INFANT & NURSERY SCHOOL VISUALLY IMPAIRED RESOURCE BASE

Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in the role of Headteacher at World's End Infant and Nursery School and VI Resource Base in Quinton, Birmingham. Due to the resignation of the Headteacher in September 2024, the Governing Body is seeking to appoint an inspirational and collaborative Headteacher to lead the school in the next phase of its journey.

World's End Infant and Nursery School is a three-form entry school, based on a single site, which is shared with the neighbouring Junior School. Our school is larger than average for schools of a similar phase but still maintains a friendly and welcoming environment which is at the heart of the local community. We are seeking a Headteacher who recognises this unique quality, which is prized by staff and parents alike.

Our school is one where children are encouraged to "Reach for the stars – Never stop believing". In addition to strong progress and attainment, our curriculum ensures that our children can be creative, resilient explorers of the world around them, where they know and are aware of their rights and ready for the next stage of their learning journey. We have an experienced staff team and an excellent reputation within the local community.

World's End Infants has high achieving aspirations for all of its pupils. Results in general are in line with the national average; however, we are aware there are areas for development particularly in mathematics and phonics. We are looking for someone who can continue to drive the high standards and maintain the confidence of pupils, staff and parents. In 2023, we were rated 'Good' by Ofsted. We serve a diverse community, and so we are seeking a candidate who can continue to embed the school's place at the heart of the community.

The ideal candidate will be an experienced school leader and teacher, and this role represents and exciting opportunity for either an experienced Head or an established Deputy Headteacher to progress their career. We are looking for someone with the drive and enthusiasm to progress our vision and aspiration for our pupils. You will be able to build collaborative relationships with the Governing Body, staff, parents and other stakeholders as required.

We warmly encourage you to visit the school to see our pupils involved in their learning and the nurturing environment the school provides. If you are inspired by the opportunity to make a big difference to the children and families in our community, we would welcome your application.

Enclosed with this letter you will find information about:

- The School
- Our Vision and values
- Key Priorities
- Job Description
- Person Specification
- Application Process

The School's Governing Body very much look forward to receiving your application and we hope that you will find the enclosed information helpful.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully,

Oli Killeen Chair of Governors