Meanwood Community Nursery and Primary School



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Headteacher: Ms S Halliday

Dear our future Head teacher,

We are Meanwood's School Council and we are searching for someone who is worthy enough to take charge of our school. After many discussions about what we think would be the best qualities to have in our new leader, the councillors have decided on a recipe for the perfect head teacher.

<u>Ingredients:</u>

10 teaspoons of kindness
1 tablespoon of strictness (add if needed)
¹/₂ kg of interaction with the children
2 doses of enthusiasm - when getting involved with lessons, sports events and after school clubs
A sprinkle of friendliness (so the children will feel comfortable talking to them)
1,000g of understanding towards the children's problems
A dollop of determination to make sure that children (and staff) are healthy and happy
A dash of willingness to take part in social activities e.g. eating in the canteen and running their own clubs
A dollop of positivity

Mix these ingredients with a bowlful of children and we will have the perfect head teacher.

At Meanwood Primary School, there are many things that we, the children, enjoy about school life and we would like to share them with you.

- Fun teachers who create many different and exciting lessons and activities
- Assemblies which are entertaining, funny and celebrate our successes
- Many hands on experiences for our topic and literacy lessons such as a live mummification in Year 6 and a funeral for a Greek solider in Year 5.
- Tonnes of fun and exciting toys and resources for break times indoor and outdoor
- Loads of excellent sports equipment
- An amazing PE teacher
- Classrooms made colourful with displays and our work
- Opportunities to take part in different events: sports tournaments, music festivals, inter house competitions and fundraising events for charities and school
- Encouragement to become involved in afterschool clubs

We hope that you have the ingredients needed to follow the recipe for becoming our new head teacher.

Yours sincerely, Meanwood School Councillors

Miss Booth, Jamie-Leigh (6 Hazel), Cee-Jay (6 Elder), Numan and Summer (5 Cherry), Jack (4 Juniper), Olivia (4 Maple), Daniel (3 Oak) and Macey (3 Rowan)