

Dear Principal and Hiring Committee,

I am writing to express my strong interest in the Scale A teaching position at Whenuapai School for the 2026 academic year. With over 18 years of dedicated experience in Foundation Phase and Special Education, I am excited about the opportunity to contribute my expertise to your school's learning community.

My professional background is characterized by a deep commitment to inclusive education and supporting diverse learning needs. Holding a Bachelor of Education in Foundation Phase and current New Zealand Teaching Registration, I bring a comprehensive skill set in curriculum adaptation and specialized learning support. My extensive experience working with students with special educational needs, including those with autism, Down syndrome, ADHD, and intellectual disabilities, has equipped me with nuanced strategies for creating supportive and engaging learning environments.

My Makaton Certification and Sign Language qualifications further demonstrate my ability to communicate effectively with students who have varied communication requirements. I am particularly passionate about developing individualized learning approaches that empower each student to reach their full potential.

Whenuapai School's reputation for fostering an inclusive and supportive educational environment strongly resonates with my professional philosophy. I am eager to bring my skills in behavior modification, curriculum adaptation, and early childhood development to your team, and to contribute to your school's commitment to exceptional student outcomes.

I would welcome the opportunity to discuss how my background and expertise align with Whenuapai School's educational goals. Thank you for considering my application.

Kind regards,

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