

## PERSON SPECIFICATION

## **POST: Teacher of History**

| Essential  | Desirable  | Evidence   |
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| <ul> <li>Experience:<br/>(Teaching practice or as an<br/>unqualified or qualified teacher)</li> <li>Teaching experience at<br/>secondary level.</li> <li>Planning and assessing pupils'<br/>work at various levels.</li> </ul>                                 | <ul> <li>KS4 examination groups.</li> <li>Performing the role of the form teacher.</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Application<br/>form</li> </ul>                                   |
| <ul> <li>Qualifications:</li> <li>English and Maths GCSE, C or above.</li> <li>Qualified teacher status.</li> <li>Degree level qualification.</li> </ul>   |  | <ul> <li>Application<br/>form</li> </ul>                                   |
| <ul> <li>Specialist knowledge:</li> <li>Detailed subject knowledge in<br/>History.</li> <li>Subject knowledge in History.</li> <li>Key issues in the teaching of<br/>History.</li> <li>Effective teaching practices,<br/>including differentiation.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Relevant research and national inspection evidence.</li> <li>The place of History in the wider curriculum.</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Application<br/>form</li> <li>Interview</li> </ul>                |
| <ul> <li>Competencies:</li> <li>Good teaching skills.</li> <li>Good communication skills.</li> <li>Good interpersonal skills.</li> <li>The ability to work as part of a team.</li> <li>IT skills.</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Data analysis skills.</li> <li>Skills in mentoring pupils.</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Reference</li> <li>Interview</li> <li>Application form</li> </ul> |
| <ul> <li>Others:</li> <li>A willingness to be self-critical and a desire for self-improvement.</li> <li>Self-motivation.</li> <li>Adaptability.</li> <li>A sense of humour.</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>A commitment to extra-<br/>curricular activities.</li> <li>Awareness and interest in<br/>vocational aspects of the<br/>curriculum.</li> <li>An innovative and creative<br/>person.</li> </ul> | <ul><li>Interview</li><li>Reference</li><li>Application form</li></ul>     |