

# Job Description:

## Peripatetic Teacher - Pianoforte



### Post Details

School: Twynham School  
 Post type: Teaching Staff  
 Grade/Pay Level: £26.40/hr  
 Reporting to: Director of Performing Arts

Main Purpose
To teach the pianoforte to an exceptional level to students in Years 7 to 13, preparing them for assessments in either external performing examinations, or GCSE and A Level examinations.

Main Duties and Responsibilities
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Teaching pianoforte and keyboard from Year 7 up to and including Year 13.</li> <li>• Following the ABRSM, Trinity Examination and/or Rock School specifications as appropriate and preparing students fully for examinations.</li> <li>• Dovetailing teaching with the experience students have had over the course of the academic year.</li> <li>• Completing personal administration tasks to deadlines.</li> <li>• Completing one report a year to communicate with parents the students' progress made on their chosen instrument.</li> <li>• Communicating with members of the Music Department and parents as appropriate.</li> <li>• Running an extra-curricular activity suitable for your role</li> <li>• To undertake other reasonable tasks relevant to the needs of the school as the need arises.</li> <li>• Provide a nurturing environment that help students to develop as learners.</li> <li>• Demonstrate performance skills with competence.</li> <li>• Use the student Music Scholarship Logbook weekly to keep a record of attendance, to communicate with music staff/parents and to set work.</li> <li>• Prepare students for and attend any annual music concerts.</li> <li>• Attend and support other concerts during the year as agreed with the Director of Performing Arts.</li> <li>• Help to establish / maintain discipline and good order in lessons.</li> </ul>

Twynham Learning Attributes for all Staff	
Ambition for excellence	Inclusiveness
Professionalism	Positivity
Humility	Community-mindedness
Championing change	Being collaborative

Personal Attributes
<p><b>Essential:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A genuine love for music and learning.</li><li>• Sharing a passion of music with enthusiasm.</li><li>• Work effectively in a team.</li><li>• Be an excellent performer.</li><li>• Display excellent communication skills.</li><li>• Be adaptable to the needs of the student.</li><li>• Be able to connect with students and prepare them to be independent.</li><li>• Show a positive attitude.</li><li>• Choose appropriate pieces to the ability and needs of every student.</li><li>• Display a strong work ethic.</li></ul> <p><b>Desirable:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Show a high degree of patience.</li><li>• Be able to identify problems quickly.</li><li>• Have an ability to assess performances.</li><li>• Have knowledge of GCSE and A Level performance requirements.</li><li>• Take a lead when organising performances.</li><li>• Play the pianoforte.</li></ul>






Other Duties
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Promoting and safeguarding the welfare of children and young people in accordance with the school's Safeguarding and Child Protection policies.</li></ul> <p>All Twynham Learning staff may periodically be expected to carry out tasks and duties within their area of competence that are not listed herein, as directed, to meet the needs of the Trust. The particular duties and responsibilities may vary from time to time.</p>



Notes
<p>This job description may be amended at any time in consultation with the postholder.</p>