

## **TECHNOLOGY TEAM**

The Technology subject team is a friendly and welcoming department made up of staff from a wide range of professional backgrounds. The department consists of eight members of staff, including subject specialist teachers, an instructor, and technicians, who work collaboratively to deliver a high-quality curriculum.

The department benefits from excellent facilities. These include a dedicated computer room equipped with state-of-the-art technology, including a laser cutter and 3D printers. There are three well-resourced workshops containing a wide range of hand tools and machinery. We also have a purpose-built textiles classroom that has been recently refurbished, as well as two fully equipped kitchens with a range of cooking equipment and air conditioning. All workshops and classrooms are fitted with interactive whiteboards with full audio-visual capability. In addition, the department has a dedicated Technology staff workroom, providing a central space for collaboration, planning, professional discussion, project development, and formal meetings.

We offer a broad, engaging, and creative curriculum. At Key Stage 4, students can study GCSE Design and Technology: Product Design, Design and Technology: Textiles, and Food Preparation and Nutrition. At Key Stage 3, students follow a carousel system that allows them to experience a range of projects across textiles, product design, and food and nutrition.

As a department, we are committed to continually developing our practice with the aim of delivering consistently high-quality lessons. We plan carefully structured lessons that promote engagement and ensure an inclusive curriculum that supports all learners. Creativity, independence, and higher-order thinking are actively encouraged. The department also offers a range of extra-curricular opportunities and plays an active role in wider school activities, including working closely with our feeder primary schools.

We are seeking a creative, enthusiastic, and hard-working candidate who is committed to providing all students with an outstanding experience throughout their Technology education. Strong interpersonal skills and the ability to work effectively as part of a team are essential. High levels of motivation, energy, and the ability to inspire and engage young people are key qualities for this role.