Person Specification: Bursar/Business Manager



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| Qualifications Experience | Relevant accounting qualification. High standard of literacy, numeracy and ICT skills. Experience in leadership/management at Senior Management level. Experience of monitoring performance of staff and contractors. Relevant financial and business experience. | University Degree or higher academic qualification. Further degree/ACCA/CIMA/CSBM/Business qualification. Experience of working with a (school) management information system (iSAMS) and Office 365. Experience of appraisal and performance management. Experience of working in an educational environment. Experience of premises development/buildings maintenance. |
| Knowledge & Skills | A passion for excellence in education and a commitment to high achievement. Ability to lead on all financial matters. Ability to lead on all health and safety and risk assessment matters. Substantial understanding of compliance issues. Ability to relate to all staff in a positive and constructive way and inspire them to achieve their personal potential. Ability to earn the respect of staff, governors and parents. Ability to build upon the strengths and expertise of individual staff and possess the flair to motivate. Be capable of leading and contributing to the work of the Senior Management Team. Ability to chair and work within a committee effectively. Ability to lead and manage people to work as individuals and as a team towards a common goal. Be an effective and confident communicator, having a good command of English, both spoken and written to all audiences. | Compliance Team Inspector Status. Proficient in Sage 200. |

| | Ability to communicate the School's values and a desire to promote a positive image of the School. Ability to work as a team and on one's own as well as build constructive relationships. Capacity to respond to changing needs with vision and ability to translate vision into practical policies. Ability to use current Windows based packages including Microsoft Word, Excel, Outlook and PowerPoint as well as financial and premises software relevant to this role. | |
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| Personal Qualities | A commitment to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. To display the highest levels of integrity and complete trustworthiness and discretion. Have strong leadership qualities. Be a problem solver, think strategically, able to reflect upon one's own practice and to analyse problems, reach judgments and resolve issues. Be highly organized and self motivated with the ability to prioritise and work to tight deadlines whilst retaining a professional composure. A commitment to continuing professional development of staff and self. Have an excellent punctuality and attendance record. Be of smart professional appearance. Display optimism, flexibility, resilience and a well developed sense of proportion and humour. Confident and authoritative. | An awareness of the importance of confidentiality and data protection. Conversant with relevant educational issues and developments within the specific field but also in more general areas. |