Leighton Park School

Old School, Leighton Park, RG2 7ED

Peripatetic Music Teacher – Guitar Person Specification

Education and Qualifications	Essential	Desirable	Assessment
Qualified teacher status		\checkmark	A/I
Good honours graduate		✓	A/I
Commitment to personal/professional development	✓		A/I

Experience	Essential	Desirable	Assessment
Experience of teaching Guitar	\checkmark		A/I

Knowledge and Understanding	Essential	Desirable	Assessment
Secure knowledge and understanding of the concepts and skills in specialist subject	\checkmark		A/I
Clear understanding of the relevant Guitar syllabi and its assessment	\checkmark		A/I
Ability to employ a range of effective teaching, learning styles and assessment methods	\checkmark		A/I
Ability to use assessment data to inform planning and set targets	\checkmark		A/I
Strong command of subject area	\checkmark		A/I

Teaching and Learning	Essential	Desirable	Assessment
Ability to raise achievement for all	\checkmark		A/I
Committed to ensuring excellent standards of behaviour at all times	√		A/I
Excellent communication skills	\checkmark		A/I
Experience of teaching a range of courses	\checkmark		A/I

Skills and Attributes	Essential	Desirable	Assessment
Ability to establish good working relationships and effective teamwork	\checkmark		A/I
Good communication skills	✓		A/I
Excellent role model for staff and students	✓		A/I
Innovatory approaches to lesson delivery		\checkmark	A/I
Ability to generate ideas and drive initiatives	✓		A/I
Willingness to contribute to extra-curricular activities		\checkmark	A/I

Personal Qualities	Essential	Desirable	Assessment
High expectations of students and colleagues	\checkmark		A/I
Highly motivated and able to motivate and inspire students	√		A/I
Enthusiastic and committed	\checkmark		A/I
A passion for teaching	✓		A/I



Open-mindedness	\checkmark	A/I
A forward-thinking approach	\checkmark	A/I
Excellent interpersonal skills	\checkmark	A/I
Ability to be reflective and self-critical	\checkmark	A/I
Display calmness under pressure	\checkmark	A/I
Charismatic - having 'a presence'	\checkmark	A/I

Assessment Key

A Application Form I Interview