

MATTHEW CARR

PERSONAL INFORMATION

- Marital status: Single
- Nationality: South African
- Age: 26
- Place of Birth: Bellville, Cape Town

OBJECTIVE

My objective is to receive a teaching position in a school in South Korea. In gaining this position I intend to gain more experience as a teacher, as well as to broaden my cultural experience.

EDUCATION

2001 Fairmont High School
Grade 12 Pass

- Matric with Endorsement

SCHOOL AWARDS RECEIVED

1st Team Cricket (2001)

U19 rugby (2001)

Variety Concerts

One-Act Plays (2000)

INTERESTS AND ACTIVITIES

I have a particular interest in travelling. I have been fortunate enough to travel throughout South Africa on various sporting tours as well as on holidays. After my school career I travelled to London. Fortunately I have family in England and as a result I managed to tour the majority of England too. While working in London I managed to get a week off work and also spent a week in Tenerife. My interest in travelling is another reason why I would like to receive a position in South Korea. I spent a year in Jeonju teaching English from 2008 to 2009 and loved it. I enjoy the Korean culture and its people. I only managed to see Korea, Thailand and China in my last role and I would love to see what else the East has to offer this time round.

HOME LANGUAGE

English

WORK EXPERIENCE

2009/2010 HRV Wellington

■ Independent Commission Agent

During my time in New Zealand I have sold home ventilation systems with great success. I have only been in this role for a short time but it has been a successful time and I have learnt many things.

Mar 2008 – Mar 2009 Brighton Language Institute

■ Second language English Teacher

During my year at Brighton I taught students of various ages ranging from kindergarten to middle school. I thoroughly enjoyed my year but I believe my biggest passion was spent with the kindergarten students. I only filled in where possible but that is where I feel I thrived.

Dec 2005 – Jan 2007 Volkskombuis Restaurant in Stellenbosch
David Kriel 021 887 2121

● Bar Tender and events waiter

Tel: 021 887 2121

May 2002 –Nov 2002 Novatel London West in South West London
020 8237 7801

● Bar Tender and Shift leader

Responsible for stock control, cashing up of tills, delegating duties to staff members, co-ordination of agency workers and the opening and closing of the bar.

Dec 2000 – Dec 2001 Xumbug off-road go-carting
Barry Carr 083 454 5629

● Partner in the business.

Responsible for:

- marketing
- customer relations
- sales
- expanding of the business
- relationships with suppliers

Apr 2005 - Homeracer Race Stations
Barry Carr 083 454 5629

● Partner in the business

Responsible for:

- marketing
- customer relations
- ordering of equipment and stock control

- maintaining of quality relationships with suppliers
- delivering of goods
- sales

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Volunteered at Cotlands Baby Sanctuary for 6 months. Cotlands is a sanctuary for abandoned babies and children. It also provides care for terminally ill children as well as those infected with HIV.

5 years volunteerism at Stone Dragon Education.

Stone Dragon Education (SDE) is a non-profit organization specializing in supplementary education to various schools in the Western Cape. SDE holds various events, from adventure style educational camps to mobile teaching in underprivileged schools.

I have been involved with all aspects of SDE, from organizing and running of camps to first hand teaching. I have taught various subjects at countless schools, particularly in the **Kyalitsha** area. I also serve on the committee, currently holding the Human Resources portfolio, dealing with all HR issues and I also chair the finance sub committee.

HOBBIES

Reading, All Sports, Cooking

REFERENCES

Peter Le Roux

Stone Dragon Education

082 434 3364

Mrs Murphy

Fairmont High School

021 976 1147

SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

2003-2006 University of South Africa

Bachelor of Commerce

- Industrial and Organizational Psychology

2007-2008 University of South Africa

Bachelor of Commerce Honours

- Industrial and Organizational Psychology
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Junior English School

To Whom It May Concern:

Matthew Carr has been employed by Brighton English Academy  from March 2008 to February 2009. During this time, he has worked as ESL English teacher.

The ESL business is generally very hectic. Teachers are expected to deal with students and parents as well as liaising with other staff members and management. I have seen him prioritize his tasks in a way that he never loses focus of the most important aspect of his job, working with and educating the children.

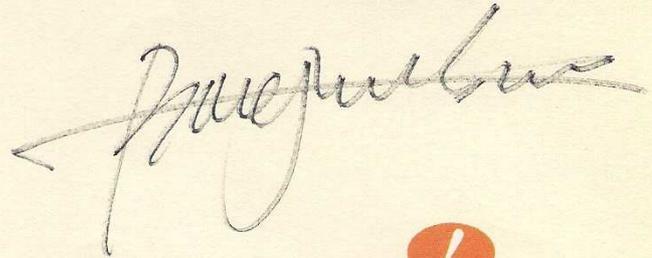
I believe you will find Matthew a very positive model, friend and coworker. Should you require any further information, please feel free to email me at tommy1972@naver.com.

Yours faithfully,

February 19, 2009

Manager

Jin San Bae



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PERSONAL REPORT

November 2001

MATTHEW CARR

Date of Birth: 19 October 1983

Period at this School: 1997-2001

Grade Passed: 11 (Candidate Western Cape Senior Certificate)

Subjects:

English First Language HG
Afrikaans Second Language HG
Mathematics HG

Business Economics HG
Physical Science SG
Accounting SG

Special Achievements:

Coeurricular Activities:

U19 Rugby (2001); 1st Team Cricket (2001); Variety Concerts & One-Act Plays (2000)

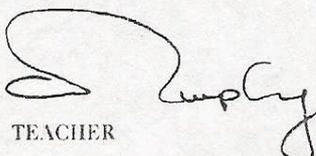
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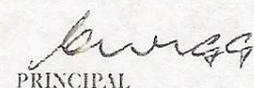
Matthew is an extremely capable and intelligent young man. He has a tremendous amount of energy and enthusiasm which he has applied to his work, his endeavours on the sports field and culturally.

Matthew is a very well-liked pupil. He has a wonderful sense of humour, is responsible and balanced and his positive attitude to life, interest and loyalty to his friends and those in authority have all indicated that this young man has enormous leadership potential.

Matthew has shown perseverance and optimism in his academic work, succeeding where others have given up. He has impeccable manners, a forthright and open manner and both his appearance and his work reflect a well ordered mind.

We have no doubt that this young gentleman will be an asset to any institution. Our very best wishes accompany him.


TEACHER


PRINCIPAL

