

PERSON SPECIFICATION

Senior Technician (Science)

	Essential	Desirable	How Assessed
Qualifications:			
NVQ3 in Laboratory and Associated Technical Activities (LATA) or NVQ3 for Laboratory Technicians in Education or Level 3 Certificate in Laboratory Technical Skills or equivalent		✓	Application form
Experience:			
Knowledge of Health & Safety legislation as it relates to the work of a school	✓		Application form; at interview and reference
Knowledge of COSHH and ESCC regulations in relation to the safe handling and storage of chemicals	✓		Application form; at interview and reference
Knowledge of safe working practices in relation to the handling and usage of hazardous equipment and tools	√		Application form; at interview and reference
Background in a Science environment	✓		Application form; at interview and reference
Personal and Professional Skills and Attributes	:		
Ability to carry out risk assessments in relation to laboratory work	✓		Application form and at interview
Ability to design, develop and maintain specialist resources	✓		Application form and at interview
Ability to prepare equipment and materials for lessons, as requested by the teaching staff	✓		Application form and at interview
Highly motivated and enthusiastic	✓		Application form and at interview
High professional standards	✓		Application form and at interview
Ability to effectively direct the work of a team	✓		Application form and at interview
Ability to offer professional guidance and assistance to students and teachers on the practical aspects of the curriculum	✓		Application form and at interview
Ability to maintain a range of tools and equipment	✓		Application form and at interview
Ability to work effectively as a member of a team	✓		Application form and at interview
High quality organisational skills	✓		Application form and at interview
Ability to work in an organised and methodical manner	✓		Application form and at interview

Ability to establish positive relationships with pupils	✓		Application form and at interview
Willingness to play a part in the wider life of the Academy		✓	Application form and at interview

Requirements from confidential references:

	Essential
Written reference(s) only	✓
Confirmation of professional and personal knowledge, skills and abilities	√
Positive recommendation from current employer	✓
In addition to the above selection criteria, the Greenwood Academies Trust will require the appointed candidate to undertake a Disclosure Barring Service (DBS) Enhanced Disclosure and medical questionnaire in accordance with safer recruitment guidelines.	✓