DIRECTOR OF MUSIC - PERSON SPECIFICATION

| Attributes | Essential | Desirable |
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| Qualifications | -Highly qualified graduate in Music -Qualified Teacher Status -Outstanding subject, curriculum and examination knowledge | -Further professional studies related to Music or education. |
| Experience | -Very good experience within a high achieving educational setting -Successful experience in teaching all ages and abilities (up to A Level) -Able to demonstrate excellent examination results | -Experience in a range of secondary schools -Recent and relevant training -Able to demonstrate excellent examination results across a department |
| Professional Competence | -An excellent classroom practitioner -An excellent role model for colleagues and pupils alike -Able to evaluate and provide effective feedback on teaching -Ability to use a range of teaching strategies -Able to secure academic excellence for all pupils -Able to use ICT for both teaching and administrative purposes Excellent performance skills Ability to conduct an orchestra | -A very good understanding of student data in order to raise standards and for accountability -An understanding of literacy across the school curriculum -Ability to play a range of instruments to a high level |
| Management Experience | -Leading a team of people Experience of development planning -Being an effective member of a team -Working to targets and deadlines | -Successful experience of change management -Able to balance the strategic overview with the day to day tasks -Ability to manage a budget effectively |
| Personal Qualities | -Enthusiastic and able to inspire and motivate staff and pupils -Excellent interpersonal skills Good administration skills -A willingness to engage in all aspects of school life | -A strong commitment to the wider life of the school and interest in extra- curricular activities |