

Rowena Gaston

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Rowena has been responsible for strategy and implementation of the Development Programme at Canford School since 2016. Working with and alongside the Canford Community, engaging members and fundraising with a particular focus on increasing accessibility to a Canford education. Having worked in both the commercial and educational sectors, Rowena is a successful leader with a track record of producing, presenting and managing the implementation of innovative business solutions, marketing and fundraising strategies within the third sector. Currently a trustee for the Bourne Foundation, the charitable arm of Canford's partner state school and a former trustee of Lighthouse Arts Centre in Poole. Rowena was previously Chief Executive of two education charities and has a passion for working with schools and teachers to support the furtherance of education.