



Welcome

Thank you for your interest in working at Stantonbury School.

Stantonbury School is a diverse, vibrant and inclusive learning community that serves a large catchment area in northern Milton Keynes.

Our ambition is clear: to ensure that every student has access to an outstanding education and is given the best life opportunities. Since joining the Tove Learning Trust in September 2021 Stantonbury School has started on a rapid improvement journey to meet this ambition. Progress has been good and we are now in a position to recruit a number of new colleagues to help us reach our goal. We hope that you will be encouraged to apply for this position and join us on our journey.

Our students are wonderful and are responding well to the new systems and processes that have been introduced since the school joined the Tove Learning Trust. They have appreciated the clearer classroom expectations and routines that we have put in place and welcomed the stronger focus on behaviour for learning. Most importantly they now feel safer in school and feel more confident that issues of concern are addressed rapidly and appropriately.

We think that working at Stantonbury School is a great choice. There are opportunities for growth and development, the staff team supports one another well and there is a strong sense of community within the School. We are also very focussed on reducing unnecessary work burdens for our staff and in promoting a healthy work life balance. There is a strong focus on CPD and teacher development which is supported by Tove Learning Trust colleagues.

We hope that by reading this application pack and browsing through our website, you will be encouraged to apply to work here at Stantonbury. We encourage pre-application visits or telephone conversations to discuss any aspect of the job or anything else about the School that you would like to know.

We look forward to meeting you.

Ben Wilson Associate Principal

Jim Parker Executive Principal





The School, the Trust and the local area

Stantonbury School serves a large area of northern and north central Milton Keynes. We are a highly inclusive school and we celebrate the diversity that our catchment area supports.

We occupy a large site and we are fortunate to have amazing facilities such as a sports centre, theatre, Astro turf pitch and athletics stadium. We have ambitious plans for the redevelopment of the site which started with the opening of a new 45 classroom state of the art block in January 2022 which accommodates three faculties.

Our PAN is 300 in year 7 and we plan to grow the school to reach capacity of 1800 in the next few years. We have a good sized Sixth Form offering a broad range of academic and vocational subjects.

Tove Learning Trust is committed to ensuring that all students achieve as highly as possible, and we work hard to offer stimulating environments that enable every learner to progress and flourish. The Trust has a small central team and a committed Board of Trustees that are focused on delivering outstanding outcomes. We aim to have academies that are excellent communities of learning where students thrive on success. There are eight secondary schools and three primary schools in this growing Trust.

Milton Keynes is centrally placed with excellent transport links, by both road and rail, to the rest of England. Milton Keynes is one of the fastest growing cities in Europe and has superb shopping, many bars and restaurants and a very good theatre. With excellent cinemas, Xscape and the Snow Dome, MK Dons FC and a range of other leisure options, there is plenty to do in Milton Keynes. For those who prefer the countryside, there are many beautiful Buckinghamshire and Northamptonshire villages on the periphery of Milton Keynes.

To Apply Please send a completed application form and covering letter to <u>recruitment@stantonbury.org.uk</u> Deadline is 12 noon on 10th February 2022