**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 | A |
|  | * The ability to communicate successfully with students and their parents | * Expert knowledge and use of new technology | A |
| * A knowledge of current safeguarding and health and safety issues | * Willingness to take on other roles and responsibilities within the department. | A I |
| * The ability to use new technology to a high level |  | A |
| * Commitment to equal opportunities |  | A |
| * 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 | A |
| * Ability to use assessment data to inform planning | * Willingness to lead on data initiatives | A L I R |
| 1. Qualifications and training | * Qualified Teacher Status | * A wide range of teaching experience | A |
|  | * A good honours degree or equivalent professional qualification in a relevant subject area | * A 1st class Honours Degree | A |

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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 | A I L R |
|  | * Experience in teaching Key Stage 3, 4 and 5 at least on teaching practice. | * Experience in teaching Key Stage 3, 4 and 5. | A I L R |
| 1. Disposition | * Ability to work under pressure | * Empathy with students and families from ordinary backgrounds in the North East of England | A I |
| * A good and positive sense of humour |  | A I R |
|  | * Commitment |  | A I R |
| * Hardworking |  | A I R |
| * Display calmness under pressure |  | A I R |
| * Ability to reflective and self critical |  | A I |
| 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. | A I |
| * 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 | A I |