



Washwood Heath
Multi Academy Trust

Director of ICT & Communications
GR7 - £56,154 - £72,883 (SCP 50 – 58)

Required from 1st September 2019

**Are you an ambitious and outstanding leader?
Are thoroughness, accuracy, consistency and simplicity your watchwords?
Does excellence and enjoyment underpin your work?
Are you ready for a new challenge?
Yes? Then join us on our exciting journey**

This post comes at an exciting time within the development of Washwood Heath Multi-Academy Trust (WHMAT). Our ICT function will be centralising in September 2019 and now requires a Director of ICT and Communications to lead our existing team.

We are looking for an ambitious and hard-working person to lead, support and help shape our newly centralised ICT team.

Ideal candidates will have experience of: -

- Developing improvement strategies and providing leadership in improvement for a business
- Operating all ICT facilities, servers & infrastructure
- Operating as a Strategic lead on all projects related to ICT
- Creating & leading on the development & implementation of an ICT Strategy
- Management of staff (preferably in an ICT related structure)
- Creating policies on best continuity practices on all matters ICT

(More detailed requirements for each role are shown in the job description and person specification)

We will offer you:

- A happy and caring culture linked to our well-being model – YES, work-life balance is important!
- A supportive and friendly ICT Team, Chief Executive and Deputy Chief Executive
- Opportunities for your own continued professional development, both internally and through collaborative working across WHMAT
- Access to an employee benefits package known as Perkbox, including discounted restaurants, cinema tickets and free mobile phone insurance.
- Access to a generous pension scheme (LGPS)
- Free on-site parking
- Generous terms and conditions such as annual leave and sick pay

Successful candidates will be based at one of the WHMAT academies but will need to be mobile to visit other academies.

At WHMAT, where a post is advertised as full time, we are “happy to talk flexible working”.



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Informal visits are warmly welcomed. Please contact Mrs Rose Chaundy, Employee Relations Manager at rchaundy@washwoodconnect.com or on 0121 675 9017 to arrange this.

Packs are also available to download from our website on www.washwoodmat.com.

Closing date for applications: Friday 25th May 2019

Shortlisting: Week commencing 3rd June 2019

Interviews and assessments: Week commencing 10th June 2019

Completed application forms should be emailed to recruitment@washwoodconnect.com

(NB CV's will not be accepted)

Exact details re Interviews and assessment activities will be included in due course.

Washwood Heath Multi Academy Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the care and welfare of children and expects all staff and volunteers to follow this commitment. Appointment to this post will be subject to an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check, qualifications check and at least 2 current references will be required.

These posts are covered by Part 7 of the Immigration Act (2016) and therefore the ability to speak fluent English is an essential requirement of these roles