

Job Title: Teacher of Product Design

Department information:

Product Design is a well established, popular subject with its own specialist teaching block, running AQA A Level Product Design to approx 220 students (12 classes). All classes are taught for a total of 4 hours 35 minutes per week organised into two double lessons of 110 minutes and one single lesson of 55 minutes.

The Product Design department has two design studios each equipped with interactive whiteboards and twenty computers running 2D Design, SolidWorks, Sketchup-Pro, Adobe Cloud and Google Suite. There is one extensive, well equipped workshop and large material preparation area. The workshop is equipped with many of the traditional machines such as centre lathes, milling equipment, casting in a heat treatment area that includes welding equipment as well as CAD/CAM equipment, including a large flatbed CNC router, 3D printer and a large laser cutter.

The department is made up of a dedicated team of three teachers and two full time technicians / instructors. We love design and are looking for an enthusiastic and ideally experienced teacher to join our team.

Special requirements:

A degree in a design related subject is essential, together with skills in several areas of Product Design; this should include a working knowledge of materials and manufacturing techniques. It would be useful to have up to date workshop safety certificates with a range of equipment and machinery.

This post offers excellent opportunities for career development particularly for a teacher who is keen to respond to the changing demands of the sector. We welcome applications from both experienced and newly qualified teachers who possess the ability to work effectively within a team. All teachers are expected to be personal tutors.

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Head of Subject
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