

# **OAKLANDS SCHOOL**

## PERSON SPECIFICATION

# **Teacher of Modern Foreign Languages**

Please address the selection criteria in your application.

### **Professional Attributes**

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- 1. Well qualified teacher of French, Spanish and/or another Modern Foreign Language
- 2. Enthusiastic and engaging classroom presence
- 3. A knowledge of the new specifications for Modern Foreign Languages
- 4. The ability to develop engaging and challenging schemes of work and share good practice with others.
- 5. Evidence of the use of appropriate strategies to create outstanding learning environments for students.
- 6. The ability to undertake highly and appropriate assessment and record keeping with particular reference to the new GCSE.
- 7. Excellent communication skills both orally and in writing.
- 8. The ability to work with a wide range of staff as a member of a team.
- 9. Evidence of a good record of attendance and punctuality.
- 10. An understanding of and commitment to the need to enforce local authority, school and departmental policies.

## 1. Relationship with students

You will have:

- High expectations of students and a commitment to ensuring that they can achieve their full educational potential and to establishing fair, respectful trusting, supportive and constructive relationship with them
- Positive values, attitudes and behaviour they expect from students

## 2. An ability to communicate effectively

- Communicate effectively with students, colleagues, parents and carers
- Recognise and respect the contribution that colleagues, parents and carers can make to the development and well being of students and young people and to raising their levels of attainment.
- Have a commitment to collaboration and co-operative working

## 3. Professional knowledge and understanding

- Have excellent knowledge and understanding of a range of teaching, learning and behaviour management strategies and know how to use and adapt them.
- Have excellent knowledge and understanding of your subjects/ curriculum areas and related pedagogy to enable you to teach effectively across the age and ability range.
- To understand how children and young people develop and that the progress and well-being of learners are affected by a range of developmental, social, religious, ethnic cultural and linguistic influence.

### 4. **Professional Skills**

- To establish a purposeful and safe learning environment conducive to learning and identify opportunities for learners.
- To establish a clear framework for classroom discipline to manage learners' behaviour constructively and promote their self-control and independence.
- To work as a team member and identify opportunities for working with colleagues, sharing the development of effective practice with them.

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