



# **The West Bridgford School**



## **Visiting Teacher of Music Piano Application Pack**



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**Mr T Peacock** B.Sc (Hons)  
Headteacher

21<sup>st</sup> September 2026

Dear Applicant,

### **Re: Visiting Teacher of Music – Piano**

Thank you for your interest in the above post. The Governors are seeking to appoint a visiting Teacher of Music – Piano.

Enclosed with this letter are the following:

Copy of the Advertisement  
Department Information  
Job Description

Applicants should return the application form (CV's are not acceptable), with a letter of application, by 12-noon, Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2026.

Yours sincerely,

Staff Services Department

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## Visiting Music Teacher (Piano)

The West Bridgford School has an opportunity for an outstanding Piano Teacher who is able to inspire and develop our musicians at The West Bridgford School. We are looking for a candidate who can start as soon as possible.

The successful candidate will be comfortable teaching students from Years 7 to 13, from beginner to post grade 8. The role will also include accompaniment for our GCSE and A-Level music students on an ad-hoc basis.

The post holder will be engaged on a self-employed basis and will be expected to be available for at least one day per week, term time only. The rate of pay is £34.50 per hour.

The successful candidate will have to meet the requirements of the person specification in order to be offered the post and will be subject to an enhanced DBS check. The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects staff and volunteers to share this commitment. We welcome applications regardless of age, gender, ethnicity or religion. For further information, and an application pack, please visit our web site at [www.emet.academy/vacancies](http://www.emet.academy/vacancies) or email [recruitment@emet.uk.com](mailto:recruitment@emet.uk.com)

Only applications submitted on the school's application form will be considered. We do not accept applications through recruitment agencies.

**Closing date for applications is at 12 noon, Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2026.**

## **JOB DESCRIPTION**

### **Visiting Music Teacher**

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| Salary:            | £34.50 per Hour – Self Employed Basis                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Responsible to:    | Head of Performing Arts                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Hours of work:     | The post holder will be engaged on a self-employed basis and will be expected to be available for at least one day per week, term time only.                                                                               |
| Other information: | Appointments made are subject to the receipt of satisfactory references, confirmation of medical fitness for this post and the outcome of the enhanced check to be carried out through the Disclosure and Barring Service. |

The West Bridgford School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

#### **Duties and Responsibilities**

- Teach music lessons during the school terms to pupils. Lessons will normally be on a one to one basis but will occasionally include small groups or ensembles.
- To prepare and enter pupils for examinations, ensembles and performances including formal and informal concerts held throughout the academic year.
- To arrange a timetable that is suitable for the needs of the pupils and takes into consideration other school commitments (provided these commitments are notified to you in advance).
- Prepare and send invoices to parents/carers, in line with the instrumental music lesson contract.
- To be entirely responsible for the format and content of the lessons and methods of teaching.
- Record and maintain in a register details of pupils who attend and miss the lessons and provide the school with a copy on request.
- Observe such reasonable and lawful policies and procedures as shall be notified to you by the School from time to time, including (without limitation) those relating to child protection, health and safety, access to and use of the School's information and communication technology, confidentiality and car parking.

**PERSON SPECIFICATION**  
**Visiting Music Teacher**

| <b><u>Qualifications/training</u></b>       |           |
|---------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Music degree                                | Desirable |
| Grade 8 Distinction on principal instrument | Desirable |
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| <b><u>Experience</u></b>                                         |           |
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| Experience of teaching in a secondary school environment         | Essential |
| Experience of preparing students for formal grade qualifications | Essential |

| <b><u>Skills</u></b>                                                                                  |           |
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| To be able to lead/conduct small ensembles                                                            | Essential |
| To be able to arrange music for an ensemble where required                                            | Essential |
| To have an understanding of pedagogy that will enable a child to fulfil potential on their instrument | Desirable |
| Be able to arrange pieces of music for school ensembles, to suit the needs of students                | Desirable |
| To be able to accompany students on piano                                                             | Desirable |
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| <b><u>Qualities</u></b>                                                 |           |
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| Suitable for work with children                                         | Essential |
| Passionate about the role of music and instrumental teaching in schools | Essential |

