



Headteacher Vacancy

For a January or April 2023 start
Leadership pay range L15 - L21

Compassion, Peace and Service

We are looking to appoint a new Headteacher who exemplifies our core values within the experience they bring to our school.

We are:

- A warm and welcoming local school at the heart of a thriving village community, where confident, happy pupils flourish in a family atmosphere built on security and wellbeing.
- A church school with a distinctive Christian ethos, clear values and strong links with St Mary's Church.
- A school rated 'good' in our most recent Ofsted and SIAMS inspections, with a firm ambition to develop to 'outstanding' in the Ofsted framework.
- A school with a bespoke, integrated Early Years Phase, offering a continuous learning environment from Foundation Stage to the end of Key Stage 2.
- A positive learning environment that puts the whole child at the centre of its curriculum.
- A dedicated and enthusiastic staff team, guided by a committed governing body and supported by the close involvement of parents, carers, the PTFA and the wider village community.
- Strengthened and supported within the ODST trust

We seek:

- An experienced leader with integrity, enthusiasm and commitment, who will build on the recent development and successes of the school to help it achieve our ambition of becoming an outstanding environment for learning and development.
- A compassionate and courageous leader who will work collaboratively to nurture the talents of all staff and pupils.
- A strategic thinker with the vision and passion to drive forwards our developing curriculum and consistently improve rates of progress for all learners.
- A role-model who embraces the Christian ethos of the school and embodies our core school values of compassion, peace and service.
- An outstanding communicator, with a willingness to build relationships with parents and work in partnership with the church, governors, MAT, partnership schools and the wider community.

Close date: 23:59hrs on Sunday, 9th October 2022

Interviews for shortlisted candidates will be Wednesday, 19th October 2022

To arrange a school visit, please contact Bob Pattenden, School Improvement Advisor, on 07423 109 263 or email Bob.Pattenden@oxford.anglican.org

Applications must be made online at <https://www.odst.org.uk/vacancies>

Please note that CVs will not be accepted

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