



| Criteria | Essential | Desirable | How Identified |
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| Qualifications and Training | QTS, (Not applicable to NQTs) All statutory Basic Skills Qualifications, (NQTs only.) A degree | Further professional qualification Evidence of continued professional development | Application Interview |
| Knowledge and Experience | Experience of working in school with children of Primary School age Experience of assessing, recording, monitoring and reporting of children's progress Knowledge and experience of providing effectively for the needs of individuals, (e.g. classroom organisation, learning strategies.) Knowledge of statutory curriculum requirements Knowledge of the statutory requirements of legislation concerning Equal Opportunities, Health & Safety, SEND and Safeguarding Children Experience of using a range of effective teaching and learning styles. | Record of outstanding teaching Knowledge of Foundation Stage Policy and Practice Knowledge of Foundation Stage Assessment and Monitoring Experience of developing pupil Support Plans Experience of working in a Catholic School | Application Interview References |
| Skills and Abilities | Ability to plan creatively, assess accurately and maintain written records of progress Ability to engage and motivate children to learn effectively Ability to teach outstanding lessons Ability to communicate clearly in a range of contexts and contribute to team meetings Ability to create a stimulating learning environment Ability to use initiative Ability to use IT skills across the curriculum and for administration Ability to ensure confidentiality and professional protocols | Evidence of innovation Aptitude to deploy learning support staff effectively | Application Interview References |

| | • Ability to engage parents in the learning process | | |
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| Personal Qualities | Ability to engage parents in the learning process Supportive of our Catholic ethos Enthusiastic and energetic Team player Aspirational Calm and patient Flexible and professional Punctual and reliable Committed to continuing professional | Practising Catholic Commitment to whole-school development | Interview References |
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