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Emotional Literacy Support Assistant (ELSA) Vacancy

Dear Candidate,

Welcome to Newlands Primary! Thank you for your interest in our vacancy for an Emotional Literacy Support Assistant (ELSA).

We have 420 lovely children in our school and over 70 staff members who collaborate as a team to ensure our children get the best education possible. We are also fortunate that our school is a fairly new-build with excellent facilities, IT, amazing grounds and a beautiful Rainbowfish nurture room. Our vision is '**No Child Left Behind**' and we truly believe that children can learn and have fun at the same time.

We are looking for an experienced ELSA, who has the ability to be outstanding. Our new ELSA will join our highly-skilled Inclusion Team, working in partnership with our Deputy Headteacher, our SENCo, our Pastoral Leader and other inclusion support staff in school. We are looking for an experienced person in this field who has emotional resilience, creativity, empathy, humour and patience! Our children need the best staff we can find to improve their life chances and to inspire them. Can you help to weave magic?



Ofsted rated our school "Good" in June 2018 and we are very proud of the learning journey we are on. Our staff team are highly skilled and very supportive of each other. We are committed to developing people at every stage of their career.

We hope you will take the time to look at some of the information about our school on our website and that you decide to apply. We can promise you a warm welcome from the whole community and a chance to work with a vibrant and supportive team, that we affectionately and proudly call 'Team Newlands'.

I would encourage you to contact the school to arrange a visit to the site and to speak to a member of our Senior Leadership Team who will be happy to answer any questions you may have.

Karen Mellor
Headteacher