

**MAGIC ARC INDEPENDENT SCHOOL, MEDWAY**  
**ASSISTANT HEADTEACHER – PRIMARY OR SECONDARY**

**L1 – L3 + special needs allowance**

**+ potential for performance related pay**

**+ potential for bonus scheme**

**For September 2019, or earlier**

We are seeking an Assistant Headteacher at primary or secondary level, to join us at Magic Arc School, Cliffe Woods, Medway in Kent.

**Magic Arc School** is a specialist independent school for children and young people with Autistic Spectrum Disorders (ASD). Now is an exciting time to join this wonderful school in its development and growth. We believe that personalised teaching and learning in an autism specific environment allows students' individual needs to be met and their capabilities fully realised. Our vision is powerful and ambitious. We aim to:

- provide excellence in education outcomes for all children
- develop independence and self-advocacy
- help children develop socially, emotionally and personally

The central focus of the new Magic Arc curriculum is the natural world and STEM, combining outdoor learning with a rigorous academic programme.

**We are looking for an ambitious, committed and dedicated practitioner who wants rapid, new experience and career promotion in the school system, alternatively someone who has experience of operating at a senior management level. Reporting to the Headteacher and as key members of the new Senior Leadership Team, you will have the capability to:**

- lead and manage teaching and support staff
- show initiative and set positive examples of good practice
- support curriculum development
- develop and grow your management potential
- be pupil outcome focussed

**You should:**

- Hold a recognised degree and relevant qualified teaching status (QTS)
- Have at least three years' experience of teaching across the Key Stages
- Be experienced, or have an interest, in working in an SEN setting (ASD)
- Have full knowledge of recent changes to the national curriculum
- Show leadership and management qualities

For more information, or to arrange a visit or a confidential discussion with the Headteacher, please contact the school on 01634-570-706.

**Please note:** We may hold interviews as and when applications are received, and these positions may be withdrawn at any point without notice. Final deadline for applications is \*\* .

**Magic Arc Independent School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. All offers of employment are subject to an Enhanced DBS check, and where applicable, a prohibition from teaching check will be completed for all applicants.**