GEORGE STEPHENSON HIGH SCHOOL

Teacher of Design Technology
MPS/ UPS
Maternity Cover
February 2027

This is an exciting opportunity to work in our successful and thriving Design department. You will be a Design Technology teacher, covering maternity leave from February 2027, able to teach GCSE Photography and Key Stage 3 Art and Design Technology. The department, which includes Design Technology, Photography and Art, consists of four well-qualified members of staff, including a Technician, who work together very closely, sharing ideas, resources and strategies to build on existing good practice. The department is committed to excellence in teaching and learning and provides students with a positive, enjoyable learning experience and a wide range of extra-curricular activities. At Key Stage 4 the courses offered by the department are popular and include GCSE Textiles, Photography, Fine Art and 3D Design. We are looking to appoint a passionate, inspirational teacher that will be skilled in a range of media and assist in working together to bring creativity and inspiration to a high performing department.

George Stephenson High School is a popular and inclusive 11–18 Trust school with over 1,200 students. Our most recent Ofsted inspection recognised the warm, respectful and inclusive culture that exists throughout the school, as well as our strong leadership, commitment to staff wellbeing and professional development, and positive relationships across the school community.

We value the strong partnerships between students, parents and carers, staff and the wider community, and we are proud to be a happy, friendly and welcoming place to learn and work

Please see the job description for more details. To apply, please download an application pack from www.gshs.org.uk and return a letter of application (no more than two sides of A4) and a completed application form for the attention of Mrs Angela Cowen (Headteacher's PA).

Closing date: 12 noon, Monday 30th November 2026

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