



# The Crypt School

An Outstanding Co-Educational Grammar School and VI Form

## PERSON SPECIFICATION

### HISTORY AND POLITICS TEACHER (MATERNITY COVER)

Attributes	Essential	Desirable
<b>Qualifications</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Good Honours Graduate in History</li> <li>➤ Qualified Teacher Status</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Further study such as a Masters</li> <li>➤ Qualifications in Politics or similar</li> </ul>
<b>Work-related Experience and Associated Skills</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Excellent teacher</li> <li>➤ Enthusiasm for teaching</li> <li>➤ Ability to teach KS3, 4 &amp; 5 History</li> <li>➤ Commitment to extracurricular activities</li> <li>➤ Wide ranging subject knowledge</li> <li>➤ Up to date with contemporary educational issues and development.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Effective team player;</li> <li>➤ Experience of innovation in teaching and learning</li> <li>➤ Experience challenging High Attainment Pupils (including developing/implementing exam technique guidance)</li> <li>➤ Experience of the NEA/ coursework process at KS5</li> <li>➤ Experience leading curriculum development at KS5</li> <li>➤ Ability to teach KS5 politics</li> </ul>
<b>Other relevant experience and training</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Evidence of positive impact of recent training</li> <li>➤ Experience of tutoring/mentoring</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Training in areas complementary to job description.</li> <li>➤ Ability to contribute to wider school activities.</li> </ul>
<b>Personal skills</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Good team player &amp; positive attitude</li> <li>➤ High level of commitment - including to raise the profile of history &amp; politics outside of lessons</li> <li>➤ Commitment to raising pupils' standard of achievement</li> <li>➤ Awareness of debates and trends in History &amp; Politics teaching</li> <li>➤ Good communication skills</li> <li>➤ Well organised</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Conventional sense of humour.</li> <li>➤ Drive to develop professionally.</li> </ul>

We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. This post will be subject to an enhanced DBS disclosure. The Crypt School values the diversity of our workforce and welcomes applications from all sectors of the community.

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