

APPOINTMENTS POLICY

Other relevant Policies:

Delegated Authorities Policy Equal Employment Opportunities (EEO) Policy Police Vetting Policy

Rationale:

The purpose of this policy is to provide information and guidance to ensure a robust and fair process is followed with the appointment of all staff.

- 1. The best applicant for the job will be appointed, taking EEO principles into account.
- 2. Appointments of all staff other than the Principal and Senior Leadership Team are delegated to the Principal.
- 3. The appointment process is:
 - i) Vacancies will be advertised as appropriate.
 - ii) A job description will be provided (and a person specification where appropriate).
 - iii) Applications must be in writing or by electronic means and will not normally be accepted after the stated closing date.
 - iv) An Appointment Panel will be formed.
 - v) The Appointment Panel will form a short list.
 - vi) Interviews will be held for positions as appropriate.
 - vii) No appointments will be made until after applications have closed.
 - viii) Where there is no suitable applicant no appointment will be made. The school reserves the right to re-advertise or review the nature of the position.

- ix) All successful applicants (teachers and non-teachers) will be required to provide a satisfactory police vet. (Currently teachers are police vetted through the Teaching Council.)
- x) The successful applicant will be informed in writing of the job offer. On receipt of written acceptance of appointment, and subject to any conditions being met (such as a satisfactory police vet, teacher certification, and satisfactory immigration status), that person shall be deemed to be appointed.
- xi) All unsuccessful candidates will be notified. Letters and application forms may be kept by the school.

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Signed:

Dr Adrian Paterson

BOT Chair

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Kathy Paterson

Principal