

Here's the cover letter:

Dear Hiring Manager,

I am writing to express my strong interest in the Kaiako - Mathematics position at Te Aho o Te Kura Pounamu. With 18+ years of dedicated experience in Foundation Phase and Special Education, I am confident in my ability to contribute meaningfully to your educational team.

My professional journey has been deeply committed to inclusive education, particularly supporting students with diverse learning needs. Throughout my career, I have successfully worked with students diagnosed with autism, Down syndrome, ADHD, and intellectual disabilities, developing tailored learning strategies that ensure every student can access and engage with mathematical concepts.

My Bachelor of Education in Foundation Phase, combined with my current NZ Teaching Registration, provides a solid foundation for effective mathematics instruction. Additionally, my Makaton and Sign Language certifications enable me to communicate and support students through multiple modalities, ensuring comprehensive learning experiences.

My approach to mathematics education centers on creating adaptive, supportive learning environments. I specialize in curriculum modification, behaviour modification techniques, and developing individualized learning plans that transform mathematical challenges into opportunities for growth and understanding.

Te Aho o Te Kura Pounamu's commitment to innovative and inclusive education deeply resonates with my professional philosophy. I am excited about the potential to bring my expertise in special educational needs and mathematical instruction to your team.

I would welcome the opportunity to discuss how my skills and experience align with your educational goals. Thank you for considering my application.

Warm regards,

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