



Job Title: Lead Teacher of Art

School: Westhaven School

Salary: MPS + 1 SEN point (£2679 pa) ECT considered

Contract Type: Maternity Cover – (Job share will be considered) *12 months or the earlier return of the postholder.*

Start Date: January 2026

We are looking for a passionate, dedicated, child-centred Lead Teacher of Art to work at our fantastic SEND school. We offer small class sizes, a real focus on relationships and a supportive staff team.

We welcome applications from mainstream and SEN teachers with a strong background in Art. The successful candidate will teach Art to our KS3 and KS4 learners and Photography to KS4 learners, including up to GCSE and will be responsible for overseeing the delivery of Art across the whole school.

There will also be KS4 tutor responsibilities, teaching Entry Level English to KS4 Learners and, following our Ofsted inspection in December 2024, a focus on raising the profile of, and engagement in, Art across the school.

We strongly believe that by going the extra mile, we can transform the lives of our young people and give them the future they deserve. If you feel that this could be for you, please see our website www.westhavenschool.org.uk and if you like what you see, please contact us on 01934 632171 to find out more and arrange a visit.

Applications must be completed in full. Only complete applications will be considered and CVs will not be accepted under any circumstances.

Westhaven School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. This post is subject to DBS Barred List and Enhanced DBS Disclosure checks and satisfactory references. We will be undertaking an appropriate online search for shortlisted candidates. You can find our safeguarding policy on our school website.

Applications close on **Monday 3rd November at noon** with interviews taking place on **Monday 10th November 2026**.