CHISLEHURST AND SIDCUP GRAMMAR SCHOOL DESIGN TECHNOLOGY (RESISTANT MATERIALS) TECHNICIAN - PERSON SPECIFICATION

	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE
QUALIFICATIONS	 Good standard of education (to GCSE or equivalent level) Technical qualifications relevant to Resistant Materials, including checking and maintenance of machinery and tools (mainly woodwork). 	 Health and Safety qualifications Proficient in use of school management information systems, MS Word and Outlook
EXPERIENCE, SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE	 Experience of using and maintaining technical equipment and organising a workshop environment Experience of completing risk assessments Experience of working to a strict Health and Safety agenda Evidence of strong organisational and record keeping skills Good literacy, numeracy, ICT, and communication skills Good understanding of classroom, workshop and school health and safety requirements 	 Experience of working in a school environment Experience of stock control, ordering post-purchasing procedures
PERSONAL QUALITIES	 Professional stature to work in a busy school environment Good decision making ability Strong service orientation Interpersonal skills allowing successful liaison with all stakeholders Flexible, diplomatic and balanced in approach Capacity to learn about new technology Willingness to learn about other colleagues' roles Willing and able to share skills and knowledge within the workplace Able to work under pressure, balancing individual activities with needs of others Able to demonstrate appropriate initiative and work unsupervised Self motivated, with a "can do" approach to problem solving and an ability to work autonomously using own initiative Problem solver at an operational level Lateral and creative thinker with innovative ideas and practical solutions 	
SAFEGUARDING	 Suitable to work with children. All positions subject to a satisfactory enhanced DBS disclosure. 	