

Dear Hiring Committee,

I am writing to express my strong interest in the Rumaki Kaiako - SENCO position at Western Springs College-Nga Puna o Waiorea. With 18+ years of dedicated experience in Foundation Phase and Special Education, I am passionate about creating inclusive, supportive learning environments for students with diverse educational needs.

My extensive background in special educational support, particularly for students with autism, Down syndrome, ADHD, and intellectual disabilities, aligns perfectly with the requirements of this role. My Bachelor of Education in Foundation Phase, combined with my current NZ Teaching Registration, provides a solid foundation for effective educational intervention and support.

Throughout my career, I have developed comprehensive skills in curriculum adaptation, behavior modification, and individualized learning strategies. My Makaton Certification and Sign Language qualifications (Modules 1 & 2) further demonstrate my commitment to communication accessibility and inclusive educational practices.

I am particularly drawn to Western Springs College's commitment to holistic, inclusive education. My experience in creating supportive learning environments and developing targeted educational strategies would enable me to contribute meaningfully to your school's special education support framework.

My bilingual background in English and Afrikaans, coupled with my deep understanding of diverse learning needs, allows me to connect with students and support their unique educational journeys effectively. I am excited about the opportunity to bring my expertise and passion to your team, supporting students in achieving their full potential.

Thank you for considering my application. I look forward to discussing how my skills and experience can contribute to Western Springs College-Nga Puna o Waiorea's special education support team.

Kind regards,

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