Class Teacher – Person Specification

	Essential	Evidence
Qualifications	Qualified Teacher Status	Application Form
Experience	Proven ability as an excellent classroom teacher	Application Form
	Working effectively in a team	References
	Evidence of improving life chances for children	
Professional knowledge,	Knowledge of what constitutes quality and	Letter of application
Understanding and skills	high standards in learning and teaching in KS1/2	Interview
	Inclusion and commitment to positive relationships with children	
	Child protection in a primary school	
	Ability to achieve and sustain high standards for all children	
	Effective organisational skills	
	Ability to work well with parents and carers	
Specific Knowledge, Understanding and skills	Using a positive approach to promote learning and excellent behaviour	Application form
		Lesson observation
	Confident and competent user of technology as an educational tool	Interview
	Experience of making purposeful observations and being able to plan next steps 'in the moment'	
Curriculum	The National Curriculum and its assessment	Letter of application
	Knowledge of the KS1/s Curriculum	Interview
Professional Value	High expectations of everyone	Letter of application
	Willingness to use a variety of teaching strategies to engage all learners	Interview
	Commitment to the personal welfare and safeguarding of children	
Personal Qualities	Passionate about Learning and Teaching	Letter of application
	Displays warmth, care and sensitivity in dealing with children	Interview

	Reference
Open minded and reflective	
Robust and adaptable to changing	
circumstances and new ideas	
Desire to continually develop, to seek out best	
practice and embrace new ideas	
Confidence to speak out when concerned	
about pupil outcomes	
Able to enthuse and reflect upon experience	
Willingness to be involved in the wider life of	
the school	
Ability to work flexibly and prioritise	
Good interpersonal and communication skills	
When all else fails, to maintain good sense of	
humour, a willingness to learn and a desire to continue to strive for excellence	
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