

Teacher of Music Person Specification

	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications and Training	Qualified Teacher Status (either already achieved or expected to achieve before the start of employment) Undergraduate degree	Masters degree in subject or education- related field Subject-specific qualifications
Skills, Knowledge and Experience	Teach the subject to students of all abilities at KS3 and KS4 Engage and motivate students to achieve potential Deliver lessons which provide both access and challenge for all students Show natural enthusiasm for the teaching of your subject and the contribution that subject makes to a broad and balanced education Understand how children learn and progress in their knowledge, understanding and skills of the subject Plan lessons and schemes of work Use ICT proficiently to support learning and for teaching-related administration Use data to track student achievement and to identify interventions needed Commit to advancing student progress	Prove how your students have achieved or exceeded their targets Offer a second subject at KS3 Teach the subject to KS5 Guide students at transition points e.g. KS4 options Work in an urban school Lead a team or initiative Lead a co-curricular activity or club Contribute to wider school life Proactive and creative approach to problem-solving
	Be willing to act as a form tutor Work collaboratively with members of a team Demonstrate excellent teacher-student relationships Display fairness and respect for students and colleagues	

Manage a class of students well, with an understanding of how to build a successful learning environment Liaise effectively with families of students Be a reliable and dependable colleague Have smart personal presentation Demonstrate good timekeeping Comply with school policies Understand and be honest about your own strengths and areas for development Adapt to changing priorities Meet deadlines and manage workload Work effectively under pressure Show resilience, flexibility, humility and a can-do attitude Demonstrate commitment to the school's equality, diversity and inclusion aims Demonstrate commitment to continuing professional development Safeguarding Commit to the protection and safeguarding of children and young people, as defined in Keeping Children Safe in Education 2024