Second in Mathematics Person Specification



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Attributes	Essential	Desirable	How Identified
Qualifications	Qualified Teacher	Certificated additional qualifications e.g. Masters,	Letter Application
Job Related Experience and Skills	 A commitment to high quality work, including good ICT skills Successful teaching experience in the secondary phases Experience and good working knowledge of the National Curriculum, including up to date knowledge of examinations specifications for GCSE Mathematics Excellent classroom practitioner with a proven track record of results 	 Knowledge of what constitutes effective monitoring of student progress Able to generate new ideas and initiatives Sound knowledge of current educational issues Experience of leading departmental planning Experience of leading/managing a Key Stage Experience of leading a team 	Letter Application Interview
Professional Development	 Evidence of commitment to own professional development Recent relevant service training in current education practice Thorough knowledge of the secondary curriculum Thorough knowledge of current assessment practices in education 	Experience of leading a whole school initiative Experience of leading staff training Certificated additional qualifications e.g. NPQML or equivalent	Letter Application Interview
Knowledge and Understanding	 An understanding of Statutory National Curriculum requirements at the appropriate key Stage An understanding of the statutory requirements of legislation concerning Equal Opportunities, Health and Safety, SEN and Child Protection The positive links necessary within school and with all its stakeholders 	 Able to make links between schools - especially similar schools Understanding of how to interpret and make use of the variety of data schools generate Experience of coaching/developing staff 	Letter Application Interview

	 The ability to improve the quality of teaching of learning within the subject The ability to track and monitor student progress and set challenging targets The ability to lead curriculum development 		
Personal Skills	 Dynamic and approachable Able to interact with and motivate students whilst demonstrating a commitment to progress and achievement Organise and prioritise work load and meet deadlines Communicate effectively orally and in writing to a range of audiences Excellent communication skills Ability to work effectively within a team and collaboratively with parents/carers Have high standards of punctuality, attendance and personal presentation Confidence with ICT Promote the school's aims positively, and use effective strategies to monitor motivation and morale Establish and develop close relationships with parents, governors and the community Create a happy, challenging and effective learning environment 	Able to make objective decisions Decisive and Determined	Letter Application Interview
Safeguarding	Able to demonstrate an understanding of safeguarding DBS	Have an understanding of and be able to demonstrate a commitment to Equal Opportunities and Diversity	Letter Interview Application