Teacher of Design Technology
Person Specification

Essential	Desirable
QUALIFICATIONS	
Qualified Teacher Status	First Aid Certificate
Good Honours Degree or equivalent	Appropriate Health & Safety qualifications
	Willingness to be trained in Health and Safety and First Aid
PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND KNOWLEDGE	
Understanding of effective teaching and learning and how to promote them	Awareness of current issues relating to DT curriculum
Experience in a mixed comprehensive school (teaching practice acceptable)	Evidence of success with a wide range of abilities
ICT literate including use of the cloud and web-based apps.	Literate Adobe design software
Familiar with the National Curriculum for Design Technology	Ability to offer some Design Technology subjects including Resistant materials and Food at KS4/5
Familiar with KS3 Strategy	An understanding of how CAD CAM applies to your specialist area.
Ability to offer extra curricular activities	Willingness to contribute to and support school events
Ability to teach Design Technology subjects including Resistant materials and Food at KS3	Ability to provide knowledge of design and manufacturing career pathways and inform students of the bigger picture.
PERSONAL QUALITIES	
Capacity for hard work	Ambitious
Ability to inspire children to achieve beyond their own expectations	Good sense of humour
Liking of children	Enthusiasm for subject area
Flexible, open minded, approachable	
Innovative, creative and inspiring	
Appropriate personal presentation	
Organised and able to manage resources economically.	
Ability to meet tight deadlines	
Ability to work alone or in a team	
OTHER FACTORS	
Personal belief in the value of education and the comprehensive system in particular	
Commitment to the school's vision and ethos	
High standards and expectations	
Keen to develop excellence in Design communication and Technology Learning Area	
Good communication skills	
Positive towards personal development	
Willingness to assist in the organisation of and participate in trips and visits	