

Person Specification Acting Head of Geography

- Cares passionately about the subject
- Is a qualified and experienced Geography teacher, who regularly teaches using ICT
- Has knowledge of the latest 13+ Common Entrance and Scholarship syllabi
- Is enthusiastic and enjoys teaching
- Has an excellent rapport with 11 to 13 year olds
- Has high expectations of pupils' attainment and progress
- Has high expectations of pupils' behaviour and excellent class management skills
- Plans lessons effectively using Assessment for Learning and challenges pupils of all abilities
- Works effectively as a team member, providing leadership and guidance within the department
- Can organise and manage PPA time and responsibilities effectively
- Is willing to organise events and trips to enhance the teaching of the subject
- Has a sense of humour
- Is prepared to embrace extra-curricular opportunities

This role falls within the category of regulated activity, therefore you will be required to have an enhanced DBS check and a barred list check. Should you receive any cautions or convictions whilst in our employment these must be reported immediately to your line manager.

The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment and work in accordance with our child protection policies and procedures.

The post holder's responsibility for promoting and safeguarding the welfare of children and young persons for whom he/she is responsible, or with whom he/she comes into contact will be to adhere to and ensure compliance with the school's policies at all times. If in the course of carrying out the duties of the post, the post holder becomes aware of any actual or potential risks to the safety or welfare of children in the school, he/she must report any concerns to the school's Safeguarding Officer or Deputy.