Person Specification for: DEPUTY HEADTEACHER

	Essential	Desirable
Education and Training	Recognised QTS	Management training
	Evidence of commitment to own professional development	Registered on NPQH
Relevant experience	Knowledge and experience of teaching relevant Key Stages Excellent classroom teacher with a proven commitment to improving the quality of children's learning Knowledge and experience of School Development Planning and Curriculum Planning Evidence of successful leadership of Maths, English, Science or the EYFS (including nursery) Evidence of liaising collaboratively with	Experience in one or more schools Experience of having responsibility for a class in relevant key stages Experience in organising and leading assemblies Evidence of participating in and developing extra-curricular activities Experience of Performance Management
	Experience and knowledge of managing challenging behaviour Experience of monitoring teaching and learning Understanding the importance of using data to raise standards Evidence of successfully mentoring or providing general pastoral support to colleagues.	
Skills and Aptitudes	Commitment to the safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people Ability to motivate and lead a team with sensitivity and energy Ability to communicate effectively, both written and oral, with a wide range of people Skill at managing change Proven success in working with children across a range of age and ability.	Experience of effective working with governors Experience and understanding of ICT as a management tool Ability to foster links with local community and with other schools, locally, nationally and internationally. Ability to motivate commitment among all staff groups and to lead staff meetings Sympathetic to the ethos of the school

Ability and willingness to use tact and sensitivity as second nature.
Stamina and a positive approach to work.