. If you are up for the challenge we would love to hear from you.

Our sponsors UBS provide significant support to the Academy, and we also work with a wide variety of community groups to ensure the best for all our students. Students gain the opportunity to learn an instrument when they join the Academy, and the instrumental tuition is free of charge. Our award-winning building is outstanding and is based at our stunning canal-side location, just minutes from Haggerston Station and just over a mile from the heart of the City of London. The music department includes 2 MAC suites and 2 large, well equipped classrooms with break out spaces. In addition, the Academy is a hub for the Hackney Music service - Joseph Jazz Academy and Local Community Ensembles.

To apply for this position, please complete the online application form via TES here. Please ensure that you read our school workforce privacy notice. We encourage applicants from all sectors of the community to apply. **The deadline for applications is 9:00am on: Tuesday 18th April 2023.**

The Bridge Academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. We expect all staff to share this commitment. All appointments will be subject to the necessary safeguarding checks, including receipt of a satisfactory Enhanced DBS check with barred list information.