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## Welcome letter

Dear applicant,

Thank you for your interest in the post of headteacher at Christopher Hatton Primary School. This is a wonderful opportunity for an ambitious school leader to take on an exceptional one form entry primary school in central London. We are looking for someone to replace our retiring headteacher who has the skills and desire to inspire the pupils, staff and community. That way we can keep improving standards, serving the diverse local community and shining as a beacon to other schools. Our children thrive on being informed, articulate and empowered.

You do not need to have had previous experience as a headteacher, but experience of leadership in a school at a high level is an essential requirement. You will be well supported by a Governing Body who recognise the difficulties of leading an outstanding institution but are determined not just to maintain its reputation and keep our children safe, but also build a better future for all our pupils and families. An incoming headteacher will have the perfect opportunity to adopt the excellent practices of the school while having space to inspire the school community with new directions and initiatives.

The information provided in this pack is intended to give you an understanding of what our school is like and whether it is the place for you. I would also advise you to also have a look at our website (chrishatton.camden.sch.uk). Our Outstanding 2022 OFSTED report is here (files.ofsted.gov.uk/v1/file/50183080).

It has been a privilege for me to be chair of governors at Christopher Hatton and to play a part in its development and success. For further information about the school, our selection criteria, the salary range and a job description, please see the recruitment pack. I hope it is comprehensive and will encourage you to apply for what I believe must be one of the most rewarding jobs in education.

If you require any further information or would like to arrange a school visit before applying, please contact WHO at Christopher Hatton Primary School. Tel: 020 7278 4500 or email admin@chrishatton.camden.sch.uk

Yours faithfully,

Chris Giles
Chair of Governors