



## **Design Technology Teacher (3D Design or Resistant Materials) A TLR is available for a Head of Subject Position for the right candidate**

Icknield Community College and the Acer Trust are fully committed to Design Technology and the Arts. We are looking to recruit a dynamic Design Teacher to develop our provision further.

Our Design Department is well equipped and has a mature curriculum. Please see our website to see [what is currently on offer in Key Stage 3](#) for 3D Design. Students really enjoy 3D Design and we have a strong uptake at Key Stage 4. Results are excellent in this subject with all students achieving, on average, at least one grade higher than their FFT 20 target.

Our long-established tradition of GCSE success enables many of our students go on to study a range of design disciplines when they leave us. Our successful candidate will be:

- thoroughly committed to enabling all students to reach their potential;
- an enthusiastic teacher, with a broad range of practical skills;
- a creative and forward-thinking teacher who places high value on their own professional development in order to improve continuously as a practitioner
- motivated, resilient and flexible;
- a team player;
- committed to achieving a work/life balance and maintaining their own interests outside teaching.

We offer the successful candidate a school which:

- is fully committed to education;
- exists to serve its students and both support and challenge its staff;
- focuses relentlessly on improving teaching and learning in order to raise standards;
- enjoys positive relationships between staff and students;
- knows every individual student well because of its size;
- is on an upward trajectory and excited about its future.

In March 2019, Ofsted graded the school as 'Good' once again. The HMI Lead Inspector confirmed 'The leadership team has maintained the good quality of education in the school since the last inspection.' The report also described the Headteacher as '...an outward-looking, dynamic and thoughtful leader' who has 'instigated a number of far-reaching and successful changes over the last few years.' We believe that our Ofsted report describes our school accurately and are pleased with the comments in it.

Icknield Community College is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all staff to share this commitment. All staff must have a full DBS (Disclosure and Barring Service) Enhanced Certificate before commencing employment, which the school will process on appointment.

To discuss this post informally, please contact Charlotte Gibson ([charlotte.gibson@icknield.oxon.sch.uk](mailto:charlotte.gibson@icknield.oxon.sch.uk)), Assistant Headteacher. Completed applications should be sent to Lisa Best: ([lisa.best@icknield.oxon.sch.uk](mailto:lisa.best@icknield.oxon.sch.uk)).

- Applications close on Monday 17 April 2023 at 8am.
- Interviews are scheduled for Wednesday 19 April 2023.
- Start Date: September 2023