

**TEACHER OF PE DEPARTMENT - PERSON SPECIFICATION**

<b>SPECIFICATION</b>	<b>ESSENTIAL</b>	<b>DESIRABLE</b>
<b>Education/Training</b>	<p>Qualified Teacher Status</p> <p>Evidence of further personal and professional development</p>	
<b>Experience</b>	<p>Experience of working as part of a team</p> <p>Experience of developing both schemes of work and teaching and learning in PE</p> <p>Proven track record of raising standards in PE</p> <p>Experience of teaching across the age range 11 to 18 years and in a comprehensive school</p>	
<b>Knowledge</b>	<p>Strong subject knowledge</p> <p>Ability to teach PE to all levels and abilities</p>	<p>Ability to teach other subjects</p>
<b>Skills/Attributes</b>	<p>Effective interpersonal skills</p> <p>Proven behaviour management skills</p> <p>Sound organisation skills</p> <p>Excellent classroom skills</p> <p>Ability to utilise ICT in the development of Teaching and Learning</p> <p>Ability to promote the enjoyment and success of students in PE throughout the school</p>	
<b>Personal Qualities</b>	<p>Ability and willingness to work to get the best from all students</p> <p>Commitment, enthusiasm and energy</p> <p>Commitment to own personal and professional development</p> <p>Willingness to be involved in the wider life of the school community</p>	<p>A sense of humour</p>

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All aspects of the person specification will be tested as part of the recruitment process. Should the applicant be shortlisted any relevant issues arising from references will be taken up at interview.