

**Principal of School
Group 7 ISRL L24 – L30 NOR 320**

Required from April 2020

This is an exciting opportunity to join The Milestone School, which is part of the newly established SAND Academies Trust. The Trust aims to Support Achievement and Nurture Development. SAND consists of two Special Schools, with two more due to join in February 2020.

Owing to the promotion of the current Head Teacher to CEO of the Trust, we wish to appoint a dynamic and child centred Principal to continue the development of our Outstanding School.

The Milestone School is in Gloucester. Our pupils are aged 2 – 16 years with severe, profound and multiple learning difficulties and disabilities including those on the autistic spectrum.

We can offer you:

- 320 incredible, highly individual pupils
- A skilled and highly motivated staff team
- Support from an experienced set of Governors on the Local Advisory Board
- Collegiate work and support from the other MAT Principals
- Support and coaching from the Executive Principal/CEO
- A Board of Trustees fully committed to the development of SAND Academies Trust

We wish to appoint someone who:

- Has pupil safety at the heart of the school
- Is an outstanding practitioner employing a caring ethos to ensure our children always come first
- Has an excellent knowledge of the current issues and future trends impacting on the world of special education
- Has the confidence and ability to maintain and develop the outstanding nature of our school
- Has proven management, interpersonal and teambuilding skills.

OFSTED Quote:

Leaders, including governors, are highly ambitious for the school. Together, you are uncompromising in your determination to ensure the school continues to provide an outstanding education. You have extremely high expectations, which are shared by your highly skilled and committed staff.

Visits to The Milestone School are welcome; please contact the school HR department (Stephanie Fox, Head of HR tel 01452 874060 or email stephanie.fox@sandmat.uk) to make an appointment, and also visit the school website www.themilestoneschool.co.uk to learn more about us.

The closing date for applications is November 8th 2019. Interviews will take place on Thursday, November 28th November 2019 and Thursday, December 5th 2019.





SAND Academies Trust is committed to the safety and wellbeing of children. This position is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act. An enhanced DBS Disclosure will be required. The school is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

