

JOB DESCRIPTION

Job Title: Dance Teacher	Department: Whole School
Reports to: CL-Performing and Visual Arts	
Role: The Dance Teacher will be responsible for delivering a broad range of dance styles, including but not limited to ballet, contemporary, jazz, hip-hop, and traditional cultural dances. The role involves creating a nurturing and inclusive learning environment that promotes student engagement, creativity, and self-expression through movement and performance.	
<u>Planning and preparing for students' learning:</u> • Deliver engaging and age-appropriate dance lessons across Key stages. • Teach a diverse range of dance styles and techniques, integrating cultural and contemporary forms. • Encourage creativity and self-expression through movement and performance. • Develop and implement assessments to monitor student progress and achievement. • Prepare students for school performances, assemblies, and special events. • Collaborate with other educators to support cross-curricular learning. • Maintain a safe and positive learning environment in line with school safeguarding policies. <u>Creating an effective learning environment:</u> • Create a respectful classroom environment. • Establish an effective rapport with students and colleagues. • Establish a culture for learning. • Establish and maintain effective classroom management. • Manage individual student behaviour. • Manage physical space. • Support students socially, emotionally and academically. • Reinforce and reward positive behaviours. <u>Teaching and learning:</u> • Communicate instructions and feedback clearly to enhance students' understanding and progress in dance. • Employ effective questioning and discussion strategies to encourage creativity and critical thinking. • Inspire and engage students through dynamic and inclusive dance lessons. • Provide timely and constructive feedback to support the development of technique and performance skills. • Differentiate teaching approaches to meet the varied learning needs and abilities of students. • Integrate technology to enrich choreography, music selection, and the overall learning experience. • Utilise a range of resources to support skill acquisition and artistic expression. <u>Professional values and behaviours:</u> • Appreciate the diversity of TBS cultures and be sensitive to the needs and perceptions of the international community. • Reflect on teaching and learning to improve practice. • Maintain accurate records.	

- Know and understand school policies.
- Communicate with stakeholders in a timely fashion.
- Contribute to school and student life.
- Contribute to professional learning networks where appropriate.
- Grow and develop professionally within the British School context.
- Show professionalism at all times with all stakeholder groups.
- Put the needs of students first.
- Meet all deadlines.
- Understand and work to implement the school's mission and values.
- Maintain high ethical standards and display integrity at all times.
- This Job Description does not define all duties and responsibilities of the position and the school may assign other tasks from time to time to help operationalise the role.
- The school may review and modify or amend the Job Description as needed after discussion with the position holder.

Competencies:

- Will follow teaching staff Competencies

Personal Attributes :

- Excellent written and spoken English.
- Behaviour management skills.
- Ability to work in a team.
- Willingness to take on added responsibilities.
- Ability to adapt teaching methods to suit diverse learning needs.
- Passion for promoting physical wellbeing and artistic expression through dance.

Qualifications and Experience:

- Graduate or Postgraduate degree in Dance or a related field.
- Strong choreography and performance skills.
- Excellent communication and classroom management abilities.

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Safeguarding Information

The British School and all its personnel are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. Applicants must be willing to undergo comprehensive child protection screening including but not limited to checks with past employers.



Job Holder's Signature:

Date: