Millfields First School

PERSON SPECIFICATION - CLASS TEACHER

Category	ESSENTIAL	Desirable
Qualifications	Qualified teacher status.	Relevant Masters degree
Experience	 Excellent practitioner with a thorough understanding of the curriculum and a commitment to the highest standards of teaching and learning. A clear understanding of how children learn and the ability to plan for effective and high quality teaching and learning. Experience of KS1 	 Curriculum leadership in one or more subjects. Experience of year groups 1-4 and EYFS Experience in leading a subject
Professional Development	Ability to identify own learning needs.	Evidence of continuing professional development.
Teaching and learning	 High quality teaching skills - knowledge and experience of a range of successful teaching and learning strategies to meet the needs of all pupils. Awareness of range of needs including children with special needs adopting various quality first teaching strategies High expectations of pupils' learning and attainment. A secure understanding of the requirements of the National Curriculum. A secure understanding of the use of assessment to inform the next stages of learning. Secure knowledge of statutory requirements relating to the curriculum and assessment. Understanding of the characteristics of an effective learning environment and the key elements of successful behaviour management. Ability to lead a subject. 	 Successful experience in creating an effective learning environment and in developing and implementing policy and practice relating to behaviour management. An understanding of the changes in the assessment processes. Experience of effective monitoring and evaluation of teaching and learning. Ability to lead a subject.
Accountability	Ability to communicate effectively, orally and in writing to a range of audiences – eg staff, pupils, parents.	Ability to lead sessions to inform parents.
Skills, Qualities & Abilities	 High expectations of pupils' learning and attainment. Strong commitment to raising achievement for all. Ability to build and maintain good relationships. Ability to remain positive and 	

	 enthusiastic when working under pressure. Ability to organise work, prioritise tasks, make decisions and manage time effectively. Flexibility to undertake various roles throughout the school as required. 	
References	 Positive recommendation in professional references. At least satisfactory health record. 	Professional reference without reservation.