PERSON SPECIFICATION

POST: Teacher of Science

L = Letter l = Interview App = Application

R = Reference

| | Essential | Desirable | Shown in |
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| Qualifications and Training | | | |
| 1. Qualified teacher status | ✓ | | APP/L |
| 2. Graduate | ✓ | | APP/L |
| 3. Evidence of further recent and appropriate professional development | ✓ | | APP/L |
| 4. Post graduate qualification | | ~ | APP/L |
| Experience | | | |
| 1. Proven record of effective pastoral management | | ✓ | L/I |
| 2. Proven record of outstanding or consistently good classroom teaching | ~ | | L/I/R |
| 3. Experience of strategies for the effective management of student behaviour | ✓ | | L/I/R |
| 4. Has made a positive difference to current post and can demonstrate how it was achieved | ~ | | L/I/R |
| 5. Implementation of systems and processes to (a) monitor, review and evaluate teaching and learning, leadership and management and (b) to support a rapid rise in student achievement | ~ | | L/I/R |
| 6. Curriculum planning and curriculum innovation | | ~ | L/I/R |
| 7. Working in a school which includes urban, ethnically diverse communities | | ✓ | L/I/R |
| Knowledge | | | • |
| 1. Current educational issues and their implications | ✓ | | L/I/R |
| 2. How to raise attainment, achievement and aspirations | ✓ | | L/I/R |
| 3. Developments in personalised learning and assessment | ~ | | L/I/R |
| 4. The implications of Safeguarding | ✓ | | L/I/R |
| 5. How e-learning can support the curriculum and achievement | ✓ | | L/I/R |
| 6. Developing teaching styles to meet learning needs | ✓ | | L/I/R |

| 1. High order administrative and organisational skills, with good attention | ✓ | |
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| to detail | | L/I/R |
| 2. Good oral and written skills | ✓ | L/I/R |
| 3. Ability to manage student behaviour firmly, effectively and positively | ✓ | L/I/R |
| Resilience, ability to deal with a large volume of work and heavy demands on one's time | ~ | L/I/R |
| 5. Ability to reach logical conclusions and make high quality reasoned decisions based upon available information | ~ | L/I/R |
| 6. Ability to listen, reflect and respond accordingly | ✓ | L/I/R |
| 7. Ability to command respect from students, staff, parents and the community | ✓ | L/I/R |
| 8. Ability to work collaboratively to resolve problems and issues | ~ | L/I/R |
| 9. Ability to lead and to be part of a team | × | L/I/R |
| 10. ICT skills to support teaching, learning and management | ✓ | L/I/R |
| 11. The ability to think and plan strategically | ✓ | L/I/R |
| 12. The ability to formulate a clear plan for area or school improvement | ✓ | L/I/R |
| 13. The ability to analyse data and form appropriate conclusions leading to the development of alternative strategies to address relevant issues. | ✓ | L/I/R |
| 14. Excellent interpersonal skills including sensitivity, tact, diplomacy and wisdom | ✓ | L/I/R |
| 15. Ability to see the funny side. | ✓ | L/I/R |
| Values | | |
| 1. Committed, open and honest with high standards and expectations of self and others | ✓ | L/I/R |
| 2. Ambitious for student, school, colleagues and self | ~ | L/I/R |
| 3. Passionate about inclusion and equal access | ✓ | L/I/R |
| 4. Likes children | ✓ | App/I |