## **Teacher of Science Person Specification**



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Attributes	Essential	Desirable	How Identified
Qualifications	<ul> <li>Qualified Teacher (QTS)</li> <li>Willingness to undertake additional qualifications</li> <li>Willingness to undertake specific training</li> </ul>	Certificated additional qualifications e.g. Masters     Any further experience or qualification	Letter Application
Job Related Experience and Skills	<ul> <li>A commitment to high quality work including good ICT skills</li> <li>Experience of working with young people</li> <li>Successful teaching experience in the secondary phases</li> <li>Experience and good working knowledge of the National Curriculum, including new specifications for KS3 and KS4</li> </ul>	Knowledge of what constitutes effective monitoring of student progress     Able to generate new ideas and initiatives     Sound knowledge of current educational issues	
Professional Development	<ul> <li>Evidence of commitment to own professional development</li> <li>Recent relevant service training in current education practice</li> <li>Thorough knowledge of the secondary curriculum</li> <li>Thorough knowledge of current assessment practices in education</li> <li>Willingness to undertake further training and development</li> </ul>	Experience of utilising the Pupil Premium     Experience of working in a school with SEN/     EAL/Vulnerable pupils     Experience of leading a whole school initiative	Letter Application
Knowledge and Understanding	<ul> <li>The theory of practice of providing effectively for the individual needs of all children (e.g. classroom organisation and learning strategies)</li> <li>Statutory National Curriculum requirements at the appropriate key Stage</li> </ul>	Willingness to collaborate between schools, especially similar schools.	Letter Application Interview

	<ul> <li>The monitoring, assessment, recording and reporting of pupils' progress</li> <li>The statutory requirements of legislation concerning Equal Opportunities, Health and Safety, SEN and Child Protection</li> <li>The positive links necessary within school and with all its stakeholders</li> </ul>		
Personal Skills	<ul> <li>Have the highest of expectations of yourself and pupils.</li> <li>Dynamic</li> <li>Able to interact with and form positive professional relationships with students whilst demonstrating a commitment to progress and achievement</li> <li>Organise and prioritise work load and meet deadlines</li> <li>Communicate effectively orally and in writing to a range of audiences</li> <li>Ability to work effectively within a team and collaboratively with parents/carers</li> <li>Confidence with ICT</li> <li>Promote the school's aims positively, and use effective strategies to monitor motivation and morale</li> <li>Establish and develop close relationships with parents, governors and the community</li> <li>Create a happy, challenging and effective learning environment</li> </ul>	Able to work under pressure	Letter Application Interview
Safeguarding	<ul> <li>Demonstrate an understanding of and commitment to safeguarding</li> <li>Demonstrate a commitment to equal opportunities and diversity</li> </ul>		Letter Interview Application