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Dear Hiring Committee,

I am applying for a position as an Occasional Teacher with the Windsor Essex Catholic District School Board. I am currently completing my teaching degree in the **junior/intermediate** program at the Faculty of Education, University of Windsor, I am seeking a teaching position for the upcoming academic year. I am qualified in the subjects of **French and Geography**. I have also completed my qualifications in the **International Baccalaureate Program (DP)**. I anxiously await the opportunity to implement all the skills and knowledge that I have acquired through my academic and practical experiences. My personal philosophy is that a teacher should provide each student a learning environment which fosters spiritual, academic, emotional, social and physical growth. This will ensure that each student becomes a well-rounded and stand up member in their community.

For the past several years, my focus has been devoted towards obtaining hands-on teaching experiences which would prepare me for a career in working with today's youth. Each of these opportunities has exposed me to new and different teaching situations. My Youth Development Skill Leadership opportunities have provided valuable ideas, techniques and concepts for motivating today's youth beyond the classroom. Being an instructor for Math Pals has giving me the hands-on experience aiding children with math and implementing Ontario's Renewed Math Strategy. Such experiences have allowed me to integrate my personal teaching philosophy to a wide range of students with different learning styles and abilities.

In addition to teaching experiences, community involvement opportunities have allowed me to take on a leadership role and build upon my organizational, communication and management skills. As a member of the Windsor Essex community, I have lived in the area my entire life and would enjoy the opportunity to continue my involvement within the community. It would be a great privilege to work for the Greater Essex County District School Board and have the opportunity to implement the skills that I learned thus far, as well as continue to grow as a teacher. Based upon my academic and practical experiences, as well as my ability to motivate different groups of students, I am confident that I will be able to fulfill the responsibilities of a promising teacher.

Thank you for your time and consideration and I look forward to your response. If any questions should arise, please feel free to contact me at (519) 980-3856, or by e-mail at feeleyheather@gmail.com.

Sincerely,

Heather Feeley