**The Chalet School**

The Chalet School is a Swindon Borough Council Community SEND School and is on target to join the Brunel SEN Multi Academy Trust (BSM) on 1 October 2018. In September it will have 60 pupils on roll. Our pupils are aged 3 - 11 years, all having complex learning difficulties including children affected by autism spectrum conditions (ASCs).

Following an Ofsted inspection in April 2017, in which the school was judged as “Requiring Improvement”, the decision was taken this January to apply to join BSM. It was evident that the resources of a larger, well established grouping of SEND schools would offer significantly greater opportunities for pupils and staff at Chalet School to benefit from, share and build consistently excellent common practices than are available to a small stand-alone school.

Following the decision to apply to join BSM the informal links that we previously enjoyed with Brimble Hill School and Uplands School, both BSM member schools, have been strengthened with members of BSM’s senior leadership team providing support, guidance and resources to assist us rectify Ofsted’s concerns.

Chalet School’s ambition, to be a member of a creative educational family committed to opening doors, opening minds, improving lives and realising potential for all, will be realised through joining BSM. Chalet School also shares BSM’s core values of **‘Aspiration’, ‘Integrity’** and **‘Inclusion’**. In joining with BSM, which currently consists of Brimble Hill School, Uplands School, Churchward School and Horizons College, Chalet School will be an integral part of BSM’s delivery of an effective and consistent 0 – 25 years SEN provision and resource.

Following the transition of the Chalet School to becoming a member of BSM, we now wish to appoint a substantive Head Teacher from January.

You are most welcome to visit and be shown The Chalet School. Should you wish to do so please call Paul Davis, our Business Manager, on 01793 534537.

The closing date for applications for this role is 22 June and we anticipate interviews will take place on 4 and 5 July.

To apply please complete our application form and return to us with your letter of interest highlighting your career to date.