

## **Challney High School for Girls**

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Dear Applicant

## Deputy Headteacher – Challney High School for Girls

Thank you for your interest in the Deputy Headteacher role at Challney High School for Girls.

I started at the school in September 2017, shortly after the school joined the Chiltern Learning Trust in March 2017. If you visit the school you will see that the facilities are absolutely splendid but more importantly, the girls are a delight to work with. They are keen to learn, well behaved and there is a purposeful relationship between them and their teachers. The pastoral system is strong and the girls' well-being is well supported and developed.

We are developing teaching and learning at the school through TEEP (The Teacher Effectiveness Programme) and also developing a culture of collaboration through initiatives such as 'Welcome in', a series of lessons observed by teachers together, Learning Lunches and a Teacher Toolkit.

This is an exciting time for the school and we want to appoint someone who will work with me, the girls and their families, the leadership team and staff, the Governing Body and the Chiltern Learning Trust, to ensure that the girls achieve more than might ever have been expected. We are looking for the right person for our school rather than a specific skills-set and therefore individual areas of responsibility for the post will be negotiated within the context of the whole leadership team responsibilities.

Please look on the school website and the Chiltern Learning Trust website to find more out more about us. <u>www.challneygirls.luton.sch.uk</u> and <u>www.chilternlearningtrust.org</u>

The 2017 results were strong with a progress 8 score of 0.64. This built upon the achievements of 2016. However, we need to ensure that our Ofsted 'label' reflects the achievements of the girls and the school. We therefore want to appoint someone with a strong moral purpose who is committed to making a difference and to drive the work of the school forward.

The successful candidate will be supported by a strong Governing Body and a highly skilled Trust central team. There is the possibility of 2 candidates being appointed.

I hope you will come and visit us. If you would like to arrange an appointment, please contact Sandra Smith (HR Officer) on <u>ssmith@challneygirls.luton.sck.uk</u> or telephone 01582 571427 to arrange a mutually convenient time. If you wish to discuss the post further, please do not hesitate to email me for an informal discussion <u>imylles@challneygirls.luton.sch.uk</u> or Adrian Rogers (CEO of the Trust) <u>arogers@chilternlearningtrust.org</u>

Please note the closing date for applications is Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> March at 12 noon.

Yours sincerely

Adrian Rogers CEO, Chiltern Learning Trust. National Leader of Education





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Joanne Mylles Headteacher







