

Competency	Essential	Desirable	Evidence Gathered
Qualification	To have QTS		AF
	Degree of equivalent		AF
	Evidence of		AF
	participation in relevant CPD		R
		Good knowledge of current thinking and practice in education	AF I
Experience	Recent teaching experience in a Primary School/Early Years		AF/I
	Understanding of safeguarding and child protection procedures		l
	Evidence of teaching in EYFS, KS1 or KS2		AF/I
		Evidence of developing a curriculum area or aspect of the school	AF/I
		Experience of multi- disciplinary work	AF I R
Abilities and skills	Evidence of good, successful teaching experience		AF I R
		Evidence of good, successful teaching experience across more than one phase	AF I R
	An understanding of how to use assessment to inform planning for good teaching and learning		AF I R
		Good understanding of curriculum development and innovation	AF I R
	Evidence of good classroom management skills		I R
	Knowledge of successful strategies for improving the quality of provision		I R

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	and pupils' learning and			
	progress.			
	A good understanding of		AF	
	the features of high-		1	
	quality pedagogy and		R	
	practice for children and			
	young people with			
	learning difficulties and			
D	disabilities			
Personal	A willingness to learn		1	
qualities	and develop new skills		1/45	
	Work collaboratively		I/AF	
	with others		A F	
	Good written and oral		AF	
	communication skills		ΛF	
	Enthusiastic and		AF	
	positive, approachable,		I D	
	accessible and flexible		R	
	Ability to plan time and		AF R	
	organise work effectively		K	
	An excellent		R	
	attendance record (not		K	
	including absences due			
	to disability)			
	Caring, compassionate,		1	
	challenging, consistent		AF	
	and credible		R	
	Ability to 'buy in' to the		I	
	Blackburn Primary ethos		AF	
	and vision		R	

Evidence against the person specification will be gathered in the following ways: AF = Application Form

I = Interview Process

R = References