



## Job Advert

<b>Post Title:</b>	Dance – Course Pathway Leader
<b>Reporting to:</b>	Principal
<b>Location:</b>	CAPA College, Wakefield
<b>Start Date:</b>	September 2019
<b>Hours:</b>	Permanent/Full-Time
<b>Grade:</b>	Dependant Upon Experience & Qualiications Plus TLR 2c £6,515.00 p.a.

CAPA College (Creative and Performing Arts College) is Yorkshire's newest and most exciting post-16 education institution. Since opening its door as Wakefield's first DfE-funded Free School in September 2018 within Enhance Academy Trust, CAPA College has already established itself as one of the leading Arts education providers in the North of England; and this is your opportunity to join our award-winning team.

Based in the heart of Wakefield, CAPA College delivers the highest quality training, education and pastoral guidance to support talented students, aged 16-19, who are serious about pursuing a career in the Arts. CAPA College aims to inspire, train and educate the next generation of performers, creatives, designers and technicians and attracts students from across Yorkshire and beyond. Students are enrolled on four distinct pathways: Performing Arts, Dance, Drama and Production Arts.

CAPA College provides students with intensive full-time practical training alongside the rigour of academic Arts study. This combination of Outstanding Arts training and academic excellence ensures that students develop the skills, training experience, knowledge, understanding and qualifications they need to progress to the top universities, leading national and internal Arts conservatoires and professional Arts-based employment. CAPA College is in the top 1% for student progress in the country.

CAPA College's professional approach and ethos continues to be maintained throughout all aspects of its provision. Alongside an outstanding curriculum and excellent teaching, students gain extensive experience performing through the UK and working alongside professional artists, companies and theatre venues.

CAPA College is led by a team of extraordinary teachers, performers, creatives, designers and industry professionals. The core leadership team have an impressive 12-year legacy which includes consistent 'Outstanding' judgements from Ofsted, impeccable exam results and a regional and national reputation for excellence.



This is a very exciting time as CAPA College prepares to implement the next stage of its development. CAPA College is currently renting temporary accommodation but will move to its new, permanent home on Mulberry Way (opposite Wakefield Westgate train station) in Summer 2020. This purpose-built, multi million pound facility will enable CAPA College to expand its cohort from 105 students to 250 students per year group as well as offering more performance and learning opportunities, new course pathways, increased staffing, exceptional resources and better outreach with the local community.

Are you excited by the opportunity to be a part of CAPA College as it becomes a flagship for Arts Education in the North? Are you highly motivated and have exacting standards? Then we would love to hear from you.

**We are looking for candidates who can:**

- Lead, manage and develop a stimulating, challenging and successful Dance Course pathway, setting high expectations to deliver first class student experience and outcomes across different dance genres.
- Work collaboratively with the Core Staff Team, staff and partners
- Oversee further development of the Dance Pathway development plan within the framework of the College Development Plan
- Monitor, review and evaluate the effectiveness of the plan
- Manage all aspects of the Dance Pathway in association with the Principal/Vice Principal
- Inspire, lead and support all Dance Pathway tutors in their duties and professional development so that there is a consistency in the provision of teaching, with staff ensuring students are motivated and provided with an opportunity to develop their creative talents in a positive, innovative and effective working environment.

**Successful candidates will be:**

- Dynamic with innovative ideas and a passion for teaching the subject and engaging with young people.
- Have excellent communication and inter-personal skills across a range of audiences.
- Generous with their knowledge and time and enjoy sharing resources and expertise.
- Positive, enthusiastic and enjoy working with young people aged 16-19

**In return, we will offer you:**

- An opportunity to make you mark in an outstanding new Arts focused post16 provision
- A professional and supportive team
- A fast-paced, exciting and highly creative work environment.

Please contact [info@capacollege.co.uk](mailto:info@capacollege.co.uk) if you require any further information.



Application packs can be downloaded from the CAPA College website  
[www.capacollege.co.uk](http://www.capacollege.co.uk)

Application forms can be:

- Completed on-line via the TES Jobs portal
- Downloaded for completion and sent with a covering letter by e-mail to [info@capacollege.co.uk](mailto:info@capacollege.co.uk)
- Posted to CAPA College, c/o Enhance Academy Trust, Church House, 1 South Parade, Wakefield WF1 1LP

**CLOSING DATE: Midnight Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2019**

**INTERVIEWS: Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

Enhance Academy Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Applicants will be subject to an enhanced DBS disclosure and pre-employment and safeguarding checks.