

PERSON SPECIFICATION TEACHER

Experience

Essential

 Proven record of effective teaching, where applicable, although this should not deter a candidate applying for their first teaching role

Desirable

Participation in and contribution to extra-curricular activities

Education and Qualifications

Essential

Degree in relevant subject

Desirable

- Qualified Teacher Status
- Evidence of continuous professional development

Knowledge

Essential

- High level of subject knowledge
- Knowledge of current curriculum
- Knowledge of how to provide effectively for the needs of all children
- Full understanding of the level of personal and professional commitment to boarding school community life and the extended school day during term time

Desirable

An understanding of the independent school sector

Personal Skills, Qualities and Attributes

Essential

- A positive and child-centred individual
- Excellent interpersonal skills with colleagues, parents and pupils
- Ability to
 - Create a happy, challenging and effective learning environment
 - Establish a rapport with children, engaging them, keeping them focused and motivated
 - Respond effectively to children and adapt teaching approach
 - Demonstrate teaching and learning taking place in the classroom
- To be good humoured and enthusiastic
- Strong communication skills, both verbal and written, to a variety of audiences
- Strong team working skills
- Well organised with good planning skills
- Able to stay calm under pressure
- Smart and presentable appearance