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Dear Applicant,

So you think you might be interested in applying for our teacher and base-leader vacancy? Read on; this is a privileged job in a thriving federation within an experienced team. We have flexibility to move staff around our three schools so the successful candidate will be placed according to his/her strengths.

In addition to the class teacher role, the successful candidate will take on the role of 'base-leader' (see job description attached), so we welcome applications from UPS teachers, or those with additional leadership qualifications / credentials / experience.

Bainbridge, Askrigg and West Burton Schools are a well-established partnership and, as such, this represents a fantastic opportunity for professional development and to be part of a forward-thinking and highly successful team. The highly effective collaborative work between our schools is recognised by our local authority; validated in our recent 'good' Ofsted inspections at all three schools.

We are highly committed to a thorough programme of professional development for all staff and place a great deal of importance on improvement opportunity.

All three schools, situated in the heart of Wensleydale, boast strong community links and attractive, unique premises and facilities and you are very much encouraged to come and have a look around.

We are looking for an excellent teacher to join our staff. You will be joining a team of teachers, teaching assistants and support staff with a range of experiences and skills who share a passion for meeting the needs of all our children. If you believe in an inclusive education, are an excellent classroom practitioner, and excited about teaching children we would love to hear from you.

Please read alongside:

- Application Form
- Job Description x 2 (one for class teacher; one for base-leader)
- Person Specification
- Child protection information and guidance

Useful and relevant information and documents can be found on our website ([www.b-a-wb.co.uk](http://www.b-a-wb.co.uk)) and I would encourage you to take a look.

Please complete the application form carefully, answering all questions. Accompanying statements / letters must be limited to one side of A4 and should be sent electronically with your application pack. There is no need to include a CV. If you would like acknowledgement of your application, which should be sent via email to Mrs Kelly Boulton ([BAWBadmin@b-a-wb.co.uk](mailto:BAWBadmin@b-a-wb.co.uk)), please place a delivery and read receipt on your email.

The timescale for this recruitment is as follows:

Start Date:	1 <sup>st</sup> September 2019
Closing date for applications:	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> May 2019
Shortlisting:	Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> May 2019
Interviews:	Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> May 2019

We very much look forward to receiving your application and if you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours sincerely

Charlotte Harper  
 Executive Headteacher