

## The Gainsborough Academy

## **Person Specification - Classroom Teacher**

The Academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

<u>Key Areas</u>	Method of Assessment
(i) Professional experience	
Qualified Teacher Status	Application Form, Documentation
Evidence of participation in professional development or study	Application Form
Successful teaching experience or evidence of successful completion of initial teacher training	Application Form, References
<ul> <li>Working in a socially and culturally diverse school community</li> </ul>	Application Form, References
<ul> <li>Knowledge of the National Curriculum requirements</li> </ul>	Application Form, Interview, References
<ul> <li>Understands and is familiar with teaching and learning strategies</li> </ul>	Application Form, Interview, References
(ii) Ability to work within a professional team and to develop and promote the school's ethos and values within the Primary/Secondary Phase or Special School	
Teaching to a high standard	Interview, References
Relates to and motivates pupils	Interview, References
Works well within and contributes to team development	Interview, References
Understands and values the processes of planning monitoring and evaluation as an aid to raising standards	Interview, References
Good classroom management	Interview, References
Evidence of a commitment to an equal opportunities policy both in service employment	Application Form, Interview, References
<ul> <li>Awareness of safeguarding and child protection methods</li> </ul>	Interview



(iii) Ability to Communicate Clearly	
Good written and oral communication skills	Assessment Process, Interview
Good presentational and ICT skills	Assessment Process, Interview, References
Skilled in conflict resolution	Application Form, Interview, References
(iv) Ability to Lead	
Clear vision for the future of education and able to think strategically.	Application Form, Interview
<ul> <li>Respond effectively and efficiently to daily challenges</li> </ul>	Application Form, Interview
<ul> <li>To make decisions on the basis of sound judgement</li> </ul>	Interview, References
<ul> <li>Identify potential for individual development</li> </ul>	Interview, References
<ul> <li>Have strategies to monitor and evaluate developments</li> </ul>	Interview, References
<ul> <li>Have mentoring, motivational and coaching skills</li> </ul>	Application Form, Interview, References
Be a professional role model	Interview, References
(v) Personal Qualities	
Be enthusiastic and determined	Application Form, Interview
<ul> <li>Able to work under pressure and recognise and manage stress</li> </ul>	Application Form, Interview
Have flexibility, sensitivity and tact	Application Form, Interview
Commitment to ongoing and professional development	Application Form, Interview