



EMPLOYEE SPECIFICATION

When filling in the application form, please demonstrate with clear, concise examples how you meet the requirements of the post. You will be assessed in relation to the *Essential and Desirable* criteria. Please bear in mind that you must possess the Essential Criteria on day 1 to be able to do the job. If there are large numbers of applicants for the post then all of the criteria will be used for shortlisting. Under the Disability Discrimination Act, we recognise and welcome our responsibility to remove any barriers in our recruitment and selection process. We have tried to assess this in our Job Description and Employee Specification, however if you feel that there are barriers, please tell us in the application form. As part of the DDA we are committed to making reasonable adjustments, wherever possible and it would help us to know your needs in order to do this.

Post Title: Instructor D		irectorate/School: Forest Moor School		Grade/Scale: Please refer to advert	
Criteria No	Attributes	Criteria		How Identified	Rank



1	Relevant Experience	 Experience of teaching the subject required as advertised. 	Application Form/Interview	Essential
2		Experience of working effectively within a multi-disciplinary an SEN setting or support context for disaffected young people	Application Form/Interview	Desirable
3		 Experience of teaching SEMH/Challenging anxious pupils 	Application Form/Interview	Desirable



Education and Training	 Level 3 qualification 	Application Form/Interview	Essential
Attainments	Qualification in subject area	Application Form/Interview	Desirable
	 A further advanced qualification in the education of pupils with SEMH support needs 	Application Form/Interview	Desirable
General and Special Knowledge	 An understanding of current approaches to the support of young people at risk of social exclusion 	Application Form/Interview	Essential
	 Knowledge of legislation as it applies to pupils with SEN/SEMH 	Application Form/Interview	Desirable
	 An understanding of inclusion and potential barriers which may face young people with SEN/SEMH and those at risk of offending 	Application Form/Interview	Essential
Skills and Abilities	Interpersonal skills which facilitate positive professional relationships with young people and multi-disciplinary teams	Application Form/Interview	Essential
Additional Factors	Good oral and written communication skills	Application Form/Interview	Essential
	Ability to work effectively as a team member	Application Form/Interview	Essential
	 Versatility, Creativity & Resilience 	Application Form/Interview	Essential
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