

St Margaret's Church of England Academy

Aigburth Road, LIVERPOOL, L17 6AB



Person Specification: Head of Maths

The Diocese of Liverpool

	Essential/Desirable		Principally assessed by					
Attribute		Essential	Desirable	Application Form	Letter	Reference	Lesson Observation	Task/ Interview
A1	Qualified Teacher Status	√		~				
A2	Degree in Maths or related subject	✓		✓				
A3	Higher degree		✓	\checkmark				
A4	Recent participation in a range of relevant INSET	\checkmark		\checkmark	\checkmark			~
A5	Successful experience of teaching in a UK secondary school	√		\checkmark		\checkmark		~
A6	Successful experience of teaching in a post-16 setting		~	\checkmark		\checkmark		~
A7	Successful experience of teaching in a Church school		✓			✓		✓
A8	Ability to teach at least two (preferably more) of Pure Maths, Statistics, Mechanics or Decision Maths at 'A'-level	\checkmark			~	\checkmark		~
A9	Ability to teach Further Maths at 'A'-level		√		✓	✓		✓
B1	Knowledge and understanding of current developments in Maths, including recent research and Ofsted expectations	~			~			~
B2	Evidence of high quality classroom practice	√					✓	
В3	A clear understanding of the issues surrounding the teaching, learning and assessment of Maths	~			~			1
C1	Commitment to support the Academy's Christian ethos	√			\checkmark			~
C2	Commitment to promoting the equality and diversity agenda	√			\checkmark			~
C3	Commitment to ensuring the highest standards of safeguarding	√			✓			✓
D1	Ability to exercise sound leadership and management of pupils in an inclusive school context	✓			~		~	~
D2	Commitment to a consultative style of management	√			✓			✓
D3	A good knowledge and understanding of the leadership and management of staff, and of personnel issues	~			~			~
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D4	A good knowledge and understanding of strategies to promote and sustain individual and team development	~			~			\checkmark
D5	A good knowledge and understanding of current educational issues, and national policies and priorities	✓			~		~	~
D6	A good knowledge and understanding of self-evaluation	√			✓		✓	~
E1	The ability to build and maintain effective relationships	√				✓		\checkmark
E2	The ability to develop effective teamwork	✓				✓		~
E3	The ability to anticipate and solve problems creatively	✓				✓		~
E4	The ability to demonstrate loyalty and confidentiality	✓				√		✓
E5	The ability to prioritise and manage time effectively	✓				√		~
E6	The ability to deploy effectively and efficiently the financial and other resources of the school	~				~		~
E7	The willingness to be generous in time and spirit	√				√		√
E8	The ability to inspire, challenge and motivate staff and learners towards a shared vision	~				√		\checkmark
F1	Letter/application form are fully completed and error-free	√		√	✓			
F2	Satisfactory DBS clearance					✓ (DBS report)		
F3	Strong support/positive recommendation from referees	✓				✓		