

Teacher of English – Person Specification

Role: To teach English across KS3 and KS4

Experience

It is essential that successful applicant will have:

- Experience of teaching English at KS3 and KS4
- A record of successful English teaching or positive placement references

It is desirable that the successful applicant will have:

- Experience of teaching the new specification GCSE English
- An understanding of target setting and using tracking data

Education and training

The person appointed will:

- Be recognised as a qualified teacher
- Have obtained a degree, or equivalent, in a relevant discipline
- Be committed to his/her ongoing development as a professional teacher

Special Abilities and Aptitudes

The principal hopes to appoint someone who can demonstrate their ability to:

- Inspire and motivate young people
- Become a role model for the young people
- Express their passion for English in the classroom
- Develop good personal relationships with a team
- Use data to maximise student potential
- Create a happy, challenging and effective learning environment
- Establish and develop strong relationships with parents and carers
- Contribute to the department's extra-curricular activities programme
- Contribute to the school's PSHEE programme

Personal Qualities

The successful applicant will:

- Be a role model in safeguarding the needs of young people
- Be approachable, enthusiastic and imaginative