

Newhall Infant & Nursery School
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## **Dear Applicant**

Thank you for expressing an interest in the appointment of Headteacher at Newhall Infant and Nursery School.

Our current Headteacher will be retiring at the end of the summer term, after more than 17 years in charge. Under his leadership the school has consistently scored a 'Good' rating, including at the last OFSTED in 2018.

The school is a good, happy and thriving school, with well-resourced and inspiring learning areas, as well as excellent outdoor space and equipment. Many of the families shown around the school comment on the excellent facilities. Everyone who joins the school is made to feel welcome and part of the team, staff, pupils, parents, governors and members of the local community, including the church.

As a school we are committed to continually build on the work already done on the curriculum and to maintain and raise standards across all areas of the school. To this end we wish to appoint to the headship someone who will maintain the happy, caring ethos of the school, where children love to come to school and provide a high standard of leadership with the dedicated team of skilled knowledgeable and dedicated professional already in post.

As a governing body you can be assured that we are dedicated and supportive of our leadership team and all the staff. As a team we enjoy being involved in supporting the development of the school and have a wide range of relevant skills for the school to draw on. We place a high value on the well-being and work life balance of all our staff.

We thank you for your interest in this position, we hope you will visit the school to see for yourself what a happy learning environment we have.

We look forward to receiving your application.

Suzanne Stubbs

Chair of Governors