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Dear Principal Harves,

I am writing to express my interest in the position of Secondary Science Teacher at East Polk High School.

I received my bachelor's degree in 2011 from the University of XXX. For the past eight years, I have worked as a substitute teacher in various schools, mainly in Richardson County. Through my work, I discovered my passion for teaching and decided to pursue my teaching certification last year. Having recently obtained my credentials, I am eager to jump back into the Richardson Country school system and offer my experience and skills as a Secondary Teacher for East Polk High School.

Through my time as a substitute teacher, I worked in over 13 different schools, which afforded me the opportunity to understand how schools operate. I developed a keen sense of what works well in a classroom and am now prepared to apply what I have learned to create a successful environment for my students.

I value hands-on learning, which is partly why I was drawn to the field of science. I am excited to work with a variety of students and use my creativity to ensure all learner objectives are met. I have extensive experience developing lesson plans, monitoring student performance, maintaining a positive learning environment and setting clear goals. I feel my experience, combined with my recent studies to attain my teaching certificate make me an ideal candidate for this role.

To discuss my skills in detail, please kindly review my resume. Thank you in advance for your consideration and I look forward to being in touch soon.

Sincerely,

Maria De Leon