Unity College

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Dear Applicant

I am delighted that you have requested details for the vacancy at Unity College. At Unity College, you will have every opportunity to develop your career and be part of a college that is totally committed to achieving outstanding results.

Unity College opened in September 2006 following the re-organisation of education in Burnley. I feel very privileged to hold the position of Headteacher at Unity College. I am passionate about education in Burnley and the governors and I are looking for a highly motivated and outstanding professional to work as part of our team to turn the vision for Unity College into reality.

The intake at Unity College is challenging – 24% free school meals, 10% of students registered as special needs, 6% Asian heritage, 94% white and 22% of students on roll live in the most deprived 5% areas in the country.

The college is part of the Building Schools for the Future programme and we moved into our £33 million state of the art building in September 2010. The college has fantastic facilities and is an ideal learning environment for students and staff. in June 2014 Unity College was judged by Ofsted to be a Good with Outstanding features.

In your letter of application can you explain how your experience to date has prepared you for this role (no more than two typed pages, minimum font size of 12).

The challenges at Unity College are great, but so are the rewards. Working with myself, the governors and the staff at Unity College, you will have a once in a lifetime opportunity to make a difference to education in Burnley.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully

S Cryer

S Cryer (Mrs)
Headteacher

The college is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of its students and the appointment will be conditional upon DBS enhanced clearance.