

The Cardinal Hume Academies Trust



St Thomas More Catholic School

PERSON SPECIFICATION – Head of Media Studies

- ✓ A QTS qualified graduate.
- ✓ Teaching experience in a range of schools, preferably including an urban, multi-cultural 11 – 18 school.
- ✓ A track record of outstanding teaching.
- ✓ Record of success through department or other whole school responsibility.
- ✓ A clearly articulated vision for Media Studies.
- ✓ Ability to lead and manage effectively, create a coherent and effective team, respond well to challenge.
- ✓ Leader of change, able to motivate, coach and mentor colleagues.
- ✓ Experience in teaching Media Studies at GCSE BTEC and A Level.
- ✓ Lead and co-ordinate planning for the department
- ✓ Good ICT skills and experience of using them in a classroom situation.
- ✓ The willingness to promote your subject during school events such as Open Evenings.
- ✓ A willingness to deliver additional lessons after school, Saturday and holidays for additional remuneration.
- ✓ Ensure all deadlines are met, as published on the school calendar.
- ✓ A commitment to forge positive professional relationships.
- ✓ A commitment to work with parents for the best possible outcomes of their children.
- ✓ A commitment to the implementation of the school's policies.

- ✓ To be proactive and take responsibility for matters relating to child protection and health and safety in school and during school trips.
- ✓ Willingness to undertake additional training/staff development as appropriate.
- ✓ Support and actively promote the aims of the school's ethos as a Catholic school.