



KINGSDOWN SCHOOL

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ICT Systems Manager

37 hours per week, 52 weeks per year

Up to £30,000 per annum

We are recruiting an ICT Systems Manager to work with the Leader of ICT Support Services. The post holder will play an essential role in the services provided to the school and the local community. You will need excellent technical and problem solving skills.

The ICT team has just completed projects that included VMWare and Ruckus Wi-Fi. Over the next 12 months, we are looking to use this investment to provide a consistent and efficient service to the School. We are looking for an individual who has sound knowledge and experience of various Microsoft and VMware technologies.

The ICT Support team provides ICT Services throughout the school with enterprise class technology that is leading edge and rivals systems found in other organisations. ICT is a key driver at Kingsdown and as such the team is professional and first port of call for advice and help for all staff and students.

The successful candidate will be enthusiastic about technology from Servers, SANs to the humble Raspberry Pi. To be part of our great team we are looking for a professional individual that is approachable, friendly and helpful when providing support to all our internal customers.

The successful applicant will have:

- An education to HND/First Degree Level in relevant subject area
- Knowledge of VMWare virtual infrastructure (VCP)
- Experience of installing, support and maintenance of Windows Servers 2003, , 2008 R2, 2012(MCP/MCTS)
- Knowledge and experience of configuring and troubleshooting Microsoft Exchange 2010, IIS 6/7, SQL 2014 ,), SmoothWall,
- Knowledge and experience of configuring and troubleshooting networking protocols and services (DHCP, DNS, IPV4, WDS, AD, Group Policy)
- Knowledge and experience of SANS and NAS from leading manufacturers, including Nimble Storage, DELL and HP
- Knowledge and experience of Microsoft SQL Servers specifically 2012 or 2014

- Knowledge and Experience of VB Scripts and Powershell commands
- Experience of Helpdesk support and management
- Good communication skills
- Supervisory experience
- The ability to organise and prioritise work
- Must have excellent communication skills and have the ability to speak non-technical to other members of staff
- Must be approachable and friendly

As part of the package, Kingsdown School offers:

- A good Continuous Professional Development (CPD) Programme
- A generous local government defined benefit occupational pension scheme.
- A service related holiday entitlement for support staff, starting at 24 days per year, rising to 30 days over 10 years, in addition to 8 Bank Holidays
- Generous staff support schemes including enhanced Sick pay, Parental Leave, Paternity & Maternity Leave
- A supportive and professional working environment

Hours of work: 37 hours per week (52 weeks per year) Mon - Thurs 8:30am - 4:30pm/Fri 8:30am - 4:00pm

An informal discussion and/or visit to the school is welcomed please contact the HR Department on 01793 837102 or recruitment@kingsdownschool.co.uk. CV's will be accepted in the first instance with a requirement for a Kingsdown School application form in due course once shortlisting has been decided.

Closing date for applications is Monday 30th November 2015

Interviews will be held week commencing 7th December 2015

If you have not heard from us shortly after the closing date this means that you have not been successful on this occasion

Further details are available by visiting www.kingsdownschool.co.uk.

Kingsdown School is a popular mixed 11-16 Academy situated on the eastern outskirts of Swindon. The most recent OFSTED inspection commented "The quality of teaching and learning, and the effectiveness of middle leaders have improved. Governors and senior leaders have moved into a higher gear. Students feel safe, behave well, are polite and get on well together"

Kingsdown School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of students and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The successful applicant will be required to undertake an Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check.