

Person Specification - Teacher of Classics

The school is committed to safeguarding the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

We seek:

- Good honours degree
- QTS or PGCE
- Ability to teach Classics to A-Level and Oxbridge entrance
- Evidence of very good public examination results
- Ability to communicate an infectious enthusiasm for the subject
- Ability to articulate and effectively communicate a vision for the Classics Department
- Ability to design, deliver and assess an effective scheme of work, including the creation of relevant teaching and assessment resources
- Very good understanding of public examination syllabi and assessment objectives
- Ability to use a variety of teaching and learning styles and reach students of all abilities
- Commitment to teaching and learning and a willingness to embrace innovation
- Ability to work as part of a team
- Positive working relationships with colleagues, parents and pupils
- Ability to form and maintain appropriate boundaries with children and young people and emotional resilience in dealing with challenging behaviours
- Very good oral and written communication skills
- Very good in the use of IT
- Very good organisational skills and a desire to extend teaching and learning beyond the classroom
- Ability to take responsibility and show initiative
- Effective time management skills
- Good health and attendance record
- Commitment to the school ethos and the whole school initiatives
- Flexibility and a sense of humour