



Person Specification for the post of Teacher of Science

Qualifications

- Qualified teacher status
- Appropriate specialist qualifications in Science: this would normally be at first degree level

Experience

- A record of successful teaching experience at secondary level, including a PGCE placement
- A sound knowledge and understanding of the key issues regarding assessment
- The ability to motivate, challenge and inspire students of all abilities

Skills

- Ability to plan lessons effectively
- Ability to work in a collaborative fashion
- Ability to manage classroom behaviour for learning positively
- The ability and willingness to contribute to departmental planning and development of schemes of work
- Ability to develop excellent relationships with students
- Excellent planning, assessment, recording and monitoring of students, including home learning (homework)

Other

- A lively and enthusiastic commitment to teaching
- A commitment to running or participating in after school activities/enrichment programmes
- An empathy with young people and an understanding of their interests
- A commitment to equal opportunities
- A willingness to clearly embrace and support the Catholic ethos of the school