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Dear Applicant

**Vacancy: LTR fixed term ( maternity) : Yr 6**

Thank you for your interest in our learning environment as a place to work. The position advertised can be for 5 terms (Term 4 2017 and all of 2018) or just Terms 1-4 2018.

We are a large urban decile 8 school with 500-560 pupils. Our school is modern, well resourced with expansive grounds. We have dedicated library and IT support. Across the school we are working to integrate technology with our teaching practices and have opened the doors to BYOD from Year 4 upwards.

We have an aspirational culture with a belief in holistic education with an overarching desire to provide ongoing development promoting growth mind-sets in all our staff and children. We believe in 'Learner-Centred Classrooms' and 'Personalised Learning' so sustained higher achievement is possible. We wish to enable students to take charge of their own learning and thus the concept of 'Learner Agency' is central to our pedagogy. We promote 'inquiry as a disposition' and have a school curriculum that values questions above answers, creativity above fact regurgitation, individuality above uniformity and excellence above standardized performance.

You will have the opportunity to join a vibrant team who are supportive and dedicated to improving outcomes for our students. You will need to be a team person who can fit into the busy and diverse culture of our school.

We are looking for teachers who are passionate and enthusiastic about future focused teaching and learning. We will consider all applications.

Your application should include a brief letter of application, your C.V. plus the completed application form. Both emailed and hard copy applications are acceptable [admin@waterloo.school.nz](mailto:admin@waterloo.school.nz) or address to The Principal, Waterloo School, Hardy Street, Waterloo, Lower Hutt 5011

**Applications close - 3pm Monday July 3rd.**

We look forward to hearing from you.

Nga mihi nui

**Warren Owen**  
Principal

