

# **Candidate Information Pack**

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# St Paul's Way School

# **University Schools Trust**

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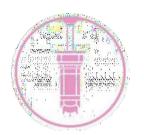








## Welcome



At St Paul's Way School we expect each of our graduates to be fully prepared for the opportunities and the demands of the adult world. During each child's school career we place strong emphasis on six key areas: Communication, Investigation, Networking, Participation, Scholarship and Vision. It is because students learn to excel in these areas that thev gain the confidence become successful global to citizens.

Our undergraduate curriculum. which promotes both academic excellence and the development of well-rounded citizens, is the result of very close work with two of our Trustees: Queen Mary University of London and King's College, London. It is precisely because of our unique relationship with these Higher Education institutions, alongside our other University Trust Partners, including Warwick University, University College London, The University of Greenwich and the University of East London, that we are able to provide this exciting, relevant and robust learning experience.

Nicholas John

**Executive Headteacher** 

The superb outcomes and the impressive university/career destinations achieved by our students, are testament to the success of our model and our belief that every child can fulfil their potential. Our accomplishments, however, have always been underpinned by the strong partnership forged with our families and the local community.

Our website will give you a broader picture of our school including key information and a sense of what our community stands for:

#### www.spwt.net

If you are interested in applying for the post and would like to arrange an informal discussion or a visit to our school, please contact HR on: 020 7987 1883 or

email usthrhelpdesk@ust.london

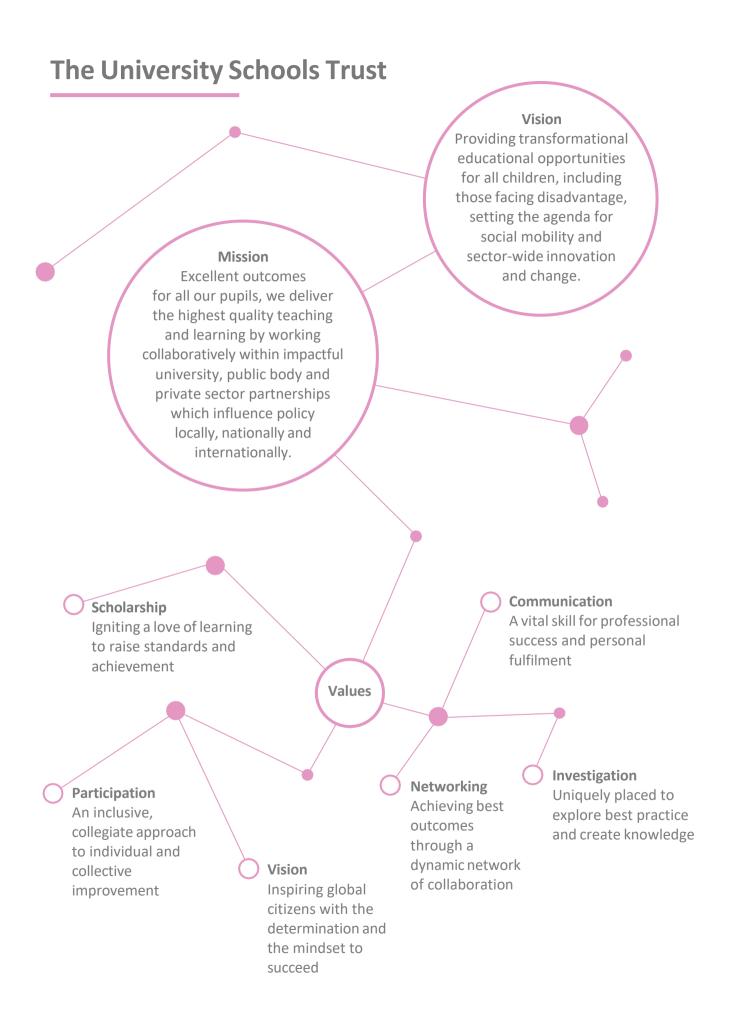
#### Bespoke career pathways Our Offer to you • Teacher Development Trust 'Bronze' award for professional learning IOE accredited leadership courses (NPQML/ NPQSL/NPQH) • Lead Practitioner development programme **Exceptional outcomes** Bespoke career pathways for teaching and Exceptional A-Level non-teaching support staff. results • Faculty-led CPD budgets. 96% of SPWT graduates going on to study at university. Most oversubscribed **Partnerships** school in the borough University partners including • Top attendance in the those from Russell Groups. borough. UST lead school. Opportunities to positively affect student life chances in schools across London. Attractive pay/conditions Annual Science Summer Inner London pay spine. School hosted by Professor Access to car parking facilities. Brian Cox, the school's Finance guidance and support. patron. **Great location** Located on Hackney/ Tower Hamlets border. Unique curriculum Walking distance from • Music scholars programme. Victoria Park/Mile End Park. Faraday school. Easy access to the Central Academic sixth form. line and Devons Road DLR. Lead members of the Tower Short commute from Hamlets Art Network (THAT). Canary Wharf. • Inclusive provision including Short commute to Deaf Support Base. Westfield Stratford. • Greenhouse tennis provision for students.

#### Workload and well-being

- 'Purposeful practice' workload tool.
- On-site gym access.
- Local incentives/discounts.
- Access to Cycle/Tech scheme.

#### Policies driven by professionals

- Faculty lead feedback policies.
- Teacher led curriculum design.
- 'Purposeful practice' staff consultation to reduce teacher workload.





The University Schools Trust (UST) and our schools provide excellent education, derived from exceptional teaching and learning, for thousands of pupils each year.

UST is a unique partnership of six world-leading universities and five sector-leading bodies who are working together to deliver a shared vision of inclusive, high quality and transformational education delivered by schools which are deeply rooted in the communities they serve.

We take a rigorous approach – educating from nursery to university and beyond – to all aspects of our work. Our teaching practice is effective, our students are academically challenged and we use our resources efficiently. The inspirational staff at UST are our greatest resource, and they are encouraged to innovate, share and continually raise our standards.

The UST School of Education, our innovative centre of excellence for school improvement, supports all our teaching and learning.

Our university links enable us to co-commission and participate in research to stretch our knowledge of what works and why, and our culture of open collaborative partnership encourages staff to share and learn with other education professionals.

By developing a culture of growth and excellence, the School of Education adds value to our greatest resource – our staff.

For more information about our School of Education please see:

https://www.ust.london/

### **Our School**

St Paul's Way School is the secondary phase of an all-through school with St Paul's Way Primary School. The school consists of 1,189 students on roll.

The school plays a pivotal role within the local community. The school received 540, 1st choice applications for the 2019 intake in year 7, making it the most popular school in the borough for the fifth consecutive year. We have created a culture that is committed to ensuring that students and staff excel. Leaders are relentless in ensuring that students receive the highest quality of provision in terms of curriculum and extracurricular opportunity.

Through the school's extensive network of partnerships through the University Schools Trust and beyond, there is a culture of high expectation of outcome beyond just the classroom and students are offered an extensive range of opportunities to excel. Leaders are ambitious in their vision for the school. They continually set and achieve ambitious targets in terms of student outcomes, attendance, and destinations.

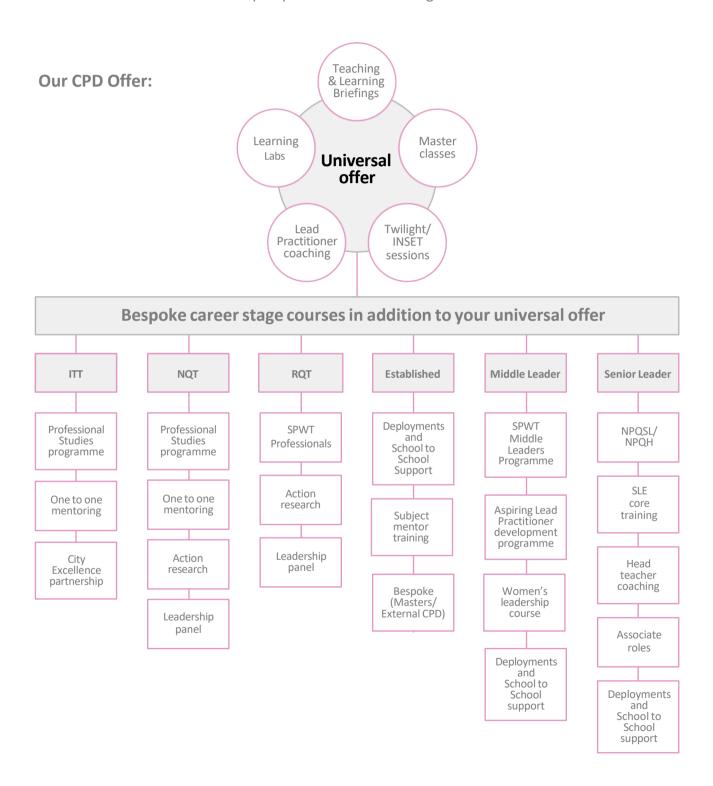
In 2017-2018, 98% of students from SPWT Sixth Form went to university. 66% of students went onto study at Russell Group Universities. Ambitious targets have been set for this year's GCSE and A Level outcomes, in keeping with the trend of high performance at both Key Stage 4 and 5 that exceed both local and national averages.

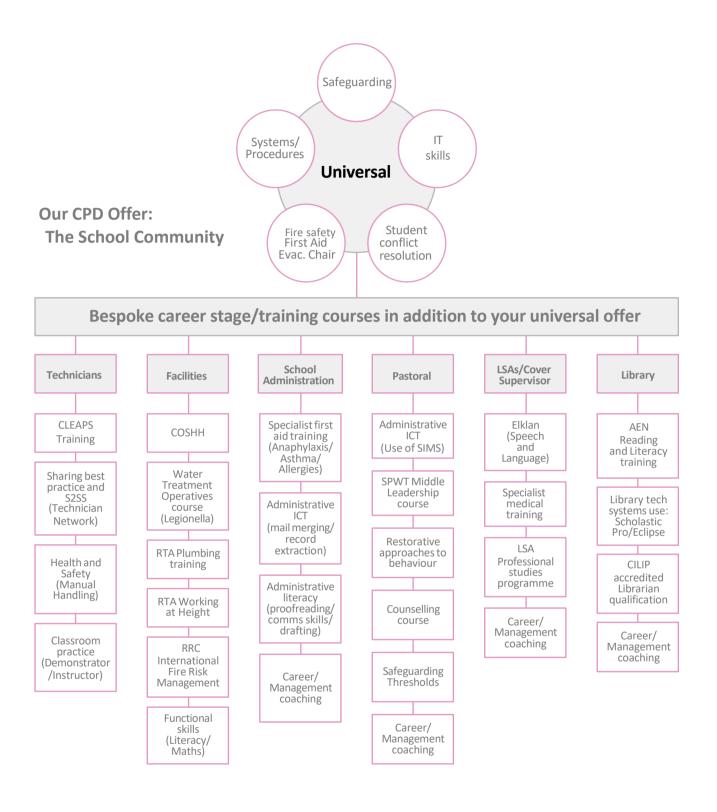
St Paul's Way School provides an inspirational physical learning environment for children and young people, and warmly welcomes the community. Secure access between public and private areas enables pupils and members of the local community to easily access the school's extensive dual use community facilities, which include a theatre and a large public sports provision.

The school benefits from a Science Research Centre; a project managed by Queen Mary University of London (QMUL) and an additional set of outdoor tennis courts that were completed in Autumn 2018, funded by extended grants from London Marathon Trust and the Tennis Foundation.

## **Development and Networking Opportunities**

SPWT offers all staff teaching and non-teaching opportunities to train and develop as professionals at all stages of their careers.





## **Application and Selection Process**

Candidates are encouraged to submit their applications as soon as possible as preliminary shortlisting may begin as soon as they are received.

To apply please choose the relevant link below, click on the job posting then apply online.

- Primary Vacancies <a href="https://ats-ust.jgp.co.uk/vacancies?occupational">https://ats-ust.jgp.co.uk/vacancies?occupational</a> areas=St+Paul%27s+Way+Trust+School%2C+Primary
- Secondary Vacancies <a href="https://ats-ust.jgp.co.uk/vacancies?occupational">https://ats-ust.jgp.co.uk/vacancies?occupational</a> areas=St+Paul%27s+Way+Trust+School%2C+Secondary

Deadline for applications can be found via the above links



