

## **Borden Church of England Primary School**

Part of the UNITAS Collaboration

School Lane Borden Sittingbourne Kent ME9 8JS

## **Letter from the Chair of Governors**

Dear Head of School Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in the post of Head of School at Borden Church of England Primary School. I am very pleased that you are considering applying to lead our wonderful school.

As our existing Head of School retires we are looking to employ somebody who is able to build on what the head and the staff have achieved, maintaining a school that was rated as 'Outstanding' during the Ofsted inspection of March 2008.

Our new Head of School should be a strong, approachable, compassionate and supportive leader who is passionate and knowledgeable about the pursuit of teaching and learning in schools and has a love of working with children. The person specification provides a more comprehensive list of the qualities we are looking for, but in essence we wish to appoint somebody with the enthusiasm, experience and confidence to take the school forward; someone who builds on what is currently good and ensures we continue to improve further by embracing the opportunities and challenges which are offered in a leading Church of England primary school.

The school is a member of the Unitas Collaboration, with three other local schools. These are Bredgar Church of England School, The Oaks Infant School and Minterne Junior School. As a group of Governing bodies we have commenced our journey into becoming academies and then into a Multi Academy Trust. We have an excellent Executive Headteacher in post overseeing the Unitas Collaboration who provides leadership and guidance to all Head of Schools within the Unitas Collaboration. The next twelve months will be exciting and formative for our school as our journey continues.

I warmly encourage you to visit the school to see the pupils and staff at work. Our current Head of School and Executive Head will be very happy to show you around and answer any questions you may have. Please contact the school office on 01795 472593 to make an appointment.

Yours faithfully

Helen Stewart

Chair of Governors











