

Advert for a new Headteacher St Ann's School, London W7 3JP a secondary SLD/PMLD/ASD special school

### **Job details**

Salary: L26 (£86,001) to L35 (£104,211)

Start date: January 2023

Hours: As necessary

Contract type: FULL TIME/PERMANENT

Reporting to: St Ann's Governing Body

St Ann's is an Ofsted rated Outstanding secondary school for young people aged 11 to 19 years with SLD, PMLD and ASD including those with Complex Learning Difficulties who often present with extreme behavioural challenges.

St Ann's is a highly inclusive school and prides itself in educating students with the most complex disabilities across the spectrum. As a Unicef Gold Rights Respecting School, St Ann's highly talented multi-disciplinary team is always considering how best to develop our students through delivering highly personalised learning opportunities. We are driven by our commitment to students' rights and our responsibility to deliver an evolving curriculum, driven by research and constant reflection on our day-to-day practice. St Ann's ethos is very much about preparing students for their adult lives and being an integral part of society. Our location within the heart of Hanwell town and easy access to community facilities greatly supports this process.

After 20 years, St Ann's current, inspiring Head is retiring and the Governing Body is looking for an experienced and talented practitioner who is passionate about this field of Special Education and who will lead from the front, build on the school's successes and take St Ann's to the next level.

We recognise the escalating pressures on our students' families and we work with them closely. Ealing is a vibrant, multicultural borough and we benefit from employing staff with many community languages that reflect that mix.

There are currently 110 students on roll and in the next two years there are plans in collaboration with the LA to remodel part of the school site and increase the number of students to 130.

We are excited by the opportunities that this post provides for the school community and we would welcome visits and applications from all candidates who consider that they can fulfill this brief.

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