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Dear Hiring Manager,

I am writing to express my strong interest in the Junior Social Sciences teaching position at Rutherford College, as advertised. With 18+ years of extensive experience in Foundation Phase and Special Education, I am confident in my ability to contribute meaningfully to your educational team.

My Bachelor of Education in Foundation Phase, combined with my current NZ Teaching Registration, positions me as an ideal candidate for this role. My extensive background in inclusive education, particularly supporting students with special educational needs such as Autism, Down Syndrome, ADHD, and Intellectual Disabilities, aligns perfectly with contemporary educational approaches that prioritize individual student support and development.

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 professional credentials, including Makaton Certification and Sign Language qualifications, demonstrate my commitment to accessible and adaptive teaching methodologies.

Rutherford College's reputation for holistic education and commitment to student growth deeply resonates with my educational philosophy. I am particularly excited about the opportunity to teach social sciences and contribute to a dynamic learning environment that supports diverse student needs.

My multicultural background, fluency in English and Afrikaans, and extensive experience in curriculum adaptation make me a versatile and adaptable educator ready to integrate into the New Zealand educational context.

I am enthusiastic about the possibility of bringing my expertise to Rutherford College and would welcome the opportunity to discuss how my skills and experience can contribute to your school's educational mission.

Kind regards,

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