## Class Teacher: Person Specification

| Training and Qualifications |  |
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| Essential | Desirable |
| - Qualified Teacher Status | - Evidence of continuing and recent professional development relevant to the post <br> - Safeguarding training <br> - Experience of mixed age classes |
| Experience |  |
| Essential | Desirable |
| - Successful teaching experience in KS2 <br> - Use of assessment practices and procedures to plan lessons and raise attainment | - Leadership of a subject area |
| Skills, Knowledge and Understanding |  |
| Essential | Desirable |
| - A commitment to safeguarding children <br> - A commitment to promote the school's values, aims and ethos <br> - A sound understanding of the characteristics of outstanding teaching <br> - The use of effective procedures for managing and promoting positive behaviour among pupils <br> - Working knowledge of pupils with SEN/D, their needs and how to support them <br> - The ability to create a happy, safe and purposeful learning environment <br> - The ability to establish and develop close relationships with parents, governors and the community <br> - The ability to communicate effectively (both verbally and in writing) with a variety of audiences <br> - A desire and commitment to developing independent learning | - An understanding of the challenges and strengths of working in a small school <br> - A clear understanding of assessment information and the impact this can have on achievement and attainment <br> - Experience of planning and delivering a successful curriculum to meet a range of needs <br> - An understanding of growth mindset theory <br> - Knowledge of the latest statutory requirements of legislation, concerning Equal Opportunities, Health \& Safety, SEN/D and Child Protection. |
| Personal Qualities |  |
| Essential | Desirable |
| - Maintain high expectations for all children <br> - A solution-focussed mindset <br> - A creative and good-humoured approach to all aspects of teaching <br> - Excellent personal organisation and time management skills <br> - Ability to work flexibly, as part of a team | - Ambitions to move into leadership |

