

Post No. :	3133
Post Title:	Instrumental and Vocal Music Instructor
Directorate:	Children’s Services
Division:	Education
Section:	Blackpool Music Service
Reports To:	5798 – Music Advisor
Location:	Blackpool Music Centre
DBS Status:	Enhanced- Child Workforce
Grade:	Music Instructor @ 24.40ph

Role Purpose
A commitment to promoting music within Blackpool as part of Blackpool Music Service.
To interact positively with all customers, partners, organisations, schools and pupils.
To display good interpersonal skills and a commitment to working within a team.

Main Duties and Responsibilities
An ability to plan, prepare, assess and report.
To be able to ensure pupils make appropriate progress in their lessons and over a period of time.

Qualifications	Please mark which are Essential or Desirable ▶	E/D
Music degree, similar qualification, or substantial and sustained experience within a professional music environment.		E
Instrumental qualifications e.g. grades/diplomas. Keyboard experience.		E
Evidence of continued professional development relevant to the job		E
Teaching qualification		D

Knowledge, Skills and Experience	Please mark which are Essential or Desirable ▶	E/D
An appropriate knowledge of working with all age groups including Wider Opportunities and recent musical initiatives will be required as will a working knowledge of various instrumental teaching techniques.		E
Good communication skills (vocal & written) will be essential.		E
An understanding of external practical examinations and expectations including GCSE and A Level.		E
ICT competent.		E
The post holder will have a distinct ability to		
1. safeguard and promote the welfare of pupils		E
2. sufficiently motivate and inspire pupils to make progress every lesson and over a period of time		E
3. promote a positive working atmosphere		E
4. work with enthusiasm and commitment		E

5. work with large groups, small groups and individual pupils	E
6. work effectively with other staff in a team teaching situation when involved in <i>Wider Opportunities</i>	E
7. liaise with parents and school staff in a tactful and professional manner	E
8. perform to a high level on their principal instrument	E
9. perform to a satisfactory level on other members of their instrumental family	E
10. work flexible hours outside of the school day if required	E
11. be able to meet deadlines	D
12. travel to different schools / venues during the working week to carry out teaching	E
13. work in accordance with the policies and procedures of the PAS and the City Council, with particular reference to efficient administration and communication with the Business Support Team	E
The post holder will have had experience	
1. of instrumental teaching	
2. in lessons preparation, planning, assessing and reporting	E
3. in delivering instrumental or vocal lessons to groups and individuals at all levels	E
4. of performing music to a high standard in a range of styles and settings	E
5. of directing or assisting with group music making activities (e.g. part choir, ensemble)	E
6. of teaching Wider Opportunities or classroom based similar initiatives	D
7. of offering support to schools relating to the Music Curriculum and SMEP	E
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Vision and Values
<p><u>Our Priorities</u></p> <p>We have two priorities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Priority one - The economy: Maximising growth and opportunity across Blackpool • Priority two - Communities: Creating stronger communities and increasing resilience <p><u>Our Values</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We are <u>accountable</u> for delivering on the promises we make and take responsibility for our actions and the outcomes achieved • We are committed to being <u>fair</u> to people and treat everybody we meet with dignity and respect • We take pride in delivering <u>quality</u> services that are community focussed and are based on listening carefully to what people need • We act with integrity and we are <u>trustworthy</u> in all our dealings with people and we are open about the decisions we make and the services we offer • We are <u>compassionate</u>, caring, hard-working and committed to delivering the best services that we can with a positive and collaborative attitude

<p>Equal Opportunities:</p> <p>We do our utmost to ensure that there is no unjustified discrimination in the recruitment, retention, training and development of staff on the basis of their age, sexuality, religion or belief, race, gender or disabilities.</p>
