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"The school and governors are unyielding in their pursuit of excellence." Ofsted January 2024

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Dear Applicant,

The Governing Board, staff and pupils would like to thank you for the interest you have shown in our school and this role of Headteacher.

This role has arisen due to the retirement of our long serving and highly regarded Headteacher and as such we are seeking to appoint a successor who is an enthusiastic and caring Headteacher, with a willingness to go the extra mile to secure the very best outcomes for pupils.

At Hopwood, we are immensely proud of our values and ethos and high expectations are embedded. Pupils are extremely proud to belong to this happy and friendly school where they thrive.

We are dedicated to delivering the highest quality teaching and learning experiences for all children through an inclusive and enriching curriculum that ensures no child is left behind.

We strongly encourage pupil, parent and staff voice and believe in the power of a united, supportive family to create a positive learning environment.

As a Governing Board we are highly committed individuals with a range of professional experience that allows us to provide support and challenge in an open and transparent way. We are keen to ensure that the exceptional standards achieved over the previous years are maintained and we will support you with this challenge.

We can offer:

- Amazing, well-behaved pupils whose attitudes for learning are exceptionally high;
- Experienced staff who are supportive to each other and enjoy working collaboratively;
- A healthy well managed budget;
- A personalised programme of professional development;
- An excellent learning environment;
- A strong commitment to staff well-being;
- Experienced and supportive governing board;
- A popular and full school, often oversubscribed;
- A school that has a great reputation in the community;
- Supportive parents and carers;
- Excellent academic outcomes;
- An Outstanding Ofsted judgement (January 2024).

I believe that this is an exciting opportunity for the right applicant and hope that after reading about Hopwood Primary School; and if your vision and expertise aligns seamlessly with our values, you will apply.

Yours sincerely,

Jude Brown Chair of Governors













