

Kia ora Principal and Hiring Committee,

I am writing to express my enthusiastic application for the Scale A classroom teacher position at Hinds School, with a strong background in Foundation Phase and Special Education spanning over 18 years.

My comprehensive teaching experience and specialized qualifications make me an ideal candidate for this role. With a Bachelor of Education (Foundation Phase) and current New Zealand Teaching Registration, I bring a robust academic and professional foundation to classroom teaching. My expertise is particularly focused on inclusive education and supporting diverse learning needs, with extensive experience working with students with autism, Down syndrome, ADHD, and intellectual disabilities.

Throughout my career, I have developed sophisticated skills in curriculum adaptation, behavior modification, and creating supportive learning environments that enable every student to thrive. My Makaton Certification and Sign Language qualifications further demonstrate my commitment to inclusive communication and ensuring all students can access learning opportunities.

Having worked across various educational settings, I am passionate about creating engaging, differentiated learning experiences that support each student's individual potential. My approach combines evidence-based pedagogical strategies with genuine care and understanding of developmental learning processes.

I am particularly drawn to Hinds School's reputation for inclusive and student-centered education. My multilingual background (English and Afrikaans) and extensive special education experience align perfectly with your commitment to supporting diverse learners.

I would welcome the opportunity to discuss how my skills and experience could contribute to your school's learning community. Thank you for considering my application.

Warm regards,

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