



Teacher of Design Technology
Permanent, full time or part time considered
Salary: MPS1-UPS3 (£25,714 - £41,604)

We are looking for an enthusiastic teacher of Design Technology. Ideally the successful candidate will have experience of delivering across Textiles, Product Design or Food Technology. This post is suitable for NQTs or more experienced teachers. The most important criteria for us is that you support our vision of “succeed and thrive” for all students; that you are willing to create an excellent climate for learning where students develop academic success, alongside a confidence and love of the subject.

John Taylor Multi Academy Trust (JT MAT) believes in the power of education to improve lives – and the world. As a partner school in JT MAT, we are seeking to appoint an enthusiastic, dynamic teacher to join our evolving organisation. We welcome applications from those people who want to work flexibly or if you are looking for a full time role.

John Taylor Free School at Tatenhill is a “young” school which opened in September 2018 with a full cohort of 210 Year 7 students. We are in the fortunate position of being oversubscribed for the first four years. From September 2022 we will have 1170 students in years 7-11. The school will continue to grow until it reaches capacity with 1550 11 – 18-year-old students (including 350 at Post 16).

At KS3, students have discreet lessons covering all aspects of the Design Technology National Curriculum. At KS4 students follow the AQA Design Technology and AQA Food and Nutrition specifications. This post is a fantastic opportunity for a creative specialist who wants to make a significant contribution to the future development of the Design Technology curriculum here at John Taylor Free School.

If you are excited about the prospect of joining a new school with a distinctive educational philosophy, we would like to hear from you. As we are currently delivering our first GCSE cohort and planning for A Level provision, you will play a vital role in shaping our GCSE Curriculum. As a member of staff, you will be part of securing the vision of “succeed and thrive” for all members of our community. You will be prepared to be flexible, adaptable and dependable – you are willing to go above and beyond to help our students be outstanding learners and responsible young people.

If you have a passion for excellence and share our vision, we can offer you the opportunity to be part of a successful and progressive Trust, which is committed to ensuring learning is at the heart of all we do. As a part of the National Forest Teaching School Alliance and working with The Staffordshire Research School at John Taylor we will focus on your development, whatever stage you are at in your career. As a research informed school with a coaching for excellence model, we want you to succeed and thrive too.

Please note CV's are not accepted. Only fully completed application forms are to be submitted for shortlisting.

Application forms should be returned to Mrs Sian Byrne, PA to Head of School, at recruitment@johntaylorfreeschool.co.uk. If you have any questions, please do get in touch.

Please review our Recruitment Pack on the school website before submitting your application.

Closing date: 9:00am on Monday 21st February 2022

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