Person Specification for post of: Lead Teacher (TLR) Pathway 2 (2 posts)



Qualifications, Skills & Knowledge	Essential	Desirable
DfE recognised qualified teacher status (QTS)		Desirable
	X X	
Good knowledge of current thinking and practice in education	X	
Secure knowledge and understanding of Informal and Semi-formal curriculum		
Evidence of Continuing Professional Development	Х	
Capacity to influence people and lead change	Х	
Commitment to continuous improvement	Х	
Good understanding of curriculum development and innovation	Х	
Proven leadership and management skills		Х
Evidence of strong person-centred vision and values	Х	
Experience		
Recent and relevant teaching experience	Х	
Evidence of significant development of a curriculum area or aspect of school provision		Х
Experience of multi-disciplinary working	х	
Experience of successful work with parents, carers and the wider community	X	
Experience of planning and differentiation for students with SEN		Х
Experience of delivering, monitoring and assessing via relevant frameworks		X
(Birmingham Toolkit, Engagement Model)		
Knowledge of successful strategies for improving the quality of provision and students' learning and progress		х
Evidence of high expectations for children and young people's learning and achievement	х	
The capacity to use ICT to improve the quality of provision	Х	
Knowledge of assessment practice and progress tracking		
	X	
A good understanding of the features of high-quality practice for young people with learning difficulties and disabilities	Х	
Wider Professional Responsibilities		
Ability to form respectful and trusting relationships with a range of people,	х	
including parents and carers		
Excellent numeracy and literacy skills with the ability to complete written	х	
reports		
Aware of own strengths and areas for development and actively seeks	х	
feedback and learning opportunities		
Commitment to continuing professional development (including taking	х	
personal responsibility for this)		
Commitment to working with colleagues to improve teaching and learning	Х	
Ability to organise and supervise the work of a staff team	х	
Personal and Professional Conduct		
A passion and enthusiasm for making a difference for young people with SEND	х	
Commitment to school's aims and values	Х	
Commitment to school's aims and values Commitment to equality and inclusive practice	X	
An understanding of and commitment to, positive behaviour support ethos	X	
Ability to manage own time, prioritise tasks and proven organisational skills	X	
Good communication and interpersonal skills		
A commitment to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of our students	X X	
Resilient, flexible and a positive solution focussed approach		
Ambitious, optimistic and forward looking	X	
	X	
Health, physical and emotional capacity for the role	X	
Can maintain personal presentation that sets high standards for staff and	Х	
students		

Leadership		
The ability to lead the school's vision and ethos	х	
A strong commitment to developing other people	х	
Capacity to motivate, inspire and challenge our students, self and other staff	х	
The ability to set challenging targets	х	
The ability to monitor, evaluate and review your own, others and the school's	х	
effectiveness		
Highly effective teamwork skills	Х	
General		
The flexibility to meet the full range of job requirements	Х	
Able to travel to offsite provisions, meetings and events	Х	