Headteacher: Mrs L Ayling BA (Hons) NPQH

June 2019

Dear Applicant

Director of Finance and Operations

I am delighted that you have shown interest in our school and that you have taken the first steps towards joining us in this exciting post.

The Director of Finance and Operations is an essential part of the smooth running of our Academy and of the Senior Leadership Team at Prenton High School. In this position, you would hold a pivotal role to our success as we continue to provide a thriving school at the heart of our local community.

Our commitment to this community and to the students in our school is relentless and is clearly communicated through our mission statement: "Making a positive difference today to achieve a better tomorrow". This is our commitment every day and in every role. We are dedicated to making a difference to the life chances and opportunities for every one of our students whilst they are with us at school and as they take their next steps post-16.

Underpinning our mission statement are our five core values: Trust, Respect, Integrity, Kindness and Endeavour. We demonstrate these vales in everything that we do as a staff team in order that we may model excellence always to the students in our care. High expectations and high aspiration permeate everything that we do.

As Headteacher working with a small Senior Leadership Team (One Deputy Head and one Assistant Head), the role of the Director of Finance and Operations is crucial. Versatility, resilience and a strong moral compass come as standard; a shared drive to make a difference is a basic expectation.

In consideration of the role I would urge you to look at our website and to look at the enclosed documentation to really get a sense of our school. I would also invite you to visit the school to meet with me or my Senior Leaders. Dates for visits are as follows:

Tuesday 2 July 2019 @ 4pm Wednesday 3 July 2019 @ 10am Thursday 4 July 2019 @ 4pm

If you require any further information as you consider your application, or if you would like to book a visit, then please do not hesitate to contact us: owens@prentonhighschool.co.uk

We look forward to receiving your application and hope that you feel compelled to join us in this crucial post.

My very best wishes for the future.

Yours faithfully

Mrs Lisa Ayling Headteacher

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