

## Teacher of Religious Studies

### Person Specification

*This academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.*

Education /Training/Qualifications	Essential/ Desirable
Qualified Teacher Status	Essential
A relevant degree	Essential
Experience	
Experience of effective learning and teaching across KS3 and KS4 Religious Studies	Essential
Experience of effective learning and teaching of Religious Studies to KS5	Desirable
Knowledge of National Curriculum requirements and assessment in Religious Studies	Essential
Knowledge of current trends in the teaching of Religious Studies	Essential
Experience of planning, implementing and assessment	Essential
Abilities, Skills and Knowledge	
Ability to teach up to KS5	Desirable
Ability to maintain and promote high standards in learning and teaching, planning and classroom management	Essential
Ability to communicate with parents, students and colleagues effectively	Essential
Ability to set clear targets, track and manage progress and develop strategies to achieve desired outcomes	Essential
Ability and passion to champion all children	Essential
Ability to apply the use of ICT to teaching and learning	Essential
An understanding of local and national policies, priorities and statutory frameworks, including those relating to the safeguarding of children	Essential
Personal Skills and Attributes	
To be an effective form tutor	Desirable

To contribute to the department's extra-curricular programme (e.g. by running clubs, organising competitions, organising visits, producing displays etc.)	Desirable
To have a passionate belief in the school's ethos	Essential
Good written and oral communication skills	Essential
Good Inter-personal skills	Essential
The ability to prioritise time effectively, plan ahead and be forward thinking	Essential
Confidence with an ability to motivate others	Desirable
Commitment, enthusiasm, integrity and reliability	Essential
Flexibility and a willingness to learn	Essential
Ability to work as a member of a team	Essential
Caring, kind and approachable	Essential
Positive and optimistic attitude	Essential
Creative and able to develop new ideas	Desirable