



### Letter from the head teacher

Thank you for expressing an interest in the post of **Premises Manager** at our school; I hope that you find all the information you require in this pack in order to help you to submit an application should you decide to do so.

Brynteg School is a wonderful place to be. It is steeped in tradition being formed from the merger of Bridgend Grammar School and Heol Gam Secondary Modern some years ago. Occupying an outstanding site near the centre of Bridgend, there is a huge amount of potential to develop the facility as a true learning campus in the years to come.

It is our pupils who make our school so special; they really are talented, enthusiastic and keen to learn and make every day a pleasure to be here. Whilst the number of pupils who are eligible for free school meals is relatively low at 12.7%, this fact does not highlight the truly comprehensive nature of our intake, with pupils from right across the academic spectrum and from a wide variety of family backgrounds.

Brynteg is an innovative, forward -thinking school looking to hire an exceptional person to the role of Premises Manager. We believe in high expectations and a sense of collaborative and positive enthusiasm which brings out the best in our team. We invest in professional development to help our staff excel in creating a very successful, safe environment for our children and the wider school community.

Whilst where we are as a school now is one of a position of strength, there is a great deal of work to be undertaken as we seek to develop the school into one which really does prepare pupils to be excellent 21st century citizens who embody the four core principles of the new curriculum. Should you be successful, you will join the school at a time of significant and highly creative change. It is expected that, quite quickly, the innovative response of our 'Vision for Learning group' to the new Curriculum for Wales, will be made reality. We are going to use Professor Donaldson's recommendations to fundamentally change our provision and not to 'fine-tune' our existing provision. For example, part of our emerging vision is that each of the six Areas of Learning and Experience will have equal status in our new curriculum model.

We are committed to ensuring our school is fully inclusive where all learners are inspired, motivated and supported to reach their potential. This means that all our staff work tirelessly so that every pupil is able to access an education that meets their needs and enables them to participate in, benefit from, and enjoy learning.

Finally, I wish you the very best of luck with your application and I hope to meet you soon.

Best wishes,

Ryan Davies

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