

PERSON SPECIFICATION

POST: Design Technology Teacher

Essential	Desirable	Evidence
Experience: (Teaching practice or as a qualified teacher) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teaching experience at secondary level. Planning and assessing pupils' work at various levels. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> KS4 examination groups. Performing the role of the form teacher. Teaching pupils with special educational needs. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Letter Application form
Qualifications: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Degree level qualification. Qualified teacher status. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Application form
Specialist knowledge: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Detailed subject knowledge. Detailed knowledge of National Curriculum Orders for DT. Key issues in the teaching of DT. Effective teaching practices, including differentiation. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The place of DT in the wider curriculum. An ability to use both 2D and 3D CAD software. Experience of using CAM machines. Experience of working in a manufacturing or engineering environment. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Letter Interview
Competencies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Good teaching skills. Good communication skills. Good interpersonal skills. The ability to work as part of a team. ICT skills. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Administrative skills. Skills in mentoring pupils. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reference Interview Letter
Others: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> An educational philosophy which values equal opportunities and the importance of the individual. A willingness to be self-critical and a desire for self-improvement. Self-motivation. Adaptability. A sense of humour. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A commitment to extra-curricular activities, including after-school DT activities. Awareness and interest in vocational aspects of the curriculum. An innovative and creative person. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Letter Interview Reference