

# Gildredge House Recruitment Teacher of Secondary Science (Biology/Chemistry/Physics)

# **Person Specification**

## Qualifications

#### **Essential**

- Honours degree in an appropriate subject area from a recognised university
- QTS

#### Desirable

• Masters, higher degree

#### **Experience**

#### Essential

• Experience of teaching, including evidence of high student achievement up to GCSE level

#### Desirable

- Successful experience in a position of responsibility
- Experience of teaching A Level
- Experience of the primary Science (national) curriculum

## Knowledge and understanding

## **Essential**

- Theory and practice of providing effectively for the individual needs of all children (e.g. classroom organisation and learning strategies) including teaching and learning styles
- Assessment, recording and reporting of pupils' progress including AfL
- Awareness of Equal Opportunities, Health & Safety, SEN and Safeguarding issues

#### Desirable

• Knowledge and understanding in a subsidiary subject

#### **Skills**

#### **Essential**

- To promote the school's aims positively and use effective strategies to teach, assess, and monitor / evaluate their professional practice
- To develop appropriate and effective teacher-pupil relationships
- To establish and develop working relationships with teachers, parents, governors and the community
- To communicate effectively (both orally and in writing) to a variety of stakeholders
- To create and maintain a stimulating learning environment

# Desirable

- Proven leadership and responsibility
- High level ICT in education skills
- Ability and experience in teaching a subsidiary subject

# **Personal Attributes**

## Essential

- Flexibility and adaptability in terms of new ideas and approaches
- Enthusiasm for their subject area(s) and for teaching in the secondary phase
- Willingness to organise and contribute to extra-curricular activities
- Strong commitment to the values and ethos of Gildredge House

## **Desirable**

• Ambition and potential for further promotion