

**PERSON SPECIFICATION**

**TEACHER OF ENGLISH : Fixed Term Contract**

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|  | **ESSENTIAL** | **DESIRABLE** | **EVIDENCE** |
| **QUALIFICATIONS** **AND TRAINING** | * Qualified Teacher Status
 | * Honours or Higher degree
* Good knowledge of subject
 | * Application Form
* Interview Process
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| **EXPERIENCE** | * Experience of 11 – 16 English teaching
* Organisational skills
 | * Experience of having contributed to extra-curricular activities
 | * Application Form
* Interview Process
* References
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| **KNOWLEDGE** **AND** **VALUES** | * Ability to articulate a sound educational philosophy in line with the school’s aims
* Enthusiasm for learning
* Computer literate /IT skills
* Ability to plan and engage pupils in highly effective learning
* Ability to evaluate your own practice
* Enthusiastic about teaching and working with young people
 | * IT skills to support pupil learning
* Understanding of good practice in teaching
* Knowledge of recent and planned developments in education
* Record of delivering consistently good to outstanding lessons
 | * Application Form
* Interview Process
* References
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| **PERSONAL** **QUALITIES** | * Ability and willingness to work with both colleagues and pupils
* Commitment to further professional development
* Commitment to the school’s continued success
* Team player
* Smart appearance
 | * Commitment to extra-curricular activities
 | * Application Form
* Interview Process
* References
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*The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of vulnerable adults, children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The information requested for applicants is considered to be objectively justified to comply with government guidance on safer recruitment in such areas. Appointment to this post will be subject to a Disclosure and Barring check.*

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