

Film and Media Production



Teacher

Start Date: ASAP

The BRIT School



A position has arisen for a dynamic and passionate subject specialist in Film and Media to work within the highly successful and developing Film and Media department. It is an exciting time for the Film and Media department at The BRIT School. The department has seen a significant investment in industry-standard facilities, alongside the advent of BRIT Live, our student-led termly online broadcast about everything BRIT.

The main teaching focus includes a variety of courses at both KS4 and Post 16. The teaching for this post combines both vocational and academic qualifications. The ideal candidate will be a team player, have a passion for the creative arts and a strong understanding of how to support learners to learn in a creative and innovative way.

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

Applicant Information Pack

Closing date

Monday 15th April 2024 (9am)

Interview date

W/C 22nd April 2024

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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 black ink that reads "Stuart Worden". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style and is underlined.

Stuart Worden
Principal

Job Description

Job Title	Film and Media Production Teacher
Department	Film and Media Production
Grade	MPS
Hours of Work	32.5
Contract Type	Permanent
Responsible to	Director of Film and Media Production
Responsible for	N/A
Job Overview	To undertake teaching at all levels and perform within the Film and Media Production Strand in accordance with the departments' development plans and the school's mission statement.

Key Responsibilities

- To plan, prepare and deliver lessons in FMP including KS4 and KS5 levels that include both vocational and academic courses, according to the departments' schemes of work.
- To monitor, assess and record work according to departmental criteria.
- To report to students and parents, through documentation and by attendance at consultation and open evenings.
- To guide student's academic, personal and professional development, in accordance with the school's guidelines and procedures.
- Manage, maintain and source industry contacts that help contribute to building the profile of the department
- Undertake pastoral responsibilities for a tutor group at post 16
- To contribute to exhibitions and screenings as required.
- To maintain an up to date awareness of the subject area, educational/industry advances, and personal and professional development.
- To attend school and departmental meetings and INSET.
- To support and promote the school and department code of practice regarding discipline, professional conduct and equality of opportunity.

- To exercise a commitment to the school's mission statement and stated ethos including the equal opportunities policy, health and safety policy and all other current school policies
- To undertake any other duties or delegated one-off tasks at the reasonable request of the Principal/SLT/Line Manager.

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	Qualified Teacher Status	E
	Proven ability in teaching at KS4 and KS5 levels and knowledge and understanding of both academic and vocational qualification.	E
Experience	Proven ability, knowledge and practical understanding of film and media industries	E
	Successful evidence of delivering a differentiated curriculum to students with a wide range of needs	E
	Successful experience of managing an effective classroom environment to support pupil learning and positive behaviour	E
	Proven ability to use ICT in the organisation and management of their role.	D
	Desirable film or broadcast industry-related experience	D
Knowledge & Skills and Qualities	Practical skills in filming and editing (Knowledge of Adobe Creative Suite)	E
	A solid understanding of the practical processes involved in filmmaking.	E
	Flexible, able to prioritise demands across facilities	D
	Evidence of the ability to work co-operatively with multi-disciplinary professionals.	D
	Evidence of the ability to consult and seek advice and professional support as necessary	D
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	A commitment to working with young people and an understanding of how to use technology in a creative and original way	E
	Good subject knowledge	
Personal Qualities	A commitment to the Schools mission, ethos and equal opportunities policy, together with high standards of education, care and behaviour.	E
	Excellent communication and organisational skills	E
	A strong commitment to digital and creative arts	E
	A strong sense of teamwork	E
	Excellent communication and organisational skills, able to use own initiative	E
	An empathy with the use of the Arts in education	E

Terms and Conditions

Availability	To start ASAP
Contract Type	Permanent
Hours of Work	32.5 hours a week
Salary	Teachers Main Pay Scale (Outer London)

Appointments will normally be made to the first point of the grade. Payday is the 26th of each month or the last working day before this should the 26th fall on a weekend or bank holiday.

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 12 weeks.
Pension	Membership of the Teachers Pension Scheme is an important employee benefit providing future income for your retirement.

About Us

School Overview

The BRIT School is the leading Performing and Creative Arts school in the UK and completely FREE to attend. It provides a unique education for over 1,400 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.

The BRIT School has produced many successful singers, musicians, dancers, technicians, film-makers, performers, designers, games-makers, set-makers, community arts practitioners, DJs, actors, stuntmen, producers, authors and a whole lot more.

Former Students have so far won 12 BRIT Awards, 19 Grammys, 2 BAFTAS and 2 Oscars, a Laurence Olivier Award, a UK Theatre Award and 2 London Evening Standard Awards.

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.

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Monday 15th April 2024 (9am)

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The interview will consist of 3 parts, a formal Interview, a role related test and a tour of the school.

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.

We reserve the right to close this advertisement early if we receive a high volume of suitable applications.

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

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