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Thank you for your interest in the post of Principal at Worcester Sixth Form College. I trust you find the attached information useful in giving you an overview of the College and of the great opportunity that our vacancy offers to the right candidate. The vacancy has arisen following the announcement of our current Principal's retirement.

The College was rated 'good' by Ofsted in its most recent inspection (January 2023). We provide the widest range of A Levels in Worcestershire alongside a range of Applied, AAQ and T Level courses to ensure that students benefit from a broad curriculum, which together with a wide range of extra-curricular opportunities and support, ensures that they are well-prepared for their next steps whether that is higher education, an apprenticeship or employment. As a non-selective institution, the fact that our students make better than expected progress academically and are aspirational in their progression aims, significantly more so than peers with the same prior attainment, is something that we are extremely proud of and want to further improve upon.

The College is led by a strong and experienced senior leadership team, overseen and supported by a local governing body that works closely with senior leaders, and by the multi-academy trust. Ongoing development of and support for our excellent and hardworking staff is a key priority for College leaders and governors.

In April 2019 we joined the Heart of Mercia Trust, which currently comprises 3 leading sixth form colleges and two secondary schools committed to the highest standards to enable our students to reach their potential. We are proactively involved in partnership, working locally with FE providers, schools and employers, playing our part in offering high quality educational opportunities to all local young people.

Our new Principal will enjoy the opportunity to lead the College as it continues to go from strength to strength. If you feel that you have the necessary skills and experience, we look forward to receiving your application, and you can be assured that the successful applicant will enjoy the full support of the College community.

Yours sincerely

Sean Devlin  
Chair of Local Governing Body