

Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in the position of Headteacher at our friendly and welcoming school.

KWPS is located in the historic market town of Kirkham and celebrated its centenary in 2010. We currently have 200 pupils and also provide a before and after school club. Our children are friendly, enthusiastic and eager to learn.

Our teaching and support staff are experienced, loyal and committed and have an excellent relationship with the pupils and families. We also have strong links to the community, participating in multiple events during the year.

Our school has a supportive and experienced Governing Board who are not afraid to challenge but will provide assistance and support whenever required.

KWPS teaches across the full range of curriculum and places a high value on personal and social development. We aim to develop and inspire our children with self belief and equip them with skills, knowledge and experiences to enable them to thrive in this ever changing world.

We have a culture of high expectations and encourage our children to be the best they can be.

In 2018 we were rated 'Good' in our Ofsted Inspection, the Inspector commented on the strong and caring leadership, leading an enthusiastic team which strives to do its best for pupils. It was noted that staff felt well supported and valued the leadership of the school and that support staff worked closely with teachers to ensure that pupils make good progress in their learning.

We were very proud of the comment 'The school is a hive of activity where no learning time is lost.'

The successful applicant would build on this bringing new ideas and innovation for a changing environment and learning experiences.

We actively encourage the children to participate in all aspects of school life and have an enthusiastic School Council. The intention was for them to write their own welcome letter but unfortunately with the current restrictions in place we have struggled to arrange this.

Our school is a happy place to attend and work and we wish you every success should you decide to apply.

If you would like to visit our school or speak to our current Headteacher, please contact Mel Clarke in the School Office on 01772 682866. Visits will be arranged subject to COVID-19 restrictions in place at the time of the visit and may be subject to change.

Yours sincerely,

Lynne Lowe

Chair of Governors