



OVERSEAL PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Applicant

On behalf of the Governing Body, welcome to Overseal Primary School and thank you for your interest in our Headteacher post.

We are a popular village school based in the heart of the National Forest on the border between Derbyshire, Staffordshire, Warwickshire and Leicestershire. We aim to provide a caring and nurturing environment; where children can grow and flourish, a place where their happiness and safety is our prime concern and where children will be nurtured to grow up to be hardworking, responsible and well-behaved members of society.

The school has extensive grounds, featuring hard surfaced play areas, a sports field and wood. The latter is used extensively as part of our 'Forest Schools' programme.

Our current Headteacher will be retiring at the end of the year. Under her leadership, the school has achieved ratings of 'Good' at the previous 5 Ofsted inspections dating back to 2003 and we have been awarded IQM Flagship status in December 2022 recognising our inclusive approach and leadership with other schools.

We are looking for a highly motivated individual with leadership and management abilities to take the motivated team of staff forward and to develop the school to its maximum potential. This will include all aspects of the curriculum, professional and budgetary considerations, working with a dedicated, committed Governing Body.

We hope that you will be interested in applying for the post of Headteacher at our school and would be pleased to show you around if you would like to visit.

If you consider you are the right person for our school, we look forward to receiving your application and wish you every success.

Yours sincerely

Helen Moreton & Phil Bowman
Co-Chairs of Governors

