

Dear Principal and Hiring Committee,

I am writing to apply for the Y5-6 teacher position within the Kahikatea Team at Pirongia School, and I am excited about the opportunity to contribute my extensive experience in Foundation Phase and Special Education to your dynamic learning community.

With over 18 years of dedicated teaching experience, I bring a comprehensive background in inclusive education and specialized learning support. My Bachelor of Education in Foundation Phase, coupled with current NZ Teaching Registration, provides a strong foundation for delivering high-quality, adaptive educational experiences. My additional certifications in Makaton and Sign Language demonstrate my commitment to supporting diverse learning needs.

Throughout my career, I have developed significant expertise in supporting students with special educational needs, including those with autism, Down syndrome, ADHD, and intellectual disabilities. My approach emphasizes individualized curriculum adaptation, positive behavior modification, and creating inclusive classroom environments where every student can thrive and reach their full potential.

Pirongia School's reputation for nurturing holistic student development strongly resonates with my educational philosophy. I am particularly drawn to your commitment to personalized learning and whole-child education. My skills in early childhood development and learning support align perfectly with your team's goals of providing comprehensive, compassionate educational experiences.

I am confident that my multilingual background, specialized training, and passionate approach to teaching would be a valuable addition to the Kahikatea Team. I look forward to the opportunity to discuss how my skills and experience can contribute to your school's educational mission.

Warm regards,

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