

Person Specification: Subject Teacher

The following list is indicative of the kind of person we are looking for but **not all of these criteria are essential**. However, please do try to give evidence of how you fulfil the majority of these requirements in your application.

	Essential	Desirable	Evidence based
Qualifications			
Qualified Teacher Status	Essential		Application Certificates
Honours Degree or equivalent	Essential		Application Certificate
Recent participation in a range of relevant in-service training/initial training programmes		Desirable	Application Certificate
Professional Experience and Knowledge			
Successful teaching and curriculum experience	Essential		Application Interview
Understanding of quality in learning, teaching and assessment and how to achieve excellence	Essential		Application Interview
Effective behaviour management strategies	Essential		Application Interview
Knowledge of best practice in Drama and Music	Essential		Application Interview
Experience of teaching Drama and Music at Key Stage 3	Essential		Application Interview
Experience of teaching at Drama and/or Music at Key Stage 4 & 5		Desirable	Application Interview
Experience in organising and leading extra-curricular activities		Desirable	Application Interview
Experience in a comprehensive school		Desirable	Application Interview
Experience of teaching in a faith school		Desirable	Application Interview
In-depth knowledge and experience of Child Protection and Safeguarding procedures	Essential		Application Interview
Professional skills			

Ability to communicate effectively orally and in writing to a range of audiences	Essential		Application Interview
Well-developed interpersonal skills	Essential		Application Interview
Strong commitment to team working and partnership	Essential		Application Interview
Ability to use new and emerging technologies to support improvement	Essential		Application Interview
Personal Qualities			
Committed to the development and maintenance of good relationships with staff, parents, students, governors, and the community	Essential		Interview
Positive, enthusiastic outlook, embracing risk and innovation	Essential		Interview
Good organisation skills	Essential		Interview
A sense of humour	Essential		Interview
Demonstrate respect and empathy towards others	Essential		Interview
Resilience, perseverance and optimism in the face of difficulties and challenges	Essential		Interview
Ability to be consistently decisive and focused on solutions	Essential		Interview
Commitment and dedication to social justice, equality and excellence	Essential		Interview
Capacity to be flexible, adaptable and creative	Essential		Interview
Committed to the CPD of self and others in the school	Essential		Application Interview
Committed to a collaborative school vision of excellence and equity that sets high standards for all and welcomes and secures the support of others in achieving it	Essential		Interview
Willingness to develop/be sensitive towards the Christian ethos of the school	Essential		Interview
The ability to form and maintain appropriate relationships and personal boundaries with children and young people in line with the safeguarding and child protection policy and staff code of conduct	Essential		Interview
Equal opportunities			

Candidates must demonstrate an awareness and understanding of equal opportunities	Essential		Application Interview
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