



Art & Food Technician

Recruitment Brochure

June 2026

Start date 1st September 2026



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About Sir William Robertson Academy

Sir William Robertson Academy is a highly successful 11–18 non-selective school serving the Lincolnshire community. We are proud to be one of the most sought-after schools in the area, with families recognising the many benefits of choosing a high-performing school set within a calm, picturesque, and rural environment. Our location provides a unique setting in which students can learn, grow, and thrive, combining strong academic outcomes with a supportive and nurturing atmosphere.

At Sir William Robertson Academy, our aim is for every pupil to Aspire to be the best that they can be. This core principle underpins all aspects of school life and drives our vision for a carefully planned, ambitious, and well-structured curriculum that meets the needs of all learners. We are committed to developing confident, resilient, and inquisitive young people who are well prepared for the next stage of their education and beyond.

Children are at the heart of everything we do, and this guiding principle is shared across all schools within our Trust. We value each individual and are committed to ensuring that every student feels known, supported, and encouraged to achieve their potential. Our strong pastoral care and inclusive ethos ensure that pupils flourish both academically and personally.

We proudly embrace the words of pioneering aviator Amelia Earhart, “No Borders, Just Horizons,” as a powerful message of aspiration, optimism, and opportunity. This philosophy reflects our belief that every student can succeed and that their future should not be limited by boundaries, but shaped by the opportunities they are encouraged to pursue.

Our first priority is to ensure that all pupils feel safe, secure, and happy within our school community. We foster a culture of respect, kindness, and high expectations, where students can develop the confidence and character needed to succeed in a rapidly changing and technologically complex world. Alongside academic achievement, we are dedicated to equipping our students with the essential life skills, values, and experiences necessary to move confidently into adulthood and make a positive contribution to society.



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Job title: Art and Hospitality/Food Technician
Working pattern: Term Time plus 1 Week, 32.5 Hours Per Week,
Contract Term: Permanent
Start date: starting September 2026
Salary: NJC 6-9

The Role

We are seeking a proactive, organised, and enthusiastic Art & Hospitality Technician to support the effective delivery of practical lessons within our Art and Hospitality & Catering departments.

This varied and hands-on role is essential in ensuring that learning environments are safe, well-resourced, and fully prepared. The successful candidate will work closely with teaching staff to support practical activities, maintain equipment, and contribute to the smooth day-to-day running of both departments.

Key responsibilities:

- Prepare, maintain, clean, and organise equipment and resources across Art and Hospitality areas
- Support practical lessons by preparing materials, ingredients, tools, and equipment
- Manage stock levels, including ordering, checking deliveries, and liaising with suppliers
- Support GCSE and vocational coursework, including NEA preparation and evidence gathering
- Take and manage photographic evidence of student work for assessment purposes
- Operate and maintain ceramic kilns safely, adhering to all health and safety procedures
- Maintain specialist equipment and arrange repairs or servicing where needed
- Provide guidance to staff and students on safe equipment use
- Assist with displays, exhibitions, and departmental events
- Ensure compliance with health and safety regulations (including COSHH, food hygiene, and kiln safety)
- Provide administrative support to ensure efficient departmental operation

Our school is committed to inclusion and to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people. The school expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. All appointments are subject to an enhanced DBS check.

Visits to the school are warmly encouraged the Head of Art and DT, Mr Nicholson, is available for tours on Monday 15th June between 12:15 - 15:15, Thursday 18th June between 12:15 - 15:15 and Friday 19th June between 10 and 12:15, a place can be booked by calling Amy Townson on 01400 272422

Closing date Sunday 28th June at midnight, interviews will be scheduled week commencing 29th June 2026.



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	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications	GCSE grade 5 or equivalent in English and Maths	Relevant qualifications in Art, Food Technology, Hospitality or related field Food hygiene certificate Health & safety or COSHH training
Knowledge & Experience	Experience of working in a practical or technical environment Experience of organising materials, equipment, or stock Understanding of health and safety procedures in practical environments Awareness of safe handling and storage of materials and equipment	Experience working in a school or educational setting Experience supporting Art, Food Technology, or Hospitality departments Experience with kiln operation or ceramics processes Experience supporting coursework or assessment preparation Knowledge of COSHH, food hygiene and safe kitchen practices Understanding of GCSE/Vocational coursework requirements (e.g. NEA) Knowledge of ceramics processes and kiln safety



<p>Skills & Aptitudes</p>	<p>Strong organisational and time-management skills</p> <p>Ability to prepare and maintain resources efficiently</p> <p>Good communication and interpersonal skills</p> <p>Ability to work independently and as part of a team</p> <p>Attention to detail and accuracy, particularly in record-keeping</p> <p>Practical, hands-on approach to tasks</p>	<p>Ability to use IT systems for stock control, records, and photography</p> <p>Creativity and ability to support displays and exhibitions</p>
<p>Personal Attributes</p>	<p>Reliable, flexible, and proactive approach</p> <p>Commitment to supporting teaching and learning</p> <p>Willingness to learn new skills and procedures</p> <p>Professional and positive attitude</p> <p>Commitment to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children</p> <p>Willingness to attend training, meetings, and school events as required</p>	