HEAD OF TECHNOLOGY

	<u>Essential</u>	<u>Desirable</u>	How determined
Qualifications	Good degreeQTSEvidence of on-going training	Other professional studyTraining in management and leadership	Application form
Experience	 At least 3 years recent and relevant KS3, KS4 and KS5 experience Evidence of being an excellent classroom teacher Track record of excellent results Experience as a form tutor 	 Examination Board work Experience of working in more than one school Some leadership/management experience Involvement in leading curriculum development in KS3, KS4 or KS5 Experience of planning change Experience of departmental budget management 	Application form, letter, references, interview
Knowledge	 Curriculum KS3, KS4 and KS5 in Technology Examination and assessment methods Pedagogy in Technology How to motivate and inspire students Clear vision for the subjects in school and future developments in the whole curriculum 		Letter, references, interview
<u>Skills</u>	 Leadership and management The ability to enthuse and inspire Communication and interpersonal skills Analytical and problem solving skills The ability to hold colleagues to account Good administrative skills and good organiser Good classroom management skills Ability to support others with classroom management and curriculum delivery 		Letter, references, interview

Qualities	 Energy, motivation and ability to use initiative Strong presence, self-confidence Approachability, commitment – a good teamplayer and team leader Sense of humour and sense of proportion The ability to prioritise and keep matters in perspective The personality to handle challenging students successfully and treat students with respect Optimism A good tutor 		References, interview
Values	 The power of education to shape lives The value of hard work Equality of opportunity Moral purpose, integrity and compassion Accountability to students, parents and community 	 Commitment to co-educational comprehensive education A willingness to contribute to extra-curricular activities 	Letter, references, interview