**Responsibility for KS3 Curriculum - English**

**Person Specification**

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|  | **Essential** | **Desirable** |
| **Qualifications** | * Degree * QTS | * Evidence of continuing professional development |
| **Knowledge, Skills** | * Understanding of how English contributes to the education of children * Understanding of the constituents of a good lesson * Detailed knowledge of own subject * Understanding of KS3 English curriculum * Ability to analyse and evaluate performance of themselves and others and make decisions about priorities for future improvement * ICT literate * Very good classroom teacher * Ability to work as part of a team * Good communication skills * Analytical / Reflective | * Knowledge of innovative practice in teaching, learning and curriculum development * Understanding of English provision in the primary sector |
| **Experience** | * Experience of curriculum development / resource production * Teaching English successfully | * Experience of leading an initiative, changes to Schemes of work, Key Stage or similar within your curriculum area |
| **Personal Qualities** | * Like children * Assertive / Persuasive * Resilience * Ability to relate to students, staff, parents etc * Healthy with an excellent attendance record | * Sense of humour * Desire to seek further promotion * Willingness to contribute to other aspects of school life |