

BRIT Fit Basketball Coach

Term Time Only - 2 hours a week (Terms 1 to 4)

Fixed term contract

Start Date: September 2025

The BRIT School

The BRIT School is seeking a passionate and dynamic **Basketball Coach** to join our BRIT Fit programme and deliver engaging, high-quality Basketball sessions to Key Stage 4 students.

We are looking for someone who is not only experienced and qualified but creative, contemporary, and self-directed—someone who can make BRIT Fit the highlight of our students' week.



This position is a very important role within the school. We are looking for someone who has a clear passion for the ethos, impact and ambition of The BRIT School.

The BRIT School is a unique institution offering specialist education in the arts and related technologies, alongside the full range of academic subjects. It is sponsored by the British Record Industry and has a unique relationship with the performing arts industries.

The Brit School runs a 5 Term academic year with some school holidays falling at different times to the usual Local Authority school breaks. Please see our website for further details of our term dates.

The BRIT School is committed to Equality, Diversity and Inclusion.

A Message from the Principal



Creativity is crucial to the future of our economy and society. For 30 years, The BRIT School has successfully nurtured creative skills in students from every type of background alongside a robust and full academic curriculum. And it does so for free.

Young people who choose to come here are given the tools to carve out their career, the space to think and the environment to be themselves. This is a playground with professional boundaries where the raw talent of 14–19 year olds meets the nurturing expertise of world-class teachers.

The BRIT School revolutionises the lives of its students; 99% of all students who have graduated find work in a huge range of creative industries, or enrol for higher education or training. We are proud to be a Croydon school and equally proud to have national and international friends who support the school with professional and unique opportunities. As the Good School Guide articulates, "You'll find BRIT graduates' words, music, performance, directorial and backstage talents just about everywhere you look, from fashion shows to musicals, national theatre to community arts, in the UK and internationally." This is a hardworking, fun, passionate school packed with dedicated individuals who love the creative and performing arts and recognise the importance of a thorough and robust education in all subjects. We believe in developing well rounded, articulate, kind and dynamic young people.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Stuart Worden". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style. Below the signature, the name "Stuart Worden" is printed in a smaller, black, sans-serif font.

Stuart Worden
Principal

Job Description

Job Title	Basketball Coach
Department	BRIT Fit
Hours of Work	2 x 1 hour sessions - Term 1-4
Contract Type	Fixed term
Responsible to	BRIT Fit Manager

Job Overview

To deliver Basketball sessions to KS4 students, BRIT Fit we ask teachers to be creative, contemporary and self-directed. We want teaching at BRIT Fit to be the highlight of their week. We believe that allowing teachers to devise and create their own class content, means that they have ownership over what they are delivering and therefore passion and knowledge to deliver at a high level. The joy of teaching for BRITFit is that although we have high expectations, level descriptors and ask for schemes of work overviews, teachers are not confined by a curriculum.'

Key Responsibilities

- To deliver a high standard of Basketball coaching to KS4 students.
- To plan and implement lessons to develop Basketball skills
- To encourage all learners to prioritise their physical wellbeing
- To communicate effectively with line managers

Person Specification

Applicants should demonstrate in their supporting statement how their qualifications, experience, skills and training for each of the criteria below.

Criteria	Description	Essential / Desirable
Education and Training	Basketball coaching badges/professional work	E
Experience	Coaching youth teams	E
	Delivering sports in either community or education	E
Knowledge & Skills and Qualities	Effective planning and organisation skills	E
	Leadership qualities in leading a session of 25 young people	E
	Managing a range of abilities	E
	Mandatory Safeguarding	E
Personal Qualities	Excellent communication and organisational skills, able to use own initiative	D
	A strong sense of teamwork	D
	A commitment to the School's mission, ethos and equal opportunities policy	E

This job description sets out the duties at the time of drafting. The job description may be amended from time to time without incurring a change in the grading of the post.

Terms and Conditions

Availability	September 2025
Contract Type	FTC, Term Time Only
Hours of Work	2 hours a week
Salary	£36 per hour
Work permit	All applicants must be permitted to work in the UK and hold a relevant work permit where necessary. This is not a role in which The BRIT School sponsors a visa application.
DBS Check	The appointment will be subject to satisfactory DBS clearance at the Enhanced level (child workforce).
Probation	The post has a six months' probationary period.
Notice Period	This appointment may be terminated by the staff member giving the Principal notice or the Principal giving the staff member notice of 4 weeks.
Pension	Membership of the Local Authority Pension Scheme is an important employee benefit providing future income for your retirement.

About Us

The BRIT School is the UK's first and leading free performing and creative arts school for 1,450 young people aged 14 to 19. The School – an exempt charity based in Croydon – provides a unique education for over 1,450 pupils aged between 14 and 19 in the fields of music, film, digital design, community arts, visual arts and design, production and performing arts as well as a full academic programme of GCSEs and A Levels.

It invests in the future of the UK's cultural wealth by nurturing young artistic talent from all backgrounds and teaching the skills needed by the rapidly growing creative industries.

BRIT stands for the British Record Industry Trust and funding from the BRIT Awards and BRIT Trust is invested in the professional facilities and equipment at the School.

The School opened in 1991 and over 14,000 students have been educated at The BRIT School including Adele, Amy Winehouse, Jessie J, Katie Melua, Leona Lewis, Tom Holland, RAYE, Olivia Dean, Loyle Carner, The Feeling, Rizzle Kicks, Cush Jumbo, Blake Harrison, The Kooks and Lola Young. In total, students from the School have been responsible for selling over 280+ million albums, 70+ billion streams of BRIT alumni songs between 2018-23 and winning 43 high profile awards including BRIT Awards, Grammys, BAFTAS, Oscars and Laurence Olivier Awards.

Year on year nearly 100% of students are in education, training or employment after graduating.

In November 2024 OFSTED rated the school 'Outstanding' in all five categories of measurement: Teaching and Learning, Behaviour and Attitudes, Personal Development, Leadership and Management and the Sixth Form provision.

Our Mission - To prepare young people for careers in the creative and performing arts.

Our Values - Original, Responsible, Ambitious, Inclusive, Kind

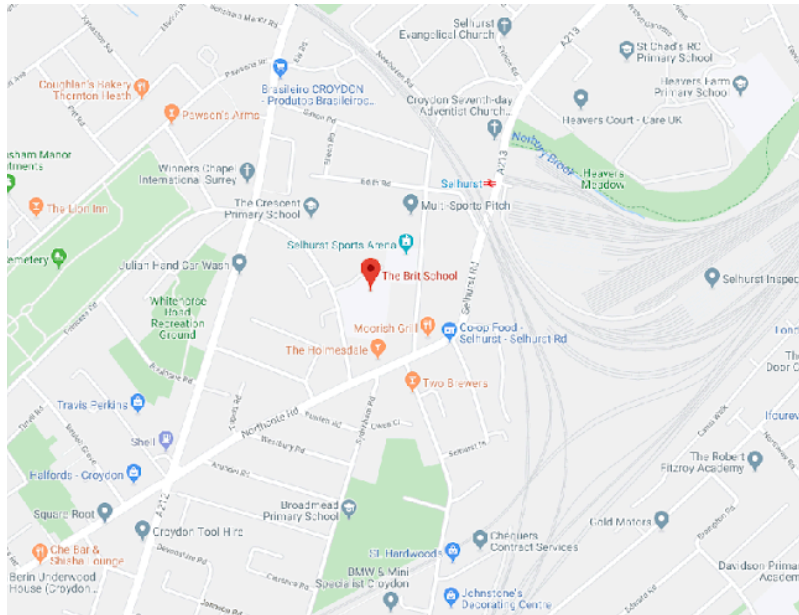
Vision

- To train and educate young people for future careers in Performance and Creative Arts industries.
- To provide a comprehensive and exceptional KS4, Post 16 general and vocational education that prepares students for life in the arts.
- To provide a unique educational approach that has creative teaching and learning in its bloodstream and has a pastoral approach that focuses on the individual reaching their full potential.
- To celebrate the diversity of the educational needs, background, race, religion and sexuality of all within its community.
- To be a role model for other schools and organisations in its community work.

Location

The BRIT School is located in Selhurst, Croydon (Greater London).

60 The Crescent, Croydon CR0 2HN



How to Apply

To apply, please complete our [Application Form](#).

CV's without an application form cannot be accepted.

Closing date
9am, 12th June 2025

Interview date
W/C 16th June 2025

Prior to taking up the post an enhanced DBS clearance will be required.

The BRIT School is an Equal Opportunities Employer and an educational non-profit making registered charity. Roll: 1400 14 – 19 year old students Britain's leading state-funded school for the performing arts.

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For more information visit our website www.brit.croydon.sch.uk