

EMPLOYEE SPECIFICATION:

Detailed below are the types of skills, experience and knowledge that are required of applicants applying for the post. The 'Essential Requirements' indicate the minimum requirements, and applicants lacking these attributes will not be considered for the post. The points detailed under 'Desirable Requirements' are additional attributes to enable the applicant to perform the position more effectively or with little or no training. They are not essential, but may be used to distinguish between acceptable candidates.

SKILLS	Ess	Des	MOA
High level of written, oral and communication skills	*		
Ability to communicate effectively orally and in writing to a range of audiences	*		
High level of organisational and planning skills	*		
An excellent classroom practitioner	*		
Work effectively as part of a team, relating well to colleagues, pupils and parents	*		
Ability to demonstrate a commitment to equality of opportunity for all pupils	*		
Ability to investigate, solve problems and make decisions	*		
Management of people and resources	*		
Able to use own initiative and motivate others	*		
Ability to demonstrate high level ICT skills in personal and educational situations	*		
Ability to relate to and empathise with pupils and to develop trusting and respectful relationships with them	*		
Respect for confidentiality of information concerning individual pupils and ability to use discretion in circumstances of disclosure	*		
Ability to offer expertise in a specific subject or area		*	
Ability to teach across primary age range	*		
Commitment to an involvement in extra-curricular activities.	*		
Evidence of sharing in and contributing to the corporate life of the school.	*		

KNOWLEDGE/PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT	Ess	Des	MOA
Knowledge of current educational practice and issues	*		
Evidence of continuing professional development	*		
Take responsibility for their own professional development		*	

Knowledge of the provisions of national strategies, i.e. Literacy, Numeracy and ICT	*		
Effective use of ICT to support learning	*		
Any statutory curriculum requirements and the requirements for assessment, recording and reporting of pupils' attainment and progress.	*		
Full working knowledge of relevant policies/codes of practice/legislation	*		
Knowledge of all phases of primary/secondary education (as appropriate)		*	
Understanding of the implications of the Code of Practice for Special Educational Needs for teaching and learning		*	

LEADERSHIP	Ess	Des	MOA
As the lead professional in the classroom show an ability to advise and support other staff	*		
Establish clear expectations and constructive working relationships in your own classroom through team working and mutual support; devolving responsibilities and delegating tasks where appropriate	*		
Plan, allocate, support and evaluate work undertaken by other staff in the classroom	*		
Lead professional development through example and support		*	

OTHER CONDITIONS	Ess	Des	MOA
Registered with Teaching Agency	*		

DISPOSITION AND ATTITUDE	Ess	Des	MOA
Positive and optimistic attitude towards School Improvement and Inclusion	*		I
Open-minded and receptive to new ideas, approaches and challenges	*		I
Places high priority on effective team working and works easily and comfortably in a team environment	*		I
Commitment to an involvement in extra-curricular activities.	*		I
Evidence of sharing in and contributing to the corporate life of the school.	*		I

METHOD OF ASSESSMENT(MOA)	A = Application Form
	T = Test
	I = Interview
	C = Certificate