



DARTFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL

450TH ANNIVERSARY 1576-2026



MUSIC TEACHER

Full or Part Time

Required for September 2026

MPS/UPS (LFA)

We are looking for an enthusiastic and inspirational Music Teacher to join our successful department next academic year. There are excellent facilities for music, housed in a Performing Arts Centre, the Mick Jagger Centre. Music at DGS is a very popular subject both at GCSE and IB Diploma levels and over 300 students are engaged with our rich and varied extra-curricular programme.

The ideal candidate would need to be highly proficient on their instrument and demonstrate they have a broad subject knowledge.

You must be passionate about teaching, and you will be expected to collaborate with the Director of Music in planning and delivering lessons across a range of ages and abilities. You must be committed to delivering high quality teaching and learning, while promoting outstanding progress for all pupils. We will consider applications from newly qualified and experienced teachers.

Dartford Grammar School is one of the highest performing schools nationally at key stage 4 and key stage 5, with excellent facilities, designated as 'outstandingly successful' in successive Ofsted inspections, most recently December 2022. The school was recently identified as The Sunday Times State school of the Year in the South East, and has previously been recognised as the IB School of the Decade.

For further details and an application pack please contact the school - telephone: 01322 223039; e-mail: mbexley@dartfordgrammarschool.org.uk

Please return a completed application form, to the Head, Mr Julian Metcalf, Dartford Grammar School, West Hill, Dartford, Kent DA1 2HW.

Closing date: Monday 20th April 2026

Interview date: Week commencing 20th April 2026

(The school may interview early in the case of an exceptional candidate)

Dartford Grammar School is a selective secondary academy for boys, which admits girls to its sixth form. There are six forms of entry to Year 7, and all of the students joining the school are from the top 25% of the ability range. The current roll is 1,576, including 659 in the sixth form. All students in the sixth form study the IB Diploma Programme.

The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff to share this commitment. An enhanced DBS check is required for all successful applicants.

A LEARNING COMMUNITY DEVELOPING INTERNATIONAL CITIZENS

Headmaster: Mr J C Metcalf BA MA

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