

**Teacher of French and Spanish  
Person Specification**

	<b>Essential requirements</b>	<b>Desirable requirements</b>
<b>Experience</b>	<p>Successful teaching in one or more secondary schools or successful teaching practice in one or more secondary schools.</p> <p>Experience of successfully planning, delivering and evaluating a scheme of work or series of lessons.</p> <p>Previous experience of teaching the new GCSE</p>	Experience of living in a French/Spanish speaking country.
<b>Qualifications</b>	<p>Qualified Teacher Status</p> <p>Relevant subject degree</p>	
<b>Knowledge and skills</b>	<p>Sound knowledge and understanding of the secondary MFL curriculum and framework</p> <p>Excellent organisational skills in lesson preparation and delivery</p> <p>Excellent interpersonal and communication skills</p> <p>Ability to teach pupils with a wide range of learning styles.</p> <p>Excellent subject knowledge and the ability to teach in target language essential.</p> <p>Good classroom management skills</p>	Commitment to using the target language as the main means of communication with pupils.
<b>Aptitudes</b>	<p>Ability to work effectively under pressure</p> <p>An aptitude to work as part of a team whilst also being self-motivated and action-orientated</p> <p>Ability to relate well to people at all levels</p> <p>Aptitude for flexible approach to problem solving.</p> <p>An ability to manage own personal stress levels.</p> <p>A commitment to provide a quality education to the pupils and parents of St. Katherine's School.</p> <p>Ability to maintain personal drive and energy.</p> <p>Personal integrity, dedication and commitment to the school and its values.</p>	Flexibility and a willingness to become involved in MFL developments.
<b>Circumstances</b>	<p>Willingness to work irregular hours on occasions</p> <p>Willingness to organise overseas visits as appropriate</p>	

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