

Art & Design Teacher (High School)

Closing date for applications: Monday 31 July 2022

Duties begin: 1 January 2023 (or as soon as possible after that by negotiation) - ESCS reserves the right to hire the most qualified candidate before that time.

General Details:

1. Applications must be sent to the headmaster via email at headmaster@escs.org.za or delivered to reception and suitably addressed for the headmaster's attention.
2. Interviews will commence shortly after the closing date.
3. Please take note of the general requirements for all teaching posts at ESCS which are found at <https://escs.org.za/info/#Vacancies>
4. This is a full-time position (07:30 – 15:30 daily).
5. All full-time staff are also expected to attend two staff development meetings after school, once a week, till 16:00.
6. The applicant should have an appropriate qualification in Art, e.g. a BA (Fine Art) degree and a PGCE
7. Art staff are required to participate in the High School extra-mural Art program.

Key Responsibilities:

A Art & Design Subject teaching in the High School

- Teaching the Cambridge curriculum in the Senior High School
 - o The Cambridge AS Level curriculum is followed in Grades 11 and 12
 - o The Cambridge IGCSE curriculum is followed in Grades .9 and 10
- The Cambridge Art & Design course includes a major Design component, using the CorelDraw program. The ability to teach Graphic Design will be considered an advantage.
- Research skills form an important part of the course, especially research about famous artists and their techniques
- Individual interviews are held with students from time to time to monitor the development of the students' examination portfolio work.
- A weekly Art department meeting will be required.
- All teachers will be required to do online Cambridge training from time to time.

B Assisting with one of the extra-mural Art clubs

Professional Development:

Training and support will be provided as applicable. Weekly staff development meetings are held on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons after school and staff may be required to attend additional training courses from time to time.

Opportunities:

Training and assistance will be given in transitioning from the national curriculum to the Cambridge curriculum. Staff are encouraged to avail themselves of the Cambridge online training available.

Unique teaching environment:

- Classes are small and the teacher has the opportunity to build a relationship with the students
- Staff work in small departments, where Biblical support and mentoring promotes teamwork and spiritual growth.