

**PERSON SPECIFICATION**

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| **JOB TITLE** | Teacher of Classics |
| **DEPARTMENT/SECTION** | Classics |

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| **CRITERIA** | **ESSENTIAL** | **DESIRABLE** |
| **QUALIFICATIONS:** |  |  |
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| A good degree from a recognised university | 🗸 |  |
| * A post-graduate teaching qualification |  | 🗸 |
| **EXPERIENCE:** |  |  |
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| * Experience of teaching |  | 🗸 |
| * Experience of working with children or young people | 🗸 |  |
| **KNOWLEDGE & SKILLS:** |  |  |
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| * Ability to effectively plan for, teach and assess pupil progress in the understanding of Classical languages * Ability to teach Latin and Classical Greek – both languages and literature up to A Level * A deep and infectious subject knowledge * Ability to teach Classical Civilisation A Level * Ability to communicate with pupils in a lively and enthusiastic manner | 🗸  🗸  🗸 | 🗸  🗸 |
| * Ability to use a range of teaching strategies to enthuse the full range of abilities | 🗸 |  |
| * Excellent communication skills | 🗸 |  |
| * Understanding of the interests and concerns of children | 🗸 |  |
| * Good time management and organisation skills | 🗸 |  |
| * Attention to detail | 🗸 |  |
| * The ability to apply personal knowledge and experience to the subject | 🗸 |  |
| * An awareness of current trends and challenges in Classics teaching |  | 🗸 |
| **APTITUDES:** |  |  |
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| Safeguard and promote the welfare of children | 🗸 |  |
| Contribute to the wider life of the School | 🗸 |  |
| A proven ability to work as a member of a team | 🗸 |  |
| Motivation to work with children and young people | 🗸 |  |
| Ability to form and maintain appropriate relationships and personal boundaries with children and young people | 🗸 |  |
| Positive attitude to use of authority and maintaining discipline | 🗸 |  |

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