

**Person Specification – EYFS/Year 1 Class Teacher**

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|  | **ESSENTIAL** | **DESIRABLE** |
| **Qualifications:** | * Qualified Teacher Status
 | * Professional qualifications in a subject relevant to the Primary age range
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| **Experience** | * Experience of effective EYFS/Year 1 teaching
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| **Professional knowledge and understanding/****qualities** | * Excellent EYFS classroom practitioner
* Committed to equality for all pupils.
* Understanding of Assessment for Learning
* Understanding of a range of strategies to raise pupil achievement
* Good organisational skills including planning, monitoring and evaluation
* Excellent behaviour management skills
* Good IT skills
* Understanding of Assessment and Tracking
* Seeks innovative approaches to learning and teaching
 | * Knowledge of current educational legislation, developments and initiatives
* Understanding of SEN and Gifted and Talented
* Experience of working in a successful team
* Knowledge of teaching a creative curriculum
* Knowledge of using computing within the curriculum
* Knowledge and understanding of identifying, communicating and implementing school priorities
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| **Professional Development** | * A strong commitment to undertake further professional development
 | * Have recently undertaken a balanced programme of training
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| **Personal Skills and Attributes** | * Dynamic, enthusiastic and willing to go the extra mile for the children
* Ability to empathise with pupils and parents
* Self-confidence, enthusiasm and a good sense of humour
* Willingness to work as a team and play an active role in school life
* Ability to be flexible and adaptable in order to teach across the primary age range
* A team player, versatile and ready to sign up to school priorities
* Confident to take the lead and demonstrate resilience, capacity and initiative
* Willingness to lead extra-curricular activities
* Someone who welcomes challenge and is committed to improving their practice on a daily basis
 | * Ambition to develop career in the future
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