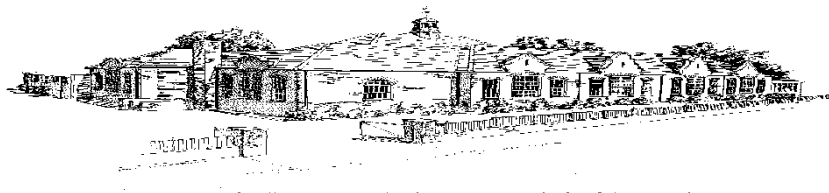


SLADE PRIMARY SCHOOL GOVERNING BODY



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Dear Potential Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in our school and our vacancy for a Headteacher.

We are a happy, inclusive and successful school. We base our approach on excellent teaching and learning, high standards of behaviour and respect, teamwork and a belief that every child has the right to be happy at school and to be given the opportunity to achieve their very best, no matter what challenges they face.

As our new Headteacher you will be leading a school which is in the process of expanding to a two-form entry, reaching a new maximum of 420 pupils by 2020. Judged Outstanding by Ofsted in 2011, the school has worked hard to maintain its high standards and has had a strong programme of self-improvement, something the governors are keen to see continue.

The governors are dedicated, knowledgeable and committed to ensuring the best outcomes for all children. We work closely with the school leadership to set the strategic direction and use performance data to ask challenging questions and hold the school to account. We look forward to harnessing your energy, experience and enthusiasm to continue to drive the school forward.

If you would like to know more about our school, I strongly recommend you come and visit us. We will be holding guided tours on the 7th, 8th and 9th September 2016 which will provide an opportunity to see the school and ask questions. Please contact the school office (01732 350 354 or office@slade.kent.sch.uk) to arrange an appointment.

I very much look forward to receiving your application and thank you again for your interest.

Yours faithfully,

Simon Griffiths.

Chair of Governors.