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Ms Jane Lim, HR Manager
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Dear Ms Lim,

Application for Teaching Position

I recently graduated from the National University of Singapore with a Bachelor's degree (Honours) in Mathematics. I recently attended the campus talk by Ministry of Education, and I was very inspired by what Ms Mary Tan (Principal of XYZ Secondary School) shared regarding the evolution of our education system. It is heartening to know that our schools are adapting to ensure the system is fit for the future, and that we are investing many resources into improving our education infrastructure.

Ms Tan said in her speech, "A teacher who is not an inquirer is hardly likely to provide the right intellectual climate for pupils to ask constructive questions or develop critical ability." In my pursuit of a Mathematics degree, I have cultivated a sense of intellectual curiosity by being inquisitive and continually asking "why". I enjoy learning, and I aspire to model the joy of learning for students. My experiences in the restaurant industry have also allowed me to hone interpersonal skills that would help me in engaging students.

Although I worked in the F&B sector, my first teaching experience persuaded me that I was better suited for teaching than business management. In my previous job as a Chief Cashier and Supervisor, I have thrived on educating and mentoring my colleagues. Specifically, I trained five of my colleagues to tabulate financial reports and understand Mathematical ideas. Despite my degree in Mathematics with honours, I am fully aware of how difficult Mathematics is for many people, and I excel in translating abstract concepts into understandable language. Hence, I would like to transfer my skills into the academic sector as a Mathematics teacher.

I would bring to the classroom much understanding of the learning styles of children from my stint at MNO Tuition Centre, having tutored 40 students in classroom settings there. I have developed strong classroom-behaviour management skills and acquired considerable experience in working with children of all ages. My experience as a tutor is valuable because I have also learned the importance of planning classroom activities far in advance. Specifically, I was honoured by selection as Teacher of the Month.

I am positive that I would thrive on the challenge of developing young minds, and I believe that my teaching skills will benefit an academic institution that emphasizes a commitment to the highest learning goals. Thank you for taking the time to review my application. I have enclosed my resume and would greatly appreciate an interview opportunity with ABC to discuss my suitability for the position further. I can be contacted at XX (contact number) or through email at YY (email address).

Yours Sincerely,
Brandon Tan Ah Seng