



Christ Church Grammar School

DUTY STATEMENT

Visual Arts Teacher

DATE: May 2025

TIME: 0.24 FTE for Semester 2 2025, Semester 1 2026.

STATUS: Part-time, Fixed Term

FACULTY/AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY: Art

POSITION CONTEXT:

Christ Church Grammar School is an Anglican day and boarding school for boys from Pre-Kindergarten to Year 12. Located in Perth, Western Australia, the school overlooks the Swan River at Freshwater Bay in Claremont. Enrolments are comprehensive and at present are approximately 1850 students including boarders. The school consists of the Preparatory School (PK to 6) and the Senior School (Year 7 to 12).

LINE MANAGEMENT:

Reporting directly to the Head of Department: Art

WORKING RELATIONSHIPS:

The Art Department has 9 staff members.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- An experienced art specialist with the ability to teach boys across a range of disciplines, including drawing, painting, and sculpture.
 - Teaching methodologies appropriate to mixed ability classrooms and boys' education.
 - Contribute positively and collaboratively to the development of Visual Arts curriculum programs and assessments across all year groups from Year 7 – 10, with Year 11 – 12 advantageous.
 - An ability to contribute to the co-curricular programs of the school, as well as collaboration with colleagues on cross-curricular projects, school wide art events and / or cultural celebrations.
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TEACHING DUTIES:

Two classes (11 periods) across a 10 day cycle.

EXPERIENCE AND QUALIFICATIONS

This position requires:

- Relevant tertiary qualifications and experience related to the teaching of visual arts courses in line with the WA Curriculum
- All applicants must be eligible to teach in Western Australia, have National Police Clearance and have completed a Working with Children Check

The person must:

- Commitment to upholding the school ethos
- Teach with exceptional innovative educational pedagogy and show an understanding of boys educational teaching and learning practices
- Inspire students to value learning and help them set personal educational goals
- Bring a range of academic expertise and life experience to the classroom by being passionate about their subjects, reflected in their energy and enthusiasm and in the diversity of their teaching practice
- Experience with effectively reporting on curriculum outcomes
- Show an awareness of the emotional development and needs of students
- Be able to affirm and reward learning, empower and challenge students while setting high expectations
- Be able to use teaching strategies that are flexible and accommodating which cater for different ability levels
- Foster and encourage student-centered learning collaboration and peer learning through creative challenges
- An ability to model excellence in all facets of the role
- Exceptional interpersonal skills and the ability to relate to students and parents from a range of diverse backgrounds
- Work with independence and superior organisational skills
- Set goals and prioritise work with the capacity to manage multiple, simultaneous tasks
- Meet deadlines
- Communicate and collaborate with peers and colleagues in a positive, productive and effective manner
- Ability to oversee & maintain control of a broad range of ICT equipment with exceptional management skills

CO-CURRICULAR:

All Teachers are involved in some co-curricular activity commensurate and prorated according to their contract teaching load, and as a consequence, join other Teachers and possibly other members of the school community in activities which will embrace associated professional obligations e.g., collegial support and administrative meetings. The School will consult with a Teacher with respect to the nature of their participation in the co-curricular offerings of the School. Where possible the particular skills and interests of the Teacher will be taken into consideration in the allocation of their co-curricular commitment, balanced against the School's need to adequately staff the activities on offer.

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

Christ Church Grammar School takes child protection seriously, and as an employee of the School, you are required to meet the behavior standards outlined in our Child Protection Policy and the Staff Code of Conduct, as updated from time to time.

Therefore, as part of your duties and responsibilities, you are also required to:

- Provide a welcoming and safe environment for children and young people
- Promote the safety and wellbeing of children and young people to whom we provide services
- Ensure that your interactions with children and young people are positive and safe
- Provide adequate care and supervision of children and young people in your charge
- Act as a positive role model for children and young people
- Report any suspicions, concerns, allegations or disclosures of alleged abuse to management
- Maintain a valid Working with Children Check and Teaching Registration
- Report to management any criminal charges or convictions you receive during the course of your employment/volunteering that may indicate a possible risk to children and young people
- Participate in:
 - regular performance management procedures and professional learning linked, where appropriate, to the Professional Standards for Teachers in Western Australia
 - professional learning covering the Staff Code of Conduct, your mandatory reporting obligations and all school policies and procedures at least biennially
 - professional learning on the recognition of grooming and child abuse, and appropriate prevention practices and strategies

SALARY, TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

- The successful applicant will be employed under the Christ Church Grammar School Inc Enterprise Agreement 2022

- Opportunity to further your career through PD and study considered
- Salary will be negotiated according to qualifications and years of experience