

PART TIME MUSIC TEACHER

- ▶ **Required: 01 September 2026**
- ▶ **Part Time 0.3 fte (flexible working pattern)**
- ▶ **Salary: MPS / UPS**
- ▶ **Pension: Teachers Pension Scheme**
- ▶ **Contract: Fixed term post 01/09/2026 - 31/08/2027**
- ▶ **Deadline for Application: Sunday 21 June 2026**

Bishop Wordsworth's School is seeking to appoint an enthusiastic and talented Teacher of Music to join our thriving Music Department on a part-time (0.3 FTE) contract. This a fixed-term position to provide cover for a period of planned staff absence and is expected to run until 31 August 2027.

The successful candidate will be able to teach Music at Key Stage 3 and will share our commitment to providing an outstanding musical experience for all pupils. A willingness to contribute to our extensive extracurricular music programme is essential.

Music is at the heart of life at Bishop Wordsworth's School. From our acclaimed choirs and ensembles to concerts, competitions and international tours, pupils are encouraged to perform, create and develop a lifelong appreciation of music. Recent performances have taken place at Salisbury Cathedral, Wells Cathedral, Winchester Cathedral and St Paul's Cathedral. Most recently, the Bishop's Singers travelled to Symphony Hall for the final of the National Choir Competition. Music is also a central feature of the wider life of the school, with our annual House Music Festival providing opportunities for large numbers of pupils to perform and compete, fostering participation, creativity and house spirit across all year groups.

The department enjoys a strong reputation within the school and wider community, with music playing a central role in school life, worship and major public events. Pupils participate in a wide range of ensembles and performance opportunities, benefiting from a culture that values both excellence and broad participation.

This is an exciting opportunity to join a department within a successful grammar school, working with motivated pupils who are passionate about music and supported by colleagues who are committed to maintaining a vibrant musical culture. Visits to the school are warmly encouraged.

We offer:

- A welcoming, supportive team
- Teachers Pension Scheme
- Cycle to Work scheme
- Access to on-site gym and sports facilities



For further details and an application form please visit the school website

<https://www.bishopwordsworths.org.uk/main-school/the-school/staff-vacancies/>. If you wish to have the opportunity of an informal discussion prior to submitting an application form, please contact Mrs Annie Lloyd-Gilmour (HR Manager) alg@bishopwordsworths.org.uk. Applications are accepted by post and email.

Bishop Wordsworth's School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. We will ensure that all our recruitment and selection practices reflect this commitment. All successful applicants will be subject to an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check, as well as other relevant re-employment checks including satisfactory references and medical clearance.

All shortlisted candidates will undergo social media checks prior to interview in order to provide the appointment panel with any information that may be relevant to their suitability or have an impact on the school's reputation.