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Kura Leadership Team  
Te Kura o Waikare  
Hawke's Bay, New Zealand

Dear Hiring Manager,

I am writing to express my strong interest in the Kaiako - Kura Teina (0-8) position at Te Kura o Waikare. With 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 inclusive learning environment.

My professional background is deeply rooted in supporting diverse learners, particularly students with special educational needs. Throughout my career, I have developed comprehensive strategies for working with students with autism, Down syndrome, ADHD, and intellectual disabilities. My Makaton and Sign Language certifications further demonstrate my commitment to inclusive communication and learning support.

Holding a Bachelor of Education in Foundation Phase and current New Zealand Teaching Registration, I am fully qualified to deliver high-quality educational experiences. My approach combines curriculum adaptation, behavior modification, and individualized learning strategies to ensure every child can thrive academically and personally.

I am currently based in South Africa and am actively working with a licensed immigration advisor to ensure a smooth transition to New Zealand. I am prepared to relocate within six weeks of receiving an offer and am deeply committed to embracing New Zealand's educational landscape and bicultural teaching approaches.

Te Kura o Waikare's holistic educational philosophy resonates strongly with my professional values. I am particularly drawn to the school's comprehensive learning areas and commitment to supporting beginning teachers.

I would welcome the opportunity to discuss how my skills and experience align with your school's vision and needs.

Kind regards,

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