

PERSON SPECIFICATION

HEAD OF MEDIA POST TITLE

All staff have a responsibility for promoting and safeguarding the welfare of children and young people s/he is responsible for or comes into contact with

	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications	Degree in relevant subjectPGCE	Recent INSET in Media Education/ Curriculum Management
Experience	 An effective teacher with experience across the full age and ability range Successful experience of Level 2 and 3 Media Studies Ability to share their experience to sustain a curriculum which is sensitive to the needs of all children 	 Understanding of needs and strategies for effective differentiation Experience of both GCSE & A Level Media courses as well as Level 2 and 3 Vocational Media courses Experience of a range of teaching and learning styles Experience of teaching Film Studies
Ability/Skills	 Able to translate an idea into curriculum delivery Perception of the post as a management role Able to demonstrate clear understanding of educational issues Able to effectively manage administration Willingness to motivate colleagues 	 Willingness to acquire skills as appropriate eg ICT Ability to manage a budget
Equal Opportunities	Awareness of equal opportunity issues and how these can be addressed in the classroom environment	Willingness to help formulate and implement equal opportunities policies
Safeguarding	 Commitment to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people 	
Disposition	 Ability to work hard with competing deadlines, prioritising appropriately, and maintaining good humour To be interested in children as individuals, in how they learn and be committed to the comprehensive ideal To believe in the importance of team work and a collaborative approach, and be able to build supportive working relationships with colleagues both within and outside the department Evidence of commitment to and understanding of collective responsibility 	Commitment to the notion of whole school, and whole Faculty policies