



The Oakwood
Academy

PERSON SPECIFICATION FOR HEAD OF GEOGRAPHY

	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• QTS• Degree level qualification in Geography	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Good Honours Degree• Further Professional Qualifications
Teaching	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Able to teach full range of ability 11-16• Able to create an excellent climate for learning within teaching area• Able to use a range of strategies to promote learning.• Able to manage and encourage good behaviour• Able to develop positive and meaningful relationships with students• Able to make appropriate use of ICT for learning• Understanding of how to use data to inform planning and improve students' performance• Understanding of a range of assessment for learning approaches, including grades where appropriate• Able to communicate with students, parents and carers about student's progress• Demonstrate outstanding outcomes in own teaching at GCSE level• Participation/development of extra-curricular activities.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Experience of being involved in a whole school initiative• Able to develop best practice through wide range of imaginative approaches• Participation/development of extra-curricular activities• Engaged with developments in teaching and learning strategies to raise achievement
Personal Qualities	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Enthusiasm• Team-working skills• Reliability and Integrity• Personal Organisation• Flexibility	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Strategic Planning• Engagement in own continuous professional development• Motivational skills