



**FUTURE
ACADEMIES**
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WOODWIND TEACHER (Clarinet and Saxophone) Recruitment Pack





WELCOME FROM OUR PRINCIPAL – Tony MacDowall

Dear Applicant,

I am delighted to welcome you to Pimlico Academy, one of the top schools in London. Pimlico Academy is a vibrant and exceptional place for learning, where students thrive in a supportive and enriching environment, guided by our vision of “*Freedom through Education*.” We firmly believe that every child deserves an outstanding education, regardless of their background, and we are committed to providing them with the opportunity to succeed.

Our **knowledge-rich curriculum** promotes academic excellence and provides the educational breadth that prepares our students for the future. Delivered by subject specialist teachers, each lesson is designed to be enriching and engaging, contributing to our students’ academic success. As a result, our students consistently achieve exceptional outcomes and secure places at some of the best universities in the country.

Beyond academic achievement, Pimlico Academy is deeply committed to **educating the whole child**. Our values of **Knowledge, Aspiration, and Respect** are embedded in everything we do, ensuring that we nurture the personal growth and character of every student. We aim to inspire, challenge, and motivate our students to aim high, work hard, and fulfil their potential.

Thank you for your interest in the **WOODWIND TEACHER** role. This is an exciting opportunity for an enthusiastic and dedicated individual to join our team and contribute to the continued success of Pimlico Academy.

As part of our team, you will play a key role in contributing to our holistic approach to education. If you are passionate about **academic excellence, student development**, and creating an environment where all children can thrive, we would love to hear from you.

Future Academies is passionate about diversity and inclusivity. We welcome applications from individuals who have the skills and experience to fulfil the requirements of the job description and whose values align with the ethos of Pimlico Academy. We encourage applications from candidates of all backgrounds, regardless of any protected characteristic.

If you would like to discuss the role in more detail, please do not hesitate to contact us at enquiries@pimlico.futureacademies.org.

Thank you again for your interest, and we look forward to receiving your application.

Best wishes,
Tony MacDowall
Principal
Pimlico Academy





JOB DESCRIPTION

JOB TITLE:	WOODWIND TEACHER (Clarinet and Saxophone)
LINE MANAGER:	Head of Music
HOURS:	Casual
SALARY:	£34 per hour
PLACE OF WORK:	Pimlico Academy
RIGHT TO WORK:	This appointment is subject to verification of the right to work in the UK. Where the successful candidate has worked or been resident overseas in the last five years, such checks and confirmations will be required in accordance with the statutory guidance
START DATE:	September 2025

The Role

Pimlico Academy seeks an experienced, inspirational woodwind (clarinet and saxophone) teacher to join our highly committed, experienced and supportive music department. Pimlico Academy is looking for a woodwind teacher to teach to small groups of students ranging from beginner to intermediate standard, for approximately one afternoon/morning per week.

MAIN RESPONSIBILITIES AND TASKS

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Teach singing to groups of 1-4 students. Groups will be set by ability, age and experience.
- Prepare students for performances and examinations.
- Contact parents to discuss attendance and progress of students.
- Be in contact with Head of Music to relay information of student progress.
- Write a report on student progress in the summer term to be sent to parents.
- Act in a professional manner.



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- To promote the aims, values and ethos of the trust and uphold the trust Data/GDPR policy.
- To adhere to all Academy policies and procedures.
- To attend training courses as required
- To observe and promote Equalities across the Trust.
- To be responsive to school/ needs, demonstrating speed of response through own actions and proactively proposing ideas and solutions.

No job description can be entirely comprehensive, and roles develop organically over time. The post holder will be expected to support with any other duties appropriate to the role, as and when this is required.

PERSON SPECIFICATION

The right person for the job will be:

- Committed to music education as well as being a passionate and outstanding performer
- A good communicator, with outstanding planning and organisational skills and the ability to work within a team
- Committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children

WHAT CAN WE OFFER YOU?

1

Colleagues who care about the children they serve and each other.

2

A curriculum that is centrally resourced and locally owned.

3

An evidence-based hybrid CPD offer, striking balance between central input and local tailoring to context.

4

Bespoke leadership development opportunities with the chance to be involved in a year-long programme including executive coaching.

5

A thoughtfully crafted staff benefits offer through our partner, Mintago, including tax-free childcare, cycle to work vouchers, virtual GP access and much more.

6

A two-week October half term with no reduction in holidays elsewhere.

7

Integrated instructional coaching through StepLab, enabling feedback which is timely, developmental and low-stakes.

8

Access to a generous enrichment fund, outside of the school funding envelope, through a bidding process to our charity sponsor, Future.

9

We lean into the size of our MAT. With ten schools, we are small enough for you to know everybody, and big enough for you to lean on them for support.

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We treasure staff voice and use SchoolSurveys to get benchmarked data on how our staff feel and what they think. 83% of staff feel their line manager make them do their job better, against a contextual benchmark of 60%.

APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Applying for the role

- To apply for the post, please visit our website - [Vacancies - FaceEd \(face-ed.co.uk\)](https://face-ed.co.uk)
- Applicants should complete the online application form via FaceEd. Applicants should also complete the 'Personal Statement' section of the online form to the best of their ability and use this section to demonstrate how they meet the requirements set out in the person specification. Please ensure specific examples are included.
- Applications after this date will not be considered.

2. Interview Process

- The interview process will take place as soon as possible after shortlisted has been completed. The interview will include a formal interview and may include practical tasks related to the knowledge and skills required for the role.

3. Notification & Feedback

- Candidates that have taken part in interviews will be notified as soon as possible – please ensure that you have provided day and evening numbers on which you can be reached.
- Unsuccessful candidates will be given the opportunity to receive professional feedback.

4. Taking up the post

- The successful candidate will take up the post as soon as possible.

5. Additional information

- For further information please email Enquiries@pimlico.futureacademies.org and a member of the HR team will contact you.

6. Safeguarding

- As an educational trust, Future Academies is committed to the safeguarding and promotion of the welfare of all children and young people. Therefore, the Trust expects all members of staff and volunteers to share in this commitment. An 'Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service' check and a 'Barred List' check is required for this role.

