

Music Teacher Primary – Part time

CFBL is looking to recruit a music teacher for Primary for the school year 2022-2023.

Start date: September 2022

Contract type : Permanent – part time

Line Manager: deputy Head for Primary

Housed in a listed Victorian building in the heart of London, Ofsted Outstanding-rated CFBL hosts 700 students from Nursery to Year 10 in a warm and welcoming environment. With over 35 nationalities represented in the student body, and a particular emphasis on languages and multicultural learning, CFBL promotes openness, tolerance and flexibility, and help students become citizens of the world.

Our co-educational, bilingual teaching is based on an enhanced version of the French curriculum, which fosters academic excellence and promotes the personal development of the pupils while preparing them for whatever they choose to do next, whether they decide to take the French baccalaureate, IB, A Levels or prefer another stream.

Our staff members come from a wide range of backgrounds and nationalities, bringing fresh perspectives and cultural enrichment to the learning experience, and helping to spark new ideas and foster creative collaborations. We believe that children can learn about the world inside and outside the classroom, and encourage projects and trips to develop their confidence and self-esteem. So, if you're passionate about education, open to the world and brimming with exciting ideas, we'd love to have you on board.

The role

The purpose of this role is to put the welfare and development of the pupils at the core of all activities, to prepare and deliver innovative and interesting Music lessons as required by the French curriculum and to contribute to the school by participating in the life of the school community.

Lessons will be taught in English.

This part-time teaching role is 8 hours/week contact time + 2 hours for end of year show preparation (1hr), organisation and weekly management of the Staff Chorale (1 hour).

As a primary music teacher, you will:

- Plan and prepare imaginative Music lessons which meet the requirements of the French

- curriculum and which cater for the needs of the whole ability range within each class;
- Work closely with other teachers to develop coordinated lessons, projects and activities;
 - Set academic targets as required by the curriculum building on prior attainment and draw up lesson plans to enable pupils to achieve the targets;
 - Teach lessons in English and ensure the lessons have a clear structure which maintain pace, motivation and challenge and use a variety of teaching methods;
 - Ensure pupils acquire and consolidate their knowledge, skills and understanding in Music;
 - Organise learning resources which are positive and stimulating and motivate pupils with enthusiastic presentations;
 - Produce high quality display work as required;
 - Take responsibility for and promote the welfare and safety of pupils at all times.
 - Monitor the pupils' progress by recording pupils' performance at all levels, in line with the French assessment system, to ensure pupil development and act as necessary.
 - Set and mark work and internal examinations and tests;
 - Prepare informative reports and provide feedback on pupil's progress for the school reports;
 - Maintain discipline and high standards of courtesy and appearance among pupils at all times, in co-operation with other members of staff and in accordance with school procedures;
 - Encourage good practice with regard to punctuality, behaviour, standards of work and homework;
 - Review lesson plans and content to ensure they continue to meet the needs of the pupils and the curriculum;
 - Recommend the ordering of specialist texts, equipment and teaching materials essential to the maintenance of a high standard of teaching;
 - Take part in school events which may take place at weekends or in the evenings
 - Recommend school trips to benefit the learning of the pupils and organise and participate in trips as required;
 - Work with parents and trustees to maximise their involvement in the school

Other duties

- Attend meetings and training as required;
- Attend major school functions (eg prize giving) and any other functions as required.
- Provide occasional cover for the absence of a colleague as necessary;
- Ensure compliance with school policies and procedures and in particular in relation to safeguarding procedures and health and safety.
- Assist with school inspections as required by the Primary Headmaster;
- Keep up to date with changes in the curriculum and developments in teaching Music;
- Contribute to the school's planning activities;
- Undertake any other duty or responsibility which may reasonably be requested by the Primary Headmaster or authorised deputy.

The ideal candidate

- Has QTS / teaching qualification and ideally, experience of the French education system and curriculum
- Is passionate about education
- Has strong interpersonal skills and can build relationships and collaborate with a

wide range of people.

- Is committed to their ongoing professional development
- Shares CFBL's vision of education
- Embraces developments and innovations in teaching and learning
- Is interested in the welfare and pastoral wellbeing of young people
- Is enthusiastic and positive

Salary and benefits

The school offers a generous compensation and benefits package, including:

- Competitive salary (dependent on qualifications and experience)
- 16 weeks' holiday (schools' holidays as set by the French embassy)
- Competitive employer pension contribution (8% defined contribution)
- Up to £2,000 flexible benefits to use on transportation, travel, childcare, big purchases...
- Free lunch daily (cooked on the premises)
- High-quality professional learning throughout your career with us
- Perkbox scheme (discounts at a wide range of retailers)
- Bike-to-work scheme and season ticket loan
- School fees remission
- Family friendly policies (such as enhanced maternity pay and paternal leave)
- Life Insurance & Income protection
- Health Cash Plan (opt-in)

Conditions

Safeguarding and welfare

The School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, and applicants must be willing to undergo child protection screening appropriate to the post, including checks with past employers and an Enhanced Disclosure from the Disclosure and Barring Service.

Right to work in the UK

The EU's free movement rules no longer apply in the UK. European Economic Area ('EEA') nationals must be granted immigration permission to live and work in the UK. There are numerous requirements that employers sponsoring individuals under the Skilled Worker route must meet. Please let us know in your application if you would need us to support your application for a visa.

How to apply

Please send your CV and cover letter to recruitment@cfbl.org.uk (stating “PM 2022” in the subject line) by **30th June 2022**.

First stage interviews will take place on **the week commencing 4th July**.