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Dear Hiring Manager

I am writing to apply for the Matanga | Specialist Teacher position at Parkvale School in Hawke's Bay, as advertised with reference #1HAqpV. With 18+ years of dedicated experience in Foundation Phase and Special Education, I am excited about the opportunity to contribute my expertise to your innovative educational team.

My professional background uniquely positions me to support students with diverse learning needs. Having worked extensively with students with autism, Down syndrome, ADHD, and intellectual disabilities, I bring a comprehensive understanding of inclusive education strategies. My Makaton and Sign Language certifications further demonstrate my commitment to adaptive and supportive learning environments.

As a fully registered teacher with a Bachelor of Education in Foundation Phase, I am thoroughly prepared to deliver high-quality specialist teaching in literacy or numeracy. My experience in curriculum adaptation and behavior modification allows me to create personalized learning experiences that support every student's potential.

Currently based in South Africa, I am actively working with a licensed immigration advisor to ensure a smooth relocation to New Zealand within six weeks of potential employment. My international teaching background, combined with my NZ Teaching Registration, makes me a versatile and adaptable educator ready to integrate into the Parkvale School community.

I am particularly drawn to this opportunity because of its focus on specialist teaching and the chance to make a meaningful difference in students' educational journeys. My multilingual skills and deep understanding of developmental learning processes align perfectly with the comprehensive requirements of this role.

I look forward to discussing how my skills and experience can contribute to Parkvale School's educational mission.

Kind regards,

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