



Letter to Prospective Headteachers

1st October 2026

Dear applicant,

Thank you for your interest in the post of Headteacher at Crockenhill Primary School. On behalf of the Governing Body, I am delighted to introduce you to our school and to invite you to consider whether you could be the right person to lead us through the next stage of our journey.

Crockenhill is a warm, caring and community-focused primary school with a strong sense of identity. We are proud of our pupils, staff and families, and of the positive relationships that sit at the heart of school life. Our school has a clear commitment to providing a safe, inclusive and ambitious education for every child.

The Governing Body is now seeking to appoint a substantive Headteacher who will build on the school's strengths while bringing the vision, energy and experience needed to support continued improvement. We are looking for a leader who will champion high standards, nurture a positive and respectful culture, and work collaboratively with staff, governors, parents, carers and the wider community.

The successful candidate will be someone who places children at the centre of every decision. They will understand the importance of strong teaching and learning, effective safeguarding, support for pupils with additional needs, and the development of staff at all stages of their careers. They will also be able to work closely with governors to ensure that Crockenhill continues to thrive.

We recognise that choosing a headship is an important decision. We would encourage you to find out more about our school, our community and our aspirations for the future. We hope that, as you read the application pack and visit the school if possible, you will gain a real sense of what makes Crockenhill special.

If you share our commitment to providing the very best education and care for our pupils, and if you have the values, experience and ambition to lead our school with confidence and compassion, we would be very pleased to receive your application.

Yours sincerely,

Clowey Bailey
Chair of Governors
Crockenhill Primary School