



**Hampstead Fine Arts College: Job Description for Teacher of A Level Fashion/Textiles**

The College is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff to share this commitment.

<b>Role</b>	<b>Teacher of Fashion/Textiles</b>
<b>Accountable to:</b>	Director of Studies
<b>Accountabilities (in addition to those required of a qualified teacher)</b>	<p><b>Teaching and learning</b> Teaching of Fashion/Textiles</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Teach in accordance with the relevant Eduqas examination board assessment criteria</li> <li>• Planning and preparing relevant material and activities to teach the classes allocated, according to academic policies</li> <li>• Setting and marking students work regularly and appropriately in line with College policies; recording marks, monitoring progress and writing reports as required</li> <li>• Participating in the arrangements for preparing and assessing students work</li> <li>• Cooperating with colleagues in operating mark schemes, researching materials and participating in training</li> <li>• Participating in the Staff Appraisal Scheme and cooperating with the appraiser</li> <li>• Ensuring subject knowledge and teaching skills are kept up-to-date</li> <li>• Being available at all reasonable times during the College day and during College holidays when necessary, at pre-arranged times</li> <li>• Covering lessons for absent colleagues</li> <li>• Ensuring, where appropriate, that work is displayed in teaching rooms and a high standard of tidiness is maintained</li> <li>• Attending Departmental Meetings and general Staff Meetings and participating in smaller working groups as appropriate</li> </ul> <p><b>Pastoral</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sharing in the pastoral responsibility for all students in the College, liaising where appropriate with Tutors, Personal Tutors, Heads of Year and the Senior Management Team</li> <li>• Maintaining good order and discipline among students, safeguarding their welfare, health and safety at all times when they are the responsibility of the College. Being familiar with the College policies on child protection, discipline and health and safety</li> </ul> <p><b>General</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sharing in supervisory duties and general duties; upholding good standards of behaviour, dress and punctuality among students</li> <li>• Attending and contributing to as is reasonable, other College activities, events and trips, playing an active part in wider aspects of College life</li> <li>• Attending Parents' Evenings and Open Days as required</li> </ul>
<b>Review and Amendment</b>	This job description should be seen as enabling rather than restrictive and will be subject to regular review.

**Salary: Competitive**

## Person Specification

### Skills Required

Decision making skills: the ability to solve problems and make decisions	Essential
Teamwork: the ability to work collaboratively with others	Essential
Communication skills: the ability to make points clearly and understand the views of others	Essential
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### Knowledge Base

Excellent professional knowledge and understanding	Essential
Excellent subject knowledge	Essential
Understanding of national and examination curricular requirements of the subject	Essential
Up to date with professional developments in the subject and other aspects of education	Essential
Be able to support students to develop skills in research, observation and realisation of ideas	Essential
Enable and support students in the study of Fashion/Textiles by facilitating the learning of a wide range of skills and techniques specific to fashion and textile design	Essential
Have weave experience and be able to incorporate this into the curriculum	Essential
Experience of surface pattern, fabric manipulation, digital design, printing, creative pattern and garment making	Essential
An excellent knowledge of traditional and contemporary textile makers to include weavers, embroiderers	

### Qualification/Attainment

Qualified teacher status	Desirable	
Honours degree in Fashion Design or Textiles Design or related title	Essential	
Post graduate qualifications	Masters degree/ post graduate diplomas	Desirable

### Experience

Proven experience as a subject teacher at KS5	Essential
Strong record as a classroom practitioner	Essential
Exceptional knowledge of current legislation, guidance and developments relating to the subject area	Essential
Understanding of child safeguarding issues and successful measures that promote and ensure the safeguarding of children	Essential

### Attitude/approach

Ability to support students and to instil an enthusiasm for designing and making	Essential
Possess a positive attitude	Essential
Flexible and firm, with the ability to know when to be either	Essential
Enjoy rising to the challenges inherent in a College environment	Essential

