

THE PEGASUS ACADEMY TRUST









Executive Headteachers: Mr M | Roberts & Ms L D Sampson

WHITEHORSE MANOR INFANT SCHOOL

ECCLESBOURNE WHITEHORSE MANOR PRIMARY SCHOOL JUNIOR SCHOOL

BEULAH INFANT & NURSERY SCHOOL

4th February 2016

Dear Candidate

Re: Vacancy for Deputy Head of School. Salary scale L4 – L8

Thank you for your interest in the post of Deputy Head of School within The Pegasus Academy Trust. The Academy Trust was formed in April 2011 and is currently responsible for four schools – Whitehorse Manor Junior School, Whitehorse Manor Infant School, Ecclesbourne Primary School and Beulah Infant and Nursery School. For the last two years we have also run Thornton Heath Nursery School (THNS) on behalf of the Local Authority. We are seeking an experienced class teacher or existing Assistant Headteacher to join the SLT at Pegasus. The post will initially be based at the Whitehorse Manor schools supporting the existing Heads of School there. The successful candidate will need to demonstrate the potential to lead teams of staff and undertake given projects under the overall leadership of the Executive Headteachers, according to the policy and structures of the Pegasus Academy Trust,. We will be expecting you to demonstrate middle leadership skills related to leading and motivating a team. The post is offered on a permanent contract and requests for part time working will be considered, although with the caveat that the applicant must work at least 0.6 FTE as per the Trust's policy. We have pleasure in enclosing:

- a person specification and job description;
- an application form;
- our child protection policy;
- our safequarding policy;

Our schools are committed to equality of opportunity and, if an interview is offered, an appointment will be made purely according to how well each candidate meets the person specification. Candidates must provide a supporting statement with their application that closely describes how they match the person specification. Our schools also have a strong commitment to safeguarding children and if you are shortlisted references must be received before the day of the interview. Please make sure referees are available to comment and all contact details are correct. Original copies of any qualifications mentioned on your application form must be seen by the schools before any formal offer of employment is made. The closing date for applications is 12 noon on Friday 26th February. Interviews will take place on Thursday 3rd March. Applications should be sent 'For the attention of Lynne Sampson' and to the address at the foot of this letter.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely

Jolvon Roberts **Executive Headteachers** Lynne Sampson