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Dear Applicant

Thank you for your interest in the post of full-time class teacher at Silsden Primary School.

This is a fantastic time to join our school. We have a new school building which is located on a stunning site on the edge of Silsden. Perhaps the best location of a three-form entry school in the country. Staff and pupils are proud to work and learn here. Our new school gives the successful candidate the opportunity of being a part of our team as we work to establish exciting and engaging educational experiences for our children which make the most of the fantastic opportunities presented to us by our new facilities.

As the Headteacher, I am looking for a dynamic and inspirational teacher who is committed to ensuring that all children in their class love learning and therefore make great progress.

I want someone who;

- is full of new ideas to capture children's imagination and motivate them
- is energetic and takes a real interest in children someone who likes children!
- has high expectations of behaviour and presentation and an attitude of servitude.
- can bring something extra to our school, and yes, has a sense of humour.

Most of our children live in Silsden or the surrounding area; a small yet distinctive community. Our school has over 640 children on roll with three classes in each year group and a nursery. As such, teachers work very much as part of a team to deliver learning for each cohort. An ability to work effectively with others for the benefit of children's progress is therefore a key requirement of this post.

This post is suitable for a high quality ECT or proven good/outstanding teacher who is looking to make the first or next step on their teaching journey by joining our school.

I would urge you to come and meet us and look around the school prior to your application to see whether Silsden is something that you wish to become a part of. Please contact the school office to arrange a visit. The visit times are set out on the advert however we can be flexible.

I thank you again for your interest in this post, and look forward to meeting you.

Yours sincerely,

Mr K.S. Russell Headteacher

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