

## Dear Applicant,

Thank you for considering Sri KDU<sup>®</sup> International School for your next position. In order to apply, please send the following to our HR department (<u>intlhr@srikdu.edu.my</u>):

- completed application form (you may also send your CV in addition, 2 pages max)
- letter of application (max 2 pages)
- recent photograph (for interview purposes)
- If you are applying for a responsibility post, please include a statement regarding your education and leadership philosophy

Your application will not be considered until all of the above has been received.

Sri KDU® International School opened in September 2011 and is part of the KDU education group, a well-established brand in Malaysian education. It follows the National Curriculum of England, whilst remaining respectful to Malaysian culture.

Our clients are from a culturally mixed background, predominantly from Malaysia's high achieving families. We seek to develop leaders, many of whom will play an active part in shaping Malaysia's future.

We are looking for teachers who will inspire our students through interactive, individualised and innovative learning. We expect our teachers to be dedicated, flexible and hard working.

We are members of FOBISIA (Federation of British International Schools in Asia) which enables our students to interact and compete with students from the other high quality international schools in the region. Through FOBISIA, we can also provide high quality CPD to our teachers to keep them up-to-date in their subjects whilst working abroad.

In order to understand the ethos of Sri KDU International School better, I recommend that you visit our website: <a href="www.srikdu.edu.my">www.srikdu.edu.my</a> and navigate to the international school section for secondary and primary. You can also visit our Facebook page for Sri KDU Schools. We have a student managed website, for their annual talent show, which is entirely student led, so this would give you a good idea of the calibre of our students: <a href="www.skispc.com">www.skispc.com</a>

In return we offer a great place to work, with outstanding school-positive students and a competitive remuneration package, including accommodation, expatriate allowances and local salary. We provide all teachers with a device for teaching and learning; we support staff to develop their skills through a coaching system and excellent CPD. Teachers who had their teacher training in the UK are expected to support other teachers to develop their pedagogy.

On arrival in Malaysia - we arrange flights - SKIS will pay for accommodation for up to two weeks. During this time you will be able to look for accommodation; you will receive comprehensive support from our HR department and guidance from teachers already at the school.



Malaysia is a wonderful country to live in and a destination of choice for many expatriates due to a genuinely hospitable people, a low cost but high standard of living and plenty of opportunities to eat, explore & shop. From roadside vendors to opulent restaurants, you will find almost every imaginable dish is available. Within Malaysia, there are many places to visit during your long weekends (school closes early on Fridays), from the finest beaches to forest walks, from casinos to water parks.

Moving to Malaysia requires teachers to be adaptable. Malaysia offers culturally diverse experiences and all newcomers must be prepared to be accepting of those cultures and ideologies. Respect for Malaysian culture and Malaysian ways of life in general is a prerequisite for all staff. Nevertheless, there are opportunities to have a regular taste of home: you can buy international brands from the many shopping malls in the area - IKEA, Tesco and Marks & Spencer are within a ten minute drive from Sri KDU.

First stage interviews may take place by Skype, so please give a Skype address as part of your application. Due to the pandemic related travel restrictions, it may not be possible to have any inperson interviews.

I look forward to receiving your application.

Best wishes,

Margaret Rafee - Principal, Sri KDU International School

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