



St Mark's Church of England Primary School

June 2017

Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in applying for the post of Headteacher at St Mark's Church of England Primary School in Tunbridge Wells.

St Mark's is situated in the Ramslye area of Tunbridge Wells. It serves a diverse community supporting the learning and nurturing of pupils from the full range of socio-economic backgrounds. We are a voluntary controlled Church of England Primary School with a strong Christian ethos.

We are looking for a school leader who will continue the school's upward trend and fulfill our goal by taking our school to outstanding. We want to continue to strengthen the engagement, challenge and creativity of the curriculum. We want our children to be excited about learning and we want to nurture and retain outstanding teachers.

So, we are seeking to appoint a strong, dynamic leader who will earn the respect and commitment of the children and the staff. The successive applicant will be an excellent communicator able to build positive collaborative relationships with parents, governors, other schools in the area, and the wider community. The candidate will have a proven track record of delivering high standards and will ideally have experience in managing the challenges of pupils with special education needs and child protection issues.

We know that these are challenging times for all school leaders so we are seeking someone with a good grasp of the current political climate and financial issues affecting schools such as ours. If successful, you will have the full support of the governing body in bringing your ideas and your ambitions for our children to life.

We look forward to receiving your application and to learn what you can offer our children and the wider school community.

Yours sincerely,

David Hill
Chair of Governors