

## Attendance & Education Welfare Officer – Person Specification

	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications and Experience	<ul> <li>Experience of producing and manipulating accurate data</li> <li>Demonstrable organisational skills.</li> <li>Experience of working with young people.</li> <li>GCSE or equivalent Maths and English grade C or above.</li> <li>Excellent ICT skills.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Knowledge of Microsoft Office.</li> <li>Previous experience of working in a school environment.</li> </ul>
Knowledge and Skills	<ul> <li>Up to date knowledge of current Government Policy, especially in relation to Attendance and Behaviour including Parenting Orders and the Education (Penalty Notices) Regulations 2007.</li> <li>Excellent numeracy and literacy skills.</li> <li>Able to work on own initiative.</li> <li>Able to work as part of a whole school team.</li> <li>Able to lead meetings.</li> <li>Excellent communication skills with staff, students and parents/carers.</li> <li>Supportive and compassionate.</li> <li>Excellent planning, time management and organisational skills.</li> <li>Ability to maintain confidentiality.</li> </ul>	

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- Accuracy and attention to detail.
- Highest levels of confidentiality.
- Team orientated with well-developed interpersonal skills.
- Ability to make decisions on the day to day operation of the Attendance/Punctuality system.
- Flexible.
- Commitment to quality and continuous improvement.
- Flexibility and adaptability.
- Smart and professional appearance.
- Ability to work both individually and as part of a team.
- Highly committed to St. John Fisher's school and the Trust.
- Supportive of the Catholic ethos of the Trust.
- Satisfactory DBS disclosure and standard Trust pre-employment checks.
- A commitment to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and willingness to participate in and apply appropriate training.

- Practising Catholic.
- Commitment to CPD.