



# Elham Church of England [Aided] Primary School Governors



January 2014

Dear Applicant

## **Appointment of New Headteacher**

Thank you for your interest in applying for the post of Headteacher at Elham Primary School.

The Governors, and indeed all of the staff and parents, believe that Elham is a very special school. It has all of the benefits of a relatively small rural school enjoying generally small class sizes, and is set in a beautiful location in the heart of the Kent Downs within a vibrant and picturesque village.

The school enjoys high academic success and also has a great record in sports, the arts and a variety of extracurricular activities.

Particularly through the caring Christian ethos that we embrace, the children are well behaved with excellent social skills – a feature which successive Ofsted inspections have particularly commented upon.

We have made great progress under our previous Headteacher, Steve Owen, and were adjudged Good with Outstanding features in our last Ofsted inspection a year ago. We want to be even better however and following Steve's decision to move on to new challenges, we are seeking an excellent new Headteacher who will lead us towards even better things.

We look forward to receiving your application. Meanwhile if you would like a discussion about the school or the post, or wish to visit the School, please contact Mrs A Risby in the School Office on 01303 840325..

Yours sincerely

Trevor Gasson

Chair of Governors

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