PERSON SPECIFICATION – SUBJECT LEADER OF GEOGRAPHY

Criteria	Essential	Desirable	Evidence source
Qualified Teacher Status	✓		Application
Recent experience in an 11-18 or 11-16 school	✓		Application
An effective teacher who has a good rapport with	✓		Reference
students of all abilities			Teaching task
Proven experience of A level teaching		✓	Application
			Reference
A good first degree in Geography – a 2:1 or 1 st class honours preferably	√		Application
Evidence of continuous professional development of skills, knowledge and capabilities relating to the teaching of Mathematics	✓		Application
Proven ability to innovate, take risks, initiate change	✓		Application
and sustain development			Reference
			Interview
Clarity of purpose, a student-centred vision and a Growth Mindset	✓		Application
			Reference
			Interview task
Good personal and interpersonal skills, and a team-	✓		Reference
builder			Interview
Good oral and written communication	✓		Application
			Interview
Good time-management and personal organisation	\checkmark		Reference
Must support the school's aims and values, setting a	\checkmark		Reference
good example of attendance, punctuality and appearance			
Must have a flexible, supportive and approachable	✓		Reference
manner providing an emotionally intelligent role			Interview
model for colleagues			
Passionate about the learning and achievement of	✓		Interview
every student			
Significant experience of middle leadership and	✓		Application
management			Reference
Experience of liaising with outside agencies	✓		Application
			Reference
Experience of chairing meetings and public	✓		Application
communication			Interview task
Experience of managing a budget	✓		Application
			Reference
Confident about using data systematically and, when	✓		Application
appropriate, confidentially			Reference
			Interview task
Good personal word-processing and other ICT skills		 ✓ 	Application
			Reference