

PERSON SPECIFICATION

SCHOOL

TEACHER

Experience

Essential

• Proven record of effective teaching

Desirable

• Participation in and contribution to games, matches and extra-curricular activities

Education and Qualifications

Essential

- Degree in relevant subject
- Qualified Teacher Status

Desirable

• Evidence of continuous professional development

Knowledge

Essential

- High level of subject knowledge
- Knowledge of current curriculum
- Knowledge of how to provide effectively for the needs of all children
- Full understanding of the level of personal and professional commitment to boarding school community life and the extended school day during term time

Desirable

• An understanding of the independent school sector

Personal Skills, Qualities and Attributes

Essential

- A positive and child-centred individual
- Excellent interpersonal skills with colleagues, parents and pupils
- Ability to:
 - Create a happy, challenging and effective learning environment
 - Establish a rapport with children, engaging them, keeping them focused and motivated
 - Respond effectively to children and adapt teaching approach
 - Demonstrate teaching and learning taking place in the classroom
- To be good humoured and enthusiastic
- Strong communication skills, both verbal and written, to a variety of audiences
- Strong team working skills
- Well organised with good planning skills
- Able to stay calm under pressure
- Smart and presentable appearance