

Where can I find teaching work?

Below is a list of websites and journals where schools and other music education providers frequently place advertisements.

www.MusicTeachers.co.uk

The Musicians' Union has a partnership with this online teachers database. It is free to register and create a profile where you can highlight your MU membership, and any courses you've taken such as the NSPCC Child Protection course.

www.musicmark.org.uk

UK Music Mark is the umbrella body for music services and hubs. Many music services and hubs post job adverts here. Remember, recruitment often takes place up to a term before a job starts. You may see some jobs advertised followed by a number such as .1 or .5. A teacher's week is divided into 10 half-day slots, and each number equals one half day:

.1 = half a day .5 = two and a half days.

www.youthmusic.org.uk/near-you/jobs

Youth Music is a funding body that promotes work with youth music organisations. Sign up to their network for feeds about what is happening in the music education sector and for information about work opportunities.

www.tes.co.uk/jobs

The *Times Educational Supplement* advertises all teaching jobs in schools. Schools in the public and private sector will advertise for both classroom and instrumental teachers here.

www.rhinegold.co.uk/recruitment

Rhinegold publish *Music Teacher* and *Classical Music* magazines – you'll find job advertisements in both publications.

www.ukmusic.jobs.com

Jobs in all areas of the music education sector and the wider music industry are posted here.

Local music shops

Your local music shop's noticeboard can be used as an effective way of advertising locally. Ask if you can leave promotional material which includes your contact details.

Advice from the Musicians' Union

Have an up-to-date C.V. with references which you can send to schools in your area. Offer to do workshops and try-out sessions to encourage new pupils.