Leader of Learning

PERSON SPECIFICATION



Qualifications

	Essential	Desirable
Qualified to degree level or above	V	
Possesses QTS status or equivalent	√	

Experience

·	Essential	Desirable
Experience of leading an element of a subject (e.g. a particular key stage) or an entire subject		V
Experience of line management of at least one member of staff		V
Evidence of successful practice as a teacher in a secondary school	$\sqrt{}$	
Experience of continually improving teaching practice to increase student achievement and progress	V	
Effective use of self-evaluation and data analysis in order to facilitate improvement		V
Evidence of continually improving the teaching and learning of their subject.	V	
Evidence of the ability to plan a curriculum and develop appropriate schemes of learning which match pupils needs.		V
Evidence of involvement in extracurricular activity.		√
Evidence of an understanding of the needs of vulnerable children and those with SEND which has led to an impact on their progress and well being	√	

Leadership

	Essential	Desirable
An ability to lead by example		$\sqrt{}$
Effective team worker and leader	√	
Establishes a 'learning culture'	√	
Understands the need for collegiality in a school environment	√	
Holds people to account and ensures consistently good practice.		$\sqrt{}$
A commitment to the vision and values of Lyng Hall School.	$\sqrt{}$	
Ensures a positive, evolving culture.	$\sqrt{}$	
Motivation to continually improve standards and inspire excellence	$\sqrt{}$	
Possesses empathy and the ability to communicate well.	√	
Can motivate, inspire and influence students and staff.	√	
Develops plans with appropriate SMART objectives		√
Anticipates and pro-actively plans for change	√	

Commitment to the safeguarding and welfare of all students	√	
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Teaching and Learning

	Essential	Desirable
Effective and adaptable ICT skills	√	
Numerate so that data analysis can be facilitated	√	
Effective communication skills	$\sqrt{}$	
Possesses energy, enthusiasm, resilience and perseverance	$\sqrt{}$	
A commitment to educational research in order to facilitate learning		$\sqrt{}$
Excellent classroom teacher with the ability to reflect on lessons and continually improve their own practice	\checkmark	
Understands the difference between good and outstanding classroom practice	V	
Effective and systematic behaviour management, with clear boundaries, sanctions, praise and rewards	$\sqrt{}$	
Thinks strategically about classroom practice and tailoring lessons to students needs		√
Understands and interprets complex student data to drive lesson planning, achievement and progress		√
Excellent planning and organisational skills	√	
The ability to produce correspondence/documents, appropriate for a specific audience and in well-written English, ensuring the tone is appropriate to the purpose		V

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