



## **Candidate Information**

### **As children succeed, we succeed... no child is left behind**

Swanmore Church of England Primary School's Christian values of Honesty, Love and Respect strive to develop children into caring, reflective and proactive individuals; aspiring for the greatest achievement in all they do, seeking to improve themselves and the world around them.

We strive to deliver high educational standards, a high level of care, a strong but sensible moral outlook, an understanding of the modern world and a strong sense of community values echoed by our school philosophy - 'Learning for Life'. We are a friendly, vibrant school in a rural location at the heart of Swanmore village, which is 13 miles south of Winchester and within easy reach of the cities of Portsmouth and Southampton.

We are a two-form entry primary school, with approximately 410 pupils on roll, aged between 4 and 11 years old. Set within beautiful grounds, with close links to local pre-schools and Swanmore College, we have access to amazing facilities, including our own ICT suite, music/drama room, a well-equipped library, playframe, play trail and outdoor classroom, as well as use of a beautiful private wood. All of this promotes the children's learning in a safe, attractive and modern environment.

We expect high standards of work and behaviour from our pupils and encourage them to make the most of the opportunities offered to them. In return we undertake to provide them with a curriculum which is broad and balanced, relevant to individual needs and which inspires in the children a sense of awe and wonder.

Our before and after school wraparound care is provided by ActiveMe360, who provide a wide range of sports and extracurricular clubs as part of the after school provision, as well as at lunchtimes on certain days of the week. Breakfast club is offered from 07:30 and after school care runs until 18:00 daily.

Swanmore Primary School employs over 60 dedicated and enthusiastic staff across teaching and support staff roles, all of whom strive to make the school the best it can possibly be in order to benefit the children who love coming to school each day. Staff enjoy the use of a comfortable staff room, refreshments and an extensive employee assistance programme covering a wealth of information and support in all aspects of life, such as health, finance and legal issues, as well as an employee support line and counselling (including immediate members of the family) for when life gets tough. Staff also currently benefit from a paid 'golden ticket' day per academic year, to acknowledge all their hard work and effort.

We hope that this information has given you a flavour of the wonderful place Swanmore Primary School is. Please apply for your chosen role using the editable application form (either teacher or support staff) in the vacancies section of our website. Once completed, please forward to [adminoffice@swanmore-pri.hants.sch.uk](mailto:adminoffice@swanmore-pri.hants.sch.uk)

We wish you all the very best for your application!