PERSON SPECIFICATION: Teacher of Science

Criteria	Essential	Desirable	Evidence source
Qualified Teacher Status (or pending PGCE/QTS	√		Application
outcome)	•		
Recent experience in an 11-18 school	✓		Application
A good first degree in a related subject – a 2:1 or a	√		Application
1 st class honours preferably	v		
Evidence of knowledge and capabilities relating to		✓	Application
the teaching to A level		•	
Clarity of purpose and a student-centred vision	✓		Application
			Reference
			Interview
Good personal and interpersonal skills	✓		Reference
			Interview
Good oral and written communication	✓		Application
	v		Interview
Good time-management and personal organisation	✓		Reference
Must support the school's aims and values, setting a			Reference
good example of attendance, punctuality and	✓		Interview
appearance			
An effective teacher who has a good rapport with	√		Reference
students of all abilities	v		Teaching task
Passionate about the learning and achievement of	✓		Reference
every student	v		Interview
Confident about using data to improve levels of			Application
achievement		✓	Reference
			Interview task
Demonstrate a Growth Mindset attitude towards	√		Reference
life and show great resilience	V		Interview task
Must have a great work ethic and enjoy working	√		Reference
hard	•		Interview task
Good personal word-processing and other ICT skills		√	Application
		•	Reference