**Person Specification**

**Teacher of Media**

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|  | **Essential** | **Desirable** | **Means of Assessment** |
| 1. Skills knowledge and attributes
 | * High level of written and verbal communication skills
 | * Knowledge of current education policy and practice
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|  | * The ability to communicate successfully with students and their parents
 | * Expert knowledge and use of new technology
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| * A knowledge of current safeguarding and health and safety issues
 | * Willingness to take on other roles and responsibilities within the department.
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| * The ability to use new technology to a high level
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| * Commitment to equal opportunities
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| * Ability to work independently and make a positive contribution as part of a team
 | * Willingness to work collaboratively across department disciplines on whole department/ school projects
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| * Ability to use assessment data to inform planning
 | * Willingness to lead on data initiatives
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| 1. Qualifications and training
 | * Qualified Teacher Status
 | * A wide range of teaching experience
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|  | * A good honours degree or equivalent professional qualification in a relevant subject area
 | * A 1st class Honours Degree
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| 1. Experience
 | * A passion for your subject.
 | * Ability and willingness to teach a range of subjects.
* Ability and willingness to teach a range of subjects across the Performing Arts disciplines (drama, dance, media and/ or art)
* Ability to teach A Level Media Studies, National Foundation Creative Digital Media and Level 2 BTEC Technical Award Creative Media Production in addition to teaching KS3 Media and Performing Arts
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|  | * Experience in teaching Key Stage 3, 4 and 5 at least on teaching practice.
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| 1. Disposition
 | * Ability to work under pressure
 | * Empathy with students and families from ordinary backgrounds in the North East of England
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| * A good and positive sense of humour
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|  | * Commitment
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| * Hardworking
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| * Display calmness under pressure
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| * Ability to reflective and self critical
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| 1. Other Requirements
 | * A commitment to help further improve this exciting department
 | * A commitment to lead and collaborate in extra-curricular activities. Including the development of established Media Club.
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| * A commitment to enhancing the life chances of all students by supporting the work of the pastoral system, including leading a tutor group.
 | * Enhance the opportunities for students to study and learn in professional contexts through industry workshops and educational visits
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