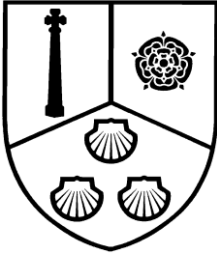


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***Our mission is to serve the community through serving our children. Every child is welcomed regardless of need, for 'who so ever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me' (Matthew 18.5). Everyone is valued; everyone has worth. We ensure that every child develops within God's love.***

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Dear candidate,

I am delighted to advertise the position of Headteacher at Leyland St James' CE Primary School, and trust that you will find the documents included with the advert both informative and helpful.

The current Headteacher is retiring at Easter 2022 after many years in charge. Under her leadership, the school has developed and grown into a place that not only delivers excellent Christian education but is a place where our mission statement is lived out and all stakeholders are valued.

The school itself is a one form entry, with a temporary two form entry leaving in the summer of 2022. In addition, the governing body are responsible for the onsite nursery and wrap around provision that benefits and enhances the composition of the school.

The school prides itself as being highly inclusive and has in-house provision in the form of the Harbour, the Ark and the Haven.

The governing body is comprised of highly experienced and dedicated members who are committed to the strategic vision of the school whilst being a critical friend to the Headteacher.

In recent years the school has been judged outstanding and then excellent in its last two SIAMs inspections and this is something that we are truly proud of and governors are also committed to the schools Cristian ethos.

Having sent my children to the school, I know all too well about the fantastic, caring, Christian education that the school offers and the children receive.

If you would like to visit the school, the Headteacher will tour prospective candidates from Monday 13<sup>th</sup> to Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> September from 9.30am – 11.30am and 1.30pm – 3pm. I would urge you to come and see for yourself the great work that all the staff undertake to make Leyland St James the school that it is.

Yours Sincerely,

Alan Hammersley  
Chair of Governors

***A Christian Family where all are valued, children achieve and the future begins.***