

Job Vacancy

Post: Head of Science Faculty

Dates: January 2019

Location: Swallow Hill Community College (to be known as Dixons Unity Academy) - Leeds

Contract type: Full time

Contract term: Permanent

Salary: MPS / UPS TLR 1c

An exciting opportunity to join the newest school in one of the country's top Multi-Academy Trusts

We are looking for an exceptional Head of Science Faculty to be a part of taking Swallow Hill into its next exciting phase as it joins Dixons Academies Trust. The post will commence from the 1 January 2019 and will be a chance for candidates with ambition, drive and determination to be a part of transforming the lives of the community as Swallow Hill is welcomed in to the Dixons family.

The right candidate will have a passion for learning and supporting others to make progress, regardless of their needs, ability or background. You will ideally already be in post as a Head of Science or be a part of an existing leadership team within a science faculty with extensive knowledge and training associated with this role. You will be unwavering in ensuring our community is enriched by your dedication to improving the life chances and aspirations of young people. This is an incredibly exciting opportunity to join a forward-thinking Multi-Academy Trust with a moral drive to make a difference to the lives of young people.

The successful candidate will be:

- able to teach science to GCSE standard and have an excellent record of securing exceptional progress for students in this subject
- able to motivate and inspire students to achieve exceptional outcomes
- focused on building strong professional relationships across the academy and in the community
- committed to our unrelenting expectations
- aligned to a can-do culture
- committed to the happiness, well-being, self-esteem and progress of everyone at the academy

Please apply using the Dixons Academy application form and include a formal covering letter which addresses the person specification. Applications should be returned to jhulme@swallowhill.org

We positively welcome applications from all sections of the community. The trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Successful applicants will need to provide a current DBS certificate via the Update Service or undertake a DBS enhanced clearance for the trust.

Closing date for applications: Friday 28 September 2018 (12pm)

Interviews / selection: w/c 1 October 2018