PERSON SPECIFICATION

POST: Teacher of Mathematics

SCHOOL: St Aidan's Church of England High School, Harrogate

FACTOR	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE	MEANS OF ASSESSMENT
Qualifications and Training	 Enhanced disclosure with DBS Relevant degree Qualified Teacher Status 	Mathematics degree	Application form Relevant documentation Interview References
Professional Experience	 Successful experience teaching Mathematics at KS3 and KS4 Knowledge and experience of using a variety of teaching strategies Proven track record of implementing learning strategies which ensure all students make progress 	 Successful experience teaching Mathematics at KS5 Ability to teach a second subject within the Mathematics and Commerce* Faculty Experience of teaching lower ability groups Experience and success using a range of teaching strategies to raise standards Experience of and success using differentiation to ensure success for all Experience of assisting as a form tutor 	Application form Interview References
Skills, Knowledge and Aptitudes	 Excellent subject knowledge A strong classroom presence Ability to plan, prepare and teach effective and engaging lessons A commitment to active learning techniques Ability to continually inspire and motivate students to improve standards and achieve excellence Ability to use ICT proficiently in the teaching of Mathematics, including Microsoft Teams 	 An ability to show initiative in helping the promotion of mathematics outside the classroom Creative interest in developing the use of ICT and on-line resources in the teaching of Mathematics Able to contribute to department's KS3-5 teaching and learning resources 	Interview Lesson observation References

Personal Qualities	 A commitment to contribute to the spiritual, moral, social and cultural life of the wider school community Genuine passion for the subject and a belief in the potential of every student Excellent communication, organisational and interpersonal skills Be able to work in a large and diverse team where ideas are shared and developed together Professional values in personal conduct and presentation Integrity, discretion and a sense of fairness 	 Ambition – with a desire to take on responsibility in due course for aspects of teaching and learning within the department or in other areas in school A commitment and be able to contribute to the spiritual, moral, social and cultural life of the school community with an interest in extra - curricular and enrichment opportunities. (Eventually, if not immediately in the case of a prospective ECT). Ability to support and mentor pupils 	Interview Lesson observation
Special Requirements	 Enhanced disclosure with DBS A commitment to safeguarding for all young people 		Application form Interview References

*Note: The Mathematics and Commerce Faculty includes Mathematics, Business, Economics and ICT.