**Whitley Academy**

**Teacher of PSHE**

**Person Specification**

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|  | **Essential** | **Measurement\*** |
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| **Educational** | * Graduate Teacher able to offer PSHE at KS3 and as the school expands at KS4 & KS5 | A |
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| **Experience** | * Experience of assessment of student performance at Key Stages 3 and 4 (with potential to develop along with the curriculum at KS5) * Experience of working as part of a team | I  I, R |
| **Knowledge** | * Knowledge of National Curriculum requirements and assessment in PSHE * Knowledge of current trends in the teaching of PSHE | I, R  I |
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| **Skills & Abilities** | * Excellent classroom teacher with a lively, interactive approach * Effective classroom manager * Excellent inter-personal skills * Excellent organisational skills * Excellent IT skills * Ability to teach PSHE across the 11-18 age range (beginning with KS3 and growing the curriculum to KS5) to students of all abilities * A commitment to the place of PSHE in the comprehensive school curriculum * Patience, determination and tact-with students, parents & colleagues * A commitment to equal opportunities * A commitment to high standards * Engaging personality to whom students respond * Willingness to work hard for sustained periods * Excellent communicator * A commitment to the safeguarding of children | I, R  I  I, R  I, R  A, I  I, R  I  I, R  I  I, R  I, R  I, R  A, I  I/ R |
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| **Special Requirements** | This post is exempt from the provisions of the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974. A satisfactory Enhanced Criminal Record check from the Disclosure & Barring Service (DBS) will be required prior to appointment. | DBS |

***\*A= Application form, I = Interview, R = References***