



## JOB ADVERTISEMENT

Schools / Trust	St. Mark's C of E Junior School,
	Somerset Road Education Trust
Job Title	Head of School
Full school address	Somerset Road, Salisbury, Wiltshire SP1 3BL
School telephone number	St Mark's - 01722 334497
	HR Office - 01722 420699
School email address	hr@sret.uk
Number on roll	362
Salary	L14-20
Commencement date	1 January 2022
Contract type	Full-time
Contract term	Permanent
Closing date	Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> October 2021 (noon)
Interview dates	Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> October & Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> October 2021

Are you ready for a unique and exciting new challenge? Are you passionate about teaching, learning and curriculum development and ready for the next stage in your professional career? Do you thrive on collaboration and value continued professional development for all? If so this role might be for you?

St Mark's CofE Junior School are looking for a new Head of School to lead the day to day work of the school, drive forward the curriculum and teaching and learning whilst inspiring a new generation of children.

St Mark's CofE Junior School is a three form entry Junior School with approximately 360 pupils on roll. In addition to this it is part of Somerset Road Education Trust which is a unique collaborative multi-academy trust, formed through the partnership with Wyndham Park Infants' School, St Mark's C of E Junior School and Exeter House Special School, who all share a single campus. As such this role offers the opportunity to lead a large well established Junior School whilst having the support of the Trust and the opportunities that are offered within it as part of the Executive Leadership Team within the Trust as a whole.

Since September 2019 Wyndham Park Infants' School and St. Mark's CofE Junior School have worked closely together as a Primary Learning Collaboration with Wyndham Park Infants' who is the direct feeder of St Mark's but also has their own Head of School. Both schools also work closely with Exeter House Special School and as of September new resource bases have been established at both St Mark's and Wyndham Park as part of this collaboration.

This role provides significant opportunities for professional development, collaboration and innovation.

We are seeking to appoint a talented, proactive and inclusive leader, who will lead St Mark's onto their next stage of development.

We are looking for someone who:

- Is passionate about Curriculum development and teaching and learning.
- Is inclusive and sees opportunities and possibilities for everyone no matter their level of need.
- Invests in staff to grow, develop and evolve.
- Has high aspirations and is proactive about their own professional development.
- Is fully supportive of the Christian character and values of the school.

We can offer you:

- Amazing, well behaved children who have excellent attitudes to life and learning.
- A positive family of experienced colleagues who will support and challenge you.
- A unique opportunity to work within a school and Trust where everyone is valued equally.
- Continuing Professional Development including opportunities within and across the Trust.
- Excellent opportunities to develop and broaden your leadership experiences both in leading the school and as part of the wider Trust.

If you are interested in this post an application pack can be downloaded from Somerset Road Education Trust website at <a href="www.somersetroadeducationtrust.uk">www.somersetroadeducationtrust.uk</a>. Alternatively, please contact the HR Officer, Tracey Allman, on 01722 420699 or email <a href="mailto:hr@sret.uk">hr@sret.uk</a> to request an application pack.

More information can be found via: www.st-marks.wilts.sch.uk.

Visits to the schools are warmly welcomed by prior appointment. Please contact HR Officer, Tracey Allman, on 01722 420699 or email <a href="mailto:hr@sret.uk">hr@sret.uk</a> to arrange a convenient time.

Somerset Road Education Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. All applicants will be subject to a full Disclosure and Barring Service check before appointment is confirmed.