

June 2026

Dear Colleague,

Thank you for your interest in the post of Art Technician at Stowupland High School. This letter will provide you with further information about the role, and give you an idea of where we are now as a school. I hope that the information will encourage you to apply. This is a permanent position, for 25 hours per week (term time only).

I am looking to appoint a colleague who enjoys working with young people to support their academic progress and personal development. You will be flexible throughout the full academic year, with the ability to fit into ongoing needs of the Art timetable at different times as requested. You will be passionate about making a difference for our students and be able to share your skills and knowledge with our staff and students to help them make the most of their time in lessons. You will be creative in your approach and keen to make a difference to students' lives.

In return, we will provide you with the resources you need to shape this role and provide outstanding support for the Art department. You will receive training to develop your practice in a school which is on an exciting journey to success, joining our highly supportive team of technicians. We have an enviable culture based on mutual respect, a new Learning Village, staff training centre and conference room. The school is part of the Oxlip Learning Partnership. As such we enjoy fantastic support from a wide network of colleagues in mid-Suffolk and Ipswich, as well as through our partners around the country.

We are creating a school founded on traditional values of respect, kindness and courtesy. We have the highest expectations of behaviour, and have introduced a wholly consistent approach to behaviour management across the school. The result is an exceptionally calm, orderly environment, built on strong relationships and mutual respect. Thanks to our centralised behaviour systems and resourcing, staff can share their passion for their subject with students who are eager to learn and keen to secure the best outcomes. You will be a key member of our support team, helping our students to increase their love for art and their appreciation of the wider life of the school.

The Art department is extremely well resourced, and enjoys large, bright and welcoming art rooms. This will be your base, and you will have constant interaction with the Subject Leader for Art and other key staff in the department. We will ensure you have a full induction programme and regular training and development to support you in this crucial role.

We would welcome applications from those who are experienced in working with young people, with a demonstrable track record in securing high standards. You will be passionate about helping young people fulfil their potential and you will be resourceful and creative in how you achieve this. You will

also have the ability to develop inspiring, professional relationships with our students. In return we will offer you a role in a school and Trust committed to providing a warm and welcoming school environment.

Above all else, I am looking for a highly motivated and inspiring colleague who wishes to develop their career in a school which is committed to the highest standards.

You can find more details in the application pack. If you have any questions, or would like to arrange a visit, please do not hesitate to get in touch and I would be delighted to help. You can contact Mrs Lesley Blake (Art Co-ordinator) by email - lblake@stowuplandhighschool.co.uk

I hope that this post is of interest to you, and look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,



Lee Walker
Principal