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Dear Colleague

## LEARNING MENTOR - ENGLISH Current Grade 5, (£18,319 - £19,819 pro rata), 37 hrs a week, Term Time, Permanent

We seek to recruit a Learning Mentor to join our English team who will support individuals and small groups in order to improve their literacy skills and their achievement in English. We hope you will be attracted to apply to work in our friendly, inclusive, orderly and thriving school community, where we believe in pursing 'excellence for all' in all that we do.

Erasmus Darwin Academy is a highly successful and heavily over-subscribed school. In 2018, GCSE performance was significantly above national benchmarks, according to key attainment and progress measures, which consolidated our position as the highest performing 11-18 school in Staffordshire. Our A level performance was also very strong in terms of both attainment and progress.

We gained 'Good' in our 2018 Ofsted inspection and as part of the Local Authority's quality assurance strategy, we have been granted Category 1 status, which is the highest category of school performance, for the third year running.

The application process is a straight-forward one. If, having read the information with the letter and visited our website at <a href="https://www.erasmusdarwinacademy.co.uk">www.erasmusdarwinacademy.co.uk</a> you feel you would like to apply, please:

- Complete and return the application form. You may either post or email this to Debbie Westwood (Principal's PA), email <a href="mailto:d.westwood@eda.staffs.sch.uk">d.westwood@eda.staffs.sch.uk</a>.
- Add a supporting statement, setting out why you would like to join us and what you have to offer that
  makes you a strong candidate for this particular post.
- Ensure the complete application reaches us by Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April 2019, 9.00 am.

I hope that you will want to apply for this excellent opportunity and I look forward to meeting successful applicants in due course. If you would like to seek further clarification about any aspects of this role, please feel free to contact my PA Debbie Westwood whose details are above.

Yours faithfully

Mark Maydew

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The Academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. This post is subject to a 'disclosure' check under the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974.