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2 Arawa Rd
Hataitai school

Dear Jacinta Simpson,

I would absolutely love the opportunity to be one of the Hataitai School ambassadors. I will show exceptional leadership and I will be immensely committed to the role within school and the community.

I know that I would be good with students with learning disabilities and would step up to lead the school and help with the younger kids within the school. I would be more than happy to do errands for the teachers and for you, that may need to be done.

I have already been part of the school production as a costume designer and have assisted on the beach day specifically with water support as I am a confident swimmer, both of these displaying my leadership abilities. I was also a part of the librarian team last year. I organised and created the design of the Junior Art Project.

Lily, who was one of the ambassadors last year is someone who's leadership style I look up to and have and will love to replicate. We have similar personalities and she showed strong leadership within our school, displaying that you can balance a strong work ethic with a high degree of compassion and care. I am looking to achieve similar results with a focus on her leadership style that I identified, everyday I saw her busy and doing new tasks, in and outside of class. Her community outreach was also something that I saw in her that I certainly find inspiring.

I know that I would be an exceptional Reception Team leader as I cope well under pressure and don't have issues with dealing with blood and any other things I may encounter in the sick bay. I have been taught CPR if at any point it would be required. I am a very compassionate and caring person, often taking people's concerns and dealing with them before mine. I can always be there for someone if they need help or for someone just to be there for them, I am passionate about being apart of my fellow students and their wellbeing and of course looking to further prosper the school as a whole. I want to reach out and be a part of my wider community, doing things within the Hataitai community with parents, local business and any other community projects. I pride myself on my organizational skills and therefore would always be on time and ready to take on any required task or those that I may take on on my own accord. I have a high degree of self confidence and self assuredness and I feel that adds to my ability

as a leader, being able to lead groups specifically my fellow students and my year 7 and 8 cohort. I enjoy working with others and therefore would be happy to cooperate with anyone that I am put with.

If I am unsuccessful with the reception team leader then I would like to apply for podcast team leader. What I have noticed about myself is that I'm able to hold a conversation along with being able to entertain people. I like the idea of being on a podcast or a radio station. I am always organised when it comes to talking to anyone which is a skill that I need in all of the teams and team leaders that I have applied for.

I know all the teachers names. I love to be positive about the school and how I represent the school. It took great leadership on Matariki Night and I took control of the face paint area. At Grandparents Day I spent time with the grandparents and spent a lot of time talking to them. I love to take care of the school and show everyone our learning spaces - I am really proud of our school. I know our school values; Mana, Ako and Manaaki. I love to work with a variety of people and love to help younger kids. I have applied for the School Assembly team and I will be active in that team if I get through. I will always help with the younger kids in the House Meetings. I love to come up with new ideas to make the school better and I will always be available for meetings with you.

I wrote a really strong speech last year, that I was really proud of. I am keen to expand on that this year and deliver my speech confidently. I know when I need to do a job without being asked to and I am able to speak to anyone on the spot - I will be ready for anything. I am comfortable relating to a broad range of people and one of my core strengths is accepting people's differences. I am polite and have very good manners. I am organised with my class work and feel confident that I will be able to balance that with any of the leadership work that I am appointed to do. I am ready for anything and if I am needed anywhere I will be there quick smart!

Thank you for this opportunity - I would love to get this leadership role.

Yours sincerely
Holly Keenan