Dear Applicant,

On behalf of the Governors I would like to thank you for your interest in the post of Deputy Head Teacher at St. Michael’s C of E School.

We are a two form entry school, with over 480 children from ages 2-11 currently on roll and we have a dedicated team of both teaching and support staff who ensure that our children enjoy a happy and caring Christian educational experience. We have an excellent reputation within the diverse local community and enjoy close links with St. Michael’s church, which can be accessed directly from the school site. The children enjoy regular visits to church to learn about the Christian faith whilst parents are invited to attend our popular St. Michael’s community café. The eco church grounds are used by the school to support environmental education.

We are extremely proud of St. Michael’s and the ethos that makes the school so unique. The success of the school has been recognised by a number of validations and awards including the Bolton School of the Year award, IQM Flagship Award and School of Sanctuary.

The children at St. Michael’s are eager to learn, enjoy and value their education, are kind and considerate to others and behave well.

The school is seeking a leader who will build on the many successes already achieved by the school embracing our ethos of “*Sharing, Caring and Learning together.”*

We have an enthusiastic, dedicated and professional staff team who have created an environment which allows all children to excel. We know this opportunity will provide the successful candidate with a wealth of exciting and rewarding challenges, enabling them to further enhance their personal and professional development.

The pupils, staff and Governors are committed to ensuring that our school continues to provide the highest quality of education for our wonderful children.

Further information can be found on our website at [www.st-michaels.bolton.sch.uk](http://www.st-michaels.bolton.sch.uk).

We look forward to receiving your application.

Yours faithfully,

Margaret Brockie

Chair of Governors