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Dear Applicant

Vacancy for the post of SENCO (interim post covering long term absence of the post holder)

Thank you for your interest in the position of SENCO at Wentworth Primary School. This is an interim post covering the long term absence of the post holder. The role is full time and will be paid on MPS or UPS depending on experience.

Wentworth Primary School is situated near to Dartford Heath and is close to the border with the London Borough of Bexley.

Wentworth Primary School is an oversubscribed three form entry school. The school became a stand-alone academy in February 2012. We are currently going through an expansion which will take all year groups of 90 pupils by 2022. Although we are a large school with over 570 pupils we are also a friendly and a child centred establishment where we want all pupils to achieve but also be happy, hence our motto "Achieving happily".

The school has consistent high academic standards and excels in a range of extra curriculum activities. We are supported by a successful PTA who hold regular fundraising events. We work closely with the School's Governing Body to ensure the school continues to go from strength to strength.

The school works closely with parents and community links are strong.

Recent developments have included the opening of an eight classroom block which we named after a previous pupil who is now a successful Olympic athlete, Adam Gemilli. An outdoor gym has been installed on the playground.

We recently had an immersive interactive room installed, one of the first in the area which will provide a wealth of learning opportunities for pupils.

Visits to the school are essential. If you would like to visit and discuss the role further please contact Allison Collier on 01322 225694 or allison.collier@wentworth.kent.sch.uk

Applications should be made via the Kent Teach website and include a supporting statement. The statement should include information on how you feel your knowledge and skills match the job description for this role.

References will be taken up prior to interview unless you inform us otherwise. This is to ensure we comply with the school's safeguarding and recruitment procedures.

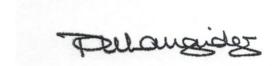
Wentworth Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Offers of employment are subject to a satisfactory enhanced DBS check and other employment checks.

This post is considered to be a customer facing position; as such it falls within the scope of the Code of Practice on English language requirement for public sector workers. The school therefore has a statutory duty under Part 7 of the Immigration Act 2016 to ensure that post holders have a command of spoken English sufficient for the effective performance of the job requirements.

We are proud of all we have achieved so far and have many exciting plans going forward.

May I take this opportunity to wish you good luck for your application. We hope to appoint a suitable candidate to join the "Wentworth family".

Yours sincerely



Mr P Langridge Headteacher