Person Specification – Lead Practitioner



	Essential	A/I	Desirable	A/I
Education and Qualifications	 An honours degree A Qualified Teacher Recent, relevant professional leadership development 	A A A/I	 A good honours degree Evidence of post-graduate study/ research 	A A
Professional Experience and Knowledge	 An outstanding classroom practitioner Sustained evidence of successful teaching at KS3 and KS4 Ability to use target setting to raise achievement Experience of involvement in developing and supporting colleagues through coaching, mentoring, etc. 	I A/I A/I A	Evidence of having undertaken recent CPD appropriate to the post	A
Pupils	 Ability to develop and sustain successful relationships with pupils Ability to communicate effectively with parents Ability to recognise individual learning needs and ensure adequate curriculum provision Commitment to raising the achievement of all pupils of all abilities Ability to use data effectively to support improvements in teaching and learning Willingness to make a full contribution to Enrichment activities 	A A/I A/I A/I	Experience of organising and leading extra-curricular activities for pupils	A/I
Interpersonal and Communication Skills	 Ability to develop and sustain successful relationships with colleagues at all levels Ability to work effectively as part of a team Excellent organisational skills Ability to work under pressure and to meet deadlines Enthusiasm, energy, resourcefulness and creativity Strong time management skills Commitment to a collaborative vision and securing the support of others in achieving it 	A/I A/I A/I I A/I	 Successful experience of the line-management of colleagues Demonstrable experience of supporting and developing the professional practice of colleagues 	A/I