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Dear Colleague

Thank you very much for your interest in the one year fixed term post of Teacher of Drama or Drama with Dance at The Boswells School. We are an extremely popular, oversubscribed and very successful 11-18 school who values our staff and the impact they make on our students.

The Boswells is highly supportive of the Performing and Creative Arts. The Faculty consists of specialists in Music, Art, Dance, and Drama and is led by a Head of Faculty. Each of the subject areas of Music, Dance, Drama and Art is led by a member of staff with a TLR for this responsibility. The Performing and Creative Arts team meets regularly and members are very supportive of one another. Appointed to this Faculty area are an Administrative Assistant, Performing Arts Technician and Art Technician.

The Performing and Creative Arts Skill Area is strongly committed to school productions and students in all Year groups are invited to participate. The Dance, Drama and Music Departments have jointly produced 'A Christmas Carol' this academic year. Productions are always a complete sell-out. Children from the local primary schools are invited to watch the dress rehearsals.

The school has dedicated drama and dance studios. Regular concerts are presented by the Performing and Creative Arts Faculty and we have been extremely pleased with the exceptionally high standard of performance that the students have achieved.

This is a unique opportunity for a highly motivated colleague to develop their career and enclosed with this letter is a job description and person specification for the role. If you believe that you have the necessary skills and are seeking an opportunity to develop these skills then I look forward to receiving your application.

Applications are welcome from colleagues who already have QTS status. The Drama Department is extremely well resourced and you will be joining a very strong team with excellent resources at your disposal.

It is also important that you realise that we can offer you a huge amount of support in development of your career. We take pride in the fact that, as a school, a large number of our staff move on to promoted positions.

Thank you for your interest in The Boswells School. Please do not hesitate to contact me at the school if you require any further information. If you would like to visit the school or meet with me prior to submission of your application, please contact my PA, Ms Georgina Travers on 01245 264451. You can also contact Paul Butler (Head of Faculty) on pbr@boswells-school,com directly should you wish to discuss any aspect of the role.

Alternatively a huge amount of information about the school can be found at www.boswells-school.com



















The deadline for applications is Midday on Friday 17^{th} May and interviews will take place the following week.

Yours faithfully

Stephen Mansell

Headteacher