



# Maternity Cover Teacher

A fixed-term teaching opportunity with The Music Academy in Tiverton

Hours	Contract	Holiday
<b>10+</b>	<b>6 months</b>	<b>3 weeks</b>
per week	fixed-term	during contract

We are looking for a warm, reliable and enthusiastic teacher to join us on a **6-month maternity cover contract**. This role is based in **Tiverton** and offers **10+ hours per week**, with the possibility of a **longer-term role** for the right person.

## About The Music Academy

The Music Academy offers high-quality tuition in guitar, piano, drums, bass and singing. We are a growing team of enthusiastic teachers with a vision to inspire the region into a love of music.

Our priority is the wellbeing of our staff. We want every member of the team to be able to honestly say they are healthier and happier because they work here. From that foundation, we aim to make a real impact in the local area through excellent music education.

## The Role

This is an excellent opportunity for someone who loves teaching, works well as part of a team, and wants to contribute positively to a growing music school.

You will deliver inspiring, well-structured lessons to students of different ages and abilities, helping them grow in confidence, skill and enjoyment.

There is also **potential for the role to become long term** if the placement goes well.



## Key Responsibilities

- Plan and deliver high-quality, engaging lessons to students of varying ages and abilities
- Teach mainly **1:1 lessons**, with some group teaching if required
- Build positive relationships with students and, where appropriate, parents
- Track student progress and help students work towards their musical goals
- Contribute to a positive, professional and encouraging learning environment
- Work collaboratively with management and the wider teaching team
- Take part in weekly team meetings where required
- Support the continued growth and reputation of The Music Academy

## Person Specification

- A strong and capable musician in their specialist area
- Enthusiastic about inspiring people to learn music
- Warm, engaging and encouraging in manner
- Able to communicate well with both children and adults
- Dependable, organised and professional
- A good team player
- Teachable and keen to keep developing

# Preferred Experience and Qualifications

## Helpful, though not essential

- Previous teaching experience
- A music degree, diploma or equivalent practical experience
- Experience teaching children and beginners
- Familiarity with graded music syllabuses such as Rockscool or similar

We would still encourage candidates without all of the above to apply if they show strong potential, a great attitude and a willingness to learn.



## Terms

<b>Contract length</b>	6 months
<b>Hours</b>	10+ hours per week
<b>Holiday entitlement</b>	3 weeks during the contract period
<b>Location</b>	Tiverton
<b>Start date</b>	6th July 2026
<b>Pay</b>	£30,000 pro rata (£14.43 per hour)

## What We Offer

- A supportive and friendly team environment
- The chance to be part of a growing music school with a strong sense of purpose
- Paid training and development opportunities where appropriate
- A meaningful role helping students grow in confidence and ability
- The possibility of a longer-term position if the role is a strong fit

## How to Apply

Please send your CV and a short covering email to [info@tmusicacademy.com](mailto:info@tmusicacademy.com)