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Hiring Manager
Random House Children's Books
1745 Broadway
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Dear Hiring Manager,

I am writing to express my genuine enthusiasm for the Editorial Assistant position at Random House Children's Books. While my formal experience in writing and publishing may be limited, my passion for storytelling and dedication to learning the intricacies of the publishing industry make me an eager and motivated candidate.

My journey into the world of publishing began with a deep-seated desire to share knowledge and stories that matter. As the founder and lead writer at Silent Owl Publishing, I embarked on a mission to publish written academic works in pediatric mental health. This endeavor not only allowed me to apply my nursing background but also provided me with invaluable insights into the publishing process, from manuscript development to distribution.

In addition to my experience in academic publishing, I recently self-published a children's picture book titled "The Perfect Pumpkin Adventure." This project was a labor of love, born from my passion for creating engaging and relatable content for parents. Through the process of writing, working with illustrators, and self-publishing, I gained firsthand experience in the creative and logistical aspects of children's book production.

While my journey in publishing may differ from traditional paths, my entrepreneurial spirit, coupled with a genuine love for literature, fuels my desire to pursue a career in the industry. I am eager to use my diverse background, strong work ethic, and passion for storytelling to contribute to the creation of Little Golden Books and other beloved titles at Random House Children's Books.

Thank you for considering my application. I am genuinely excited about the possibility of joining the passionate team at Random House Children's Books and contributing to the magic of children's literature. I am available for an interview at your earliest convenience and can be reached via phone call/texting 475-280-9133 or via email at seanyaleknight@gmail.com.

Sincerely,

Sean Knight