## **Harvington CE First & Nursery School**



## **Person Specification for Class Teacher**

Attributes	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications and Training	<ul> <li>GCSE English, Maths and Science, A/AS Level Qualifications or equivalent</li> <li>Appropriate teaching qualification</li> <li>Demonstrates a full understanding of the National Standards for Teachers/NQT Standards</li> <li>Teaching/placement experience in KS1 as well as throughout the primary age range</li> <li>Very good knowledge and understanding of National Curriculum</li> <li>Very good knowledge of relevant, and recent developments and strategies</li> <li>Very good knowledge of relevant methods of planning and assessment</li> <li>Very good knowledge and understanding of the use of both the indoor and outdoor environment to support learning</li> </ul>	Recent appropriate training (relevant and significant)
Experience	<ul> <li>Successful teacher who is committed to the welfare and educational development of children</li> <li>An ability to work co-operatively with parents, staff, the wider community and outside agencies</li> <li>Able to create and sustain an exciting, lively and relevant environment</li> <li>Ability to manage behaviour in a calm, positive manner</li> <li>Ability to challenge all learners</li> <li>Ability to plan specific next steps in learning</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Teaching experience in more than one setting</li> <li>Experience or the desire to lead a curriculum area</li> <li>Recent professional development or training in improving quality of teaching.</li> <li>Recent involvement in implementation of proven educational initiatives.</li> </ul>
Skills and Abilities	<ul> <li>A dedicated, inspirational, creative teacher</li> <li>Able to relate warmly to children</li> <li>Highly independent, organised, committed and resilient</li> <li>Able to manage and resolve any difficulties which occur</li> <li>Flexible and open when working with others, a good team player</li> <li>Able to work co-operatively with the SLT to develop a centre of excellence</li> <li>Cheerful, enthusiastic disposition with an open and flexible attitude</li> <li>A personal desire for excellence in teaching</li> <li>A very good understanding of safeguarding procedures</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Evidence of impact on parent engagement and pupil participation.</li> <li>An interest in teaching all curriculum areas.</li> </ul>