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Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in the post of PE teacher and School Support Co-ordinator. We are looking for an outstanding teacher who will work with the head of department and his team to further develop PE in the school.

The PE department currently consists of a head of department, one full time member of staff and two part time members of staff who combine teaching with the role of Deputy Head and School Sport Coordinator. Students receive two hours of core PE teaching. In key stage 4 the department offers BTEC and GCSE qualifications which are very popular.

Staindrop Academy is a popular fully comprehensive school. The school draws from over ten primary schools and attracts students from outside the 'catchment' area.

In 2011 we were designated an Academy. This has provided students with extra educational opportunities, without upsetting the balance of the curriculum. Although we are a small comprehensive school we pride ourselves on the breadth of sport we are able to offer.

Students have the opportunity to take part in a wide range of extra-curricular activities. Every student at Staindrop is regarded as an individual and the school is a caring place, where everyone is encouraged to do their best in a safe and welcoming environment. Not only examination success but all round achievement of students is given high priority at our school.

Discipline is important at Staindrop Academy. We have a well ordered learning environment, which all staff are expected to work hard at maintaining and improving.

If you wish to apply please;

- Complete an application form
- Enclose a letter of application (no more than 2 sides of A4) detailing relevant experience, personal qualities and how you would wish to contribute to PE and school life at Staindrop and at the primary feeder schools

There should be returned to Mrs A Carr Headteacher by Friday 28th April.

I hope there is sufficient information here to help you decide whether to apply or not, but if you do require further information please do not hesitate to contact me.

I thank you for your interest.

Yours faithfully

Alyson Carr

Headteacher