

Person Specification

Job Title: Head of Humanities (History specialism), MFL & Life

Experience	Essential	Desirable
Outstanding knowledge of Humanities education at all levels, Key stage 3 – 5.	✓	
Outstanding knowledge of the Life Curriculum.	✓	
A record of appropriate and continuing CPD & ICT proficiency.		✓
Qualifications		
A degree in History.	✓	
A teaching qualification together with Qualified Teacher Status (QTS).	✓	
Skills		
An outstanding classroom practitioner with a clear direction and vision of the department.	✓	
Commitment to high standards in all aspects of the academy's work	✓	
Able to use a range of teaching and learning strategies	✓	
An understanding of how Assessment for Learning can improve student performance and how to embed this within your department	✓	
Confidence in the use of standard computer packages and how these can be used to enhance student learning	✓	
Able to use student level data to raise standards	✓	
Enthusiasm for your subject	✓	
Creative problem solving together with willingness to take on and develop and try new approaches and ideas	✓	
Ability to relate to students in a pleasant and sympathetic manner and to recognise potential safeguarding issues	✓	
Outstanding relationships with students and staff members, which promotes excellent classroom behaviour and attainment.	✓	
Experience		
Successful teaching of humanities at all key stages 3-5.	✓	
Evidence of managing and leading a new initiate across a department.	✓	
Proven track record of making a difference to students learning and outcomes.	✓	
Other		
Satisfactory Disclosure & Barring Service Check	✓	
Health assessment	✓	

