

Class Teacher Person Specification

Section	Information	Essential / Desirable	How Identified
Education and Training			
	Qualified Teacher Status.	Essential	Application/ Interview
	Teaching qualification recognised by the DfES.	Essential	Application/ Interview
Experience			
	Evidence of successful teaching.	Essential	Application/ Interview/ References
	Evidence of successful experience of:		
	o teaching pupils in KS1 or KS2,	Essential	Application/ Interview/ References
	o teaching a number of subjects of the National	Essential	Application/ Interview/ References
	Curriculum		
	Skills in using ICT.	Essential	Application/ Interview/ References
	 Successful experience of: 		
		Essential Essential	Application/Interview/References
	• Specialist teaching in one of the core subjects.	Essential	Application/ Interview/ References Application/ Interview/ References
	• Leading extra-curricular activities.	Essential	Application/ Interview/ References
	• Evidence of successful experience of co-ordination of a		
	subject across the primary range.		
General and Specialist			
Knowledge			
	Knowledge of:	_	
	o Curriculum planning.	Essential	Application/Interview
	o National Curriculum and its assessment.	Essential	Application/Interview
	o Target-setting process.	Essential	Application/ Interview
	Knowledge of:		
	o Special Educational Needs Code of Practice.	Desirable	Application/ Interview
	o Principles of inclusion.	Desirable	Application/ Interview
Skills and Abilities			

	 An excellent and effective class teacher. Ability to implement and oversee the practice of our agreed school policies. Communicate effectively at different levels. Ability to establish good relationships with Governors, staff, parents, pupils and the wider community. An excellent communicator. 	Essential Essential Essential Essential Essential	Application/ Interview/ References Application/ Interview/ References Application/ Interview/ References Application/ Interview/ References Application/ Interview/ References
	• Experience and knowledge of leading INSET for staff.	Desirable	Application/ Interview/ References
Attributes	 Ability to communicate effectively with colleagues to ensure continuity of provision for pupils. 	Essential Essential	Application/ Interview/ References Application/ Interview/ References
	 Sensitive to the needs of pupils, parents and the community. A willingness to accept and effect change. A positive attitude. Good interpersonal skills 	Essential Essential Essential Essential	Application/ Interview/ References Application/ Interview/ References Application/ Interview/ References Application/ Interview/ References
Additional Requirements			
	 Operate with the highest standards of personal/professional conduct and integrity 	Essential	Application/ Interview
	 Willing to work flexibly in accordance with policies and procedures to meet the operational needs of the Trust. 	Essential	Application/ Interview
	 Willingness to attend extra-curricular activities, including fund raising events, in own time. 	Desirable	Application/ Interview
	 Willing to undertake training and continuous professional development in connection with the post. 	Essential	Application/ Interview
	• Work in accordance with the Trust's values and behaviours.	Essential	Application/ Interview
	• Able to undertake any travel in connection with the post.	Essential	Application/ Interview
	• Able to demonstrate sound understanding of equality/diversity in the workplace and services provided especially in the access	Essential	Application/ Interview

to delivery of the education of pupils and of own non-discriminatory practice and attitude		
 Satisfactory DBS disclosure to work in an environment dealing with young people 	Essential	Application/ Interview
 Ability to form and maintain appropriate relationships and personal boundaries with children, young people and vulnerable adults 	Essential	Application/ Interview
 A commitment to safeguarding and promoting welfare for all 	Essential	Application/ Interview