

Tower Road Christian Preschool



Introduction

Tower Road Christian Preschool is a licensed early childhood education and care centre, set within the township of Matamata.

The Preschool teaches the Te Whariki Early Childhood Curriculum incorporating a Biblical perspective. The Christian Character of the preschool pervades every aspect of its operation.

The preschool aims to build foundations of Christian faith and high quality learning in each of our children. Staff work hard to ensure that our children will grow up as competent and confident learners and communicators, healthy in mind, body and spirit, secure in their sense of belonging and in the knowledge that they make a valued contribution to society. A special feature of the preschool is the strong preschool community support it receives.

With its strong connectedness with Matamata Christian School, the Preschool will develop pathways of learning that will ensure that children are ready and well prepared when the time comes for the transition to school.

POSITION

We are looking for a teacher who has a real heart for Christian education, preschool children and working within a team.

Applicants must strongly support the Christian character of the preschool. The ideal applicant would also be able to work under pressure, show a heart toward children, work effectively and efficiently with other staff, show flexibility, be enthusiastic, see their work as a mission and have a strong desire to see students do well academically, physically and spiritually. Applicants must be willing to be trained in different areas and, as a pre-requisite of employment, be prepared to buy into the teaching philosophy and culture of the school.

The preschool is driven to succeed. If this sounds like an environment you could work passionately in we would like to hear from you.

The position is for immediate start.

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Job Application Form - Teacher

PERSONAL DETAILS:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Contact Phone No: _____

Email: _____

Gender: _____

Ethnic Identification: _____

(Maori/NZ European/Other)

(Confidential information: to be used for statistical purposes only)

WHAT STRENGTHS DO YOU BRING TO THIS POSITION THAT WE SHOULD CONSIDER?

HOW DO YOU MEET THE SPECIAL CHRISTIAN CHARACTER OF THE PRE-SCHOOL?

QUALIFICATIONS

Please list your qualifications

WORK SKILLS & EXPERIENCE

Please outline teaching skills and experiences that you have had.

PRE-EXISTING INJURY OR MEDICAL CONDITION

Section 7 (6) of the accident Rehabilitation and Compensation Insurance Act provides that where a person misrepresents themselves in writing to the employer before commencing employment, in response to a specific request from the employer to provide information regarding personal injury, gradual process injury, disease, or infection, or if the applicant refuses to undergo a base line hearing test, there will be no entitlement to cover under the Act for any injury so misrepresented.

Also any person who misrepresents their health and is subsequently employed by the employer will be subject to the company's disciplinary procedure. The employer may have a policy of dismissal without warning for misrepresentation of pre-employment information.

Please answer the following:

Do you suffer from any injury or ailment which may affect your work performance, your regular attendance at work or expose you to further potential work injury by performing a task you may be required to do? Yes / No.

If yes, please provide details as you may be required to undertake pre-employment health testing:

Have you ever suffered from any gradual process injury, disease or infection such as:

Hearing loss	YES / NO
Occupational overuse syndrome (RSI)	YES / NO
Sensitivity to chemicals	YES / NO
Respiratory problems	YES / NO
Back Problems	YES / NO
Heart Problems	YES / NO
Other (name) _____	YES / NO

If yes to any of the above, please give details:

Have you ever claimed accident compensation (give details) YES / NO

Are you at present receiving medical treatment and / or medication? (If yes please detail) YES / NO

CONVICTIONS AGAINST THE LAW:

Have you ever been convicted of any offence against the Law (apart from minor traffic convictions) YES / NO

If YES please detail:

Any successful applicant will be police vetted.

REFEREES:

- a. A written work reference
- b. A written spiritual reference

Please give the names of two other people who may be contacted as referees about your teaching ability, and one about your spiritual life (this can be a double up if appropriate).

Teaching Ability

Name: _____ Phone No: _____

Name: _____ Phone No: _____

Spiritual Life

Name: _____ Phone No: _____

Privacy Act Consent

I consent to the Board of Directors contacting my nominated referees and any agencies/organisations which may be relevant to this application and obtaining information about me for the purpose of assessing my suitability for the position I am applying for. I consent to the Board of Directors retaining the information contained in this application form for the purposes of considering my suitability for any other position which may arise in the future.

Declaration

I certify that the above statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I acknowledge that any appointment offered to me will be in reliance of these statements and that false and incomplete information will be grounds for withdrawal of any offer for employment, or termination of employment, or loss of entitlement for any compensation from ACC.

Please circle one of the below to indicate how you first became aware of this vacancy

Preschool website - NZ Education Gazette - Seek - Trademe - CECEAA website - Facebook - Local newspaper - A Friend - Other

Sign: _____

Please email your application to office@tower.preschool.nz and include:

1. Your Curriculum Vitae
2. A brief statement outlining why you feel you would be suitable for this position.