

**Person Specification for a
 Teacher of Geography at St Birinus School**

	Essential	Desirable	How verified
Working with children and young people	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enhanced Disclosure from the Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Application for - and issue of - an Enhanced Disclosure from the Disclosure and Barring Service
Education and training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> First or second class degree PGCE or equivalent 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A or B in A-level Geography 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Certificates
Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be able to teach the 11-18 age range as well as the full ability range 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Involvement in activities involving young people 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Application form, interview and references
Knowledge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Curriculum 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A level modules GCSE Wider experience of life, e.g., travel, industry – not simply school, university, college 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Application form, interview and references
Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> People skills Classroom management skills ICT skills 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ICT/Teaching and Learning skills 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Application form, interview and references
Personal qualities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Energy and enthusiasm The belief that there are no ceilings to what students can achieve Flexibility and ambition 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Organisational 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Application form, interview and references
Interests	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Passionate about how school-based Geography links up with the 'real world' 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Extra curricular 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Application form, interview and references