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Dear Candidate

### Letter from the Headteacher

Thank you for your interest in applying for a post at Chace Community School.

Making a difference at Chace Community School really does mean that you will be able to change lives. Our commitment is that from the moment students arrive at our school, we provide them with an education of excellence; one that will change their lives and inspire them to be the leaders of tomorrow.

Our school is an 11-19 comprehensive school in the London Borough of Enfield. We are proud of our diverse student and staff community and for this reason welcome applications from people of all backgrounds. We have high numbers of students from disadvantaged backgrounds and staff step up to their duty to provide them with an education of excellence. I take immense pride in the work of all our staff and students. I have worked at Chace since 2015 and became Headteacher in April 2021, witnessing first-hand phenomenal school improvement. The passion and hard work of my team was validated by OFSTED in April 2022 when we were judged as Good in all areas.

Staff at Chace really do make a difference. We do work hard and set high expectations of our team, but career development and professional worth is also valued enormously. I am proud that we were awarded a quality mark for professional development and featured in the Tom Sherrington book *The Learning Rainforest: Fieldbook* for our teaching excellence. My commitment to you, is that by joining our team you will be supported individually and professionally.

I am looking for staff who are passionate, driven and motivated to join our team. I am also looking for team players who are personable and enthused to work with me, the Governing body and wider stakeholders to deliver continued school improvement for our students.

The best way to get a sense of who we are is to see the school in action. If you are thinking of joining us, please come and look around the school to get a feel for our ethos and values and meet some of our team.

I look forward to reading your application form and welcoming the right candidate to my team.

Best Wishes

Tanya Douglas  
Headteacher