



Ruahine School

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The Best I Can Do, The Best I Can Be Tū māia au ki te mahi, tū rangatira au ki te ao!

PERSON SPECIFICATION 2023 SCALE A TEACHER KUPE TEAM (YEAR 4-8)

ESSENTIAL

The successful applicant will...

- Be **Resilient**, **Open-to-Learning**, **Collaborative**, **Kind**, **Enthusiastic**, **Respectful** and **Self-Managing** and show personal commitment to do 'The Best I Can Do' and be 'The Best I Can Be'.
- Have successful, recent **teaching experience**, preferably in the senior school (Years 5-8).
- Have **up-to-date knowledge of pedagogy and the NZ Curriculum**, particularly across Levels 2-4.
- Have **high expectations** for learning, engagement and behaviour for all ākonga, and encourage ākonga to have high expectations of themselves
- Commitment to ongoing learning of te reo and tikanga Māori and a commitment to Te Tiriti o Waitangi
- Understanding of how to apply evidence-based practice and assessment to inform teaching and learning
- Develops whanaungatanga with staff, ākonga, families and whānau
- Be collaborative with the ability to work as part of a team and be willing to share ideas and thoughts in an open and supportive way.
- Is well-organised, prepared and planned for effective teaching and learning
- Have a sense of humour and enjoy time with colleagues

PREFERRED

The successful applicant will...

- Understand the significance of building a 'community of learners' within the classroom
- Share an understanding of the character of rural schools and their place in the community