



Our Motto is "The Pursuit of Excellence"

Special Educational Needs and/or Disabilities (SEND) Co-ordinator

MPS/UPS plus TLR 1B

Required for April or September 2022

Wootton Academy Trust [WAT] consists of Wootton Upper School, which has 900 pupils in Years 9-11 and Kimberley 16-19 College, which in September 2021 will have 650 students in Years 12 and 13 studying Level 3 courses. The school and college are three miles apart from each other.

WAT is a happy, successful Trust and we are seeking to appoint someone to join our team and make a positive impact on students' lives. Staff here are supportive, caring and committed to a collaborative approach to teaching and learning. As a new member of staff, you can expect a warm welcome and a wide range of CPD opportunities to develop your practice and career.

We are looking to appoint a dynamic and highly motivated SENDCo to lead and manage the provision of special educational needs learning support across the school and college.

The successful candidate will provide professional guidance in the area of SEND and effectively use resources to bring about improved standards of achievement for all students across the Trust.

You will be an outstanding teacher, with an ability to generate and share a vision, lead and manage change effectively. You must be willing to, or hold the professional SENDCo qualification.

WAT is keen to invest in its staff: we would wish to support the successful applicant to complete further study to acquire a recognized National Professional Qualification.

Closing Date: 09:00 on Tuesday 30th November 2021. Please apply at the earliest opportunity. We reserve the right to close the vacancy early should we receive applications from outstanding candidates.

Applicants must complete the Trust's application form - we cannot accept CVs. An Application Form and recruitment information can be downloaded from our website www.woottonupper.co.uk or requested by email from recruitment@wootton.beds.sch.uk.

Please return the completed Application Form either by email to recruitment@wootton.beds.sch.uk or by post to the HR Department, Wootton Academy Trust, Hall End Road, Wootton, Bedfordshire, MK43 9HT.

Wootton Academy Trust is committed to safeguarding the welfare of children and young people, and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Applicants will be required to undergo child protection screening appropriate to the post, including checks with past employers and the Disclosure and Barring Service.

Wootton Academy Trust is committed to diversity in our workforce and welcome applications from all sections of the community. The role is covered by Part 7 of the Immigration Act 2016 and therefore the ability to speak fluent spoken English is an essential requirement for this role. All applicants must have the right to live and work in the UK.

A NOTE FOR RECRUITMENT AGENCIES - We prefer to hire people directly. We'll be in touch if we need you!