## **Person Specification - Class Teacher**

	Essential Criteria	Desirable Criteria
Qualifications	Qualified teacher status	
Professional attributes	<ul> <li>Enthusiastic, creative and willing to learn</li> <li>Excellent communication and interpersonal skills</li> <li>Takes responsibility for managing own professional development</li> <li>Contributes to and implements whole school policies.</li> <li>Participates in and contributes to whole school improvement.</li> <li>Motivates staff and sets examples of high personal standards</li> <li>Establishes professional, supportive and appropriate relationships with parents, carers and other professionals.</li> <li>Willingness to assist and participate in the wider aspects of school life.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Experience of working in partnership with parents and other professionals</li> <li>Evidence of continued professional development</li> </ul>
Professional knowledge and understanding	<ul> <li>Has a detailed knowledge of the statutory EYFS or National Curriculum requirements</li> <li>Understands how pupils' learning is affected by their physical, intellectual, emotional and social development</li> <li>Uses a range of different pedagogy to meet the needs of the learners</li> <li>Successfully delivers inclusive practice to ensure equal opportunities for all.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Knowledge and experience of EYFS requirements and practice</li> <li>Experience of implementing the principles and practices in behaviour management strategies.</li> <li>Experience of participating in curriculum development.</li> <li>Experience of leading and managing a subject</li> </ul>
Professional skills	<ul> <li>Works well in a team</li> <li>Able to line manage teaching assistants and to involve them in the planning and assessment of pupils' learning</li> <li>Selects teaching materials appropriately and makes good use of resources</li> <li>Uses accommodation to create an effective and stimulating learning environment</li> <li>Secures a good standard of behaviour in the classroom by establishing appropriate rules and high expectations of behaviour within the context of the school's behaviour policy</li> <li>Confident ICT user</li> <li>Knows how to present reports and information to parents and carers</li> <li>Ensures that the learning environment is safe and that risks are adequately assessed</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Experience of managing support staff in a special school or mainstream school context</li> <li>Experience of supporting professional development of other staff.</li> <li>Experience of resource allocation and budget management.</li> </ul>