Monday 28th April 2025

Dear Applicant,

I wanted to firstly thank you for showing an interest in working at our school. It is a really special place to be and with our wonderful children and supportive community. We have a strong and humorous staff team who will support you to settle into life at TCP and beyond.

I always describe the school as a forward thinking village school as we have the values of the past but embrace change and ensure that our children are ready for the next steps in their education and life when they leave us in Year 6. It is important that they are ready academically for high school but having attributes such as empathy and kindness are important in equal measure. I would welcome you to find out more about us by visiting our school website www.tarletoncommunity.lancs.sch.uk and perhaps follow us on Facebook to keep up to date with what we do. Staff well-being is a priority for us and we work together to find improved ways to work and are currently looking at how AI can support us.

We are very child-focused which is evidenced by the many things we do including our Year 1 swimming programme, fishing throughout KS2, a whole school approach to Forrest School and we are currently at the start of our journey to be an OPAL school to ensure our children maximise their opportunity for play.

I would recommend that you come and visit the school, should you wish to make an application and the following visit times are available:

Thursday 1st May – 2.00pm
Thursday 1st May – 4.00pm
Friday 2nd May – 9.30am
Tuesday 6th May – 9.30am
Wednesday 7th May – 4.00pm
Thursday 8th May – 2.00pm
Thursday 8th May – 4.00pm

Please make an appointment by contacting Kelly Preston on bursar@tarletoncommunity.lancs.sch.uk

Yours sincerely

Chris Upton O.B.E.
Headteacher