**St aloysius’ college**

**Part-time Art Teacher (0.5) Maternity Cover**

**The School and Department**

St Aloysius’ College is a distinguished 3-18 selective independent school (HMC) right in the cultural heart of the city of Glasgow. For a teacher of Art this is a unique site cheek by jowl with the Glasgow School of Art and within its own architecturally distinguished buildings. It is an inspiring place in which to teach and work. The Art department has a large suite of rooms within our Mount Building. Within our Junior School there is a spacious art facility. The department is friendly and keen to engage students in Art in its myriad forms as well as making links with a wide variety of subjects.

**Specific responsibilities of the post**

* Teaching assigned classes together with associated preparation and assessment
* Liaise with other colleagues on pupil progress, lesson planning and development of pupil course work
* Working with colleagues within the department to ensure the continuous development of the Art curriculum
* Assisting, recording and reporting on the work of pupils
* Preparing pupils for examinations (as relevant) and assisting with their administration
* Providing advice and guidance to pupils on issues related to their education
* Promoting and safeguarding the health, welfare and safety of pupils
* Working in partnership with parents, support staff and other professionals
* Undertaking appropriate and agreed continuing professional development
* Participating in issues related to school planning, raising achievement and individual review
* Contributing towards good order and the wider needs of the school

**Person Specification**

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|  | Essential | Desirable |
| Qualifications/Training: | GTCS Registration  Relevant current teaching qualification. | Evidence of post entry CPD and or additional teaching qualification if appropriate. |
| Experience: | Evidence of an ability to plan coherent progressive and stimulating teaching programmes matched to individual pupils’ needs. Ability to incorporate a range of innovative and creative teaching strategies and methodology. | Experience of presentation for national qualifications. |
| Skills/Knowledge: | Evidence of an ability to organise and manage classes and resources to achieve appropriate, safe, stimulating and meaningful learning experiences for pupils.  Can manage pupil behaviour and classroom incidents fairly, sensitively and consistently. Promotes positive behaviour and can seek and use the advice of colleagues. | Can evaluate and justify the approaches taken to managing pupils and, when necessary take effective action to improve them. |
| Personal Qualities: | Evidence of an ability to communicate clearly making skilful use of a variety of media including ICT. Can interact productively with pupils, individually and collectively. | Evidence of reflective practice demonstrating sensitivity to the impact of their personal style of communication on pupils and others in the classroom. |
| Other Requirements: | Builds positive relationships with parents, professional colleagues, the wider community and other agencies. | Demonstrates knowledge about environmental issues and is able to contribute to education for sustainable development. Promotes health and well-being and can encourage pupils to be active, critical and responsible citizens. |