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|  | **Essential** | **Desirable** |
| **Qualifications and**  **Experience** | * A degree or equivalent with Qualified Teacher Status * Successful teaching experience with your own KS1 / 2 class. * Evidence of relevant professional development | * Experience of teaching in more than one school |
| **Teaching and Learning – knowledge & understanding** | * A secure understanding of the requirements of the National Curriculum * Knowledge and experience of a range of successful teaching and learning strategies to meet the needs of all pupils * Able to provide children with stimulating and creative activities in order to progress their learning * A secure understanding of assessment for learning methods * Understanding of the characteristics of an effective learning environment and the key elements of successful behaviour management | * Understanding of successful teaching and learning across a primary school * Up to date knowledge of educational issues and a good working knowledge of OFSTED requirements * Experience of using the outdoors to enhance learning. |
| **Skills & Qualities** | * Have good teaching skills and the ability to develop an excellent rapport with children * Have high expectations of what children can achieve * Be passionate about making learning experiences challenging, memorable and fun * Be enthusiastic, self-motivated and have a positive, ‘can-do’ attitude * Be flexible, caring & approachable, with a good sense of humour * Believe in working in close partnership with parents * Able to build and maintain good relationships with all stakeholders | * Willing to run an extra-curricular club * Able to effectively contribute to whole-school improvements |