



# Bishop Wilkinson

Catholic Education Trust  
Through Christ, in Partnership

## Person Specification Teacher of Sociology & Politics

Grade: MPS 1-6 / UPS 1-3  
 Hours: 195 days per year – 1 year Fixed Term Contract  
 Location: St Robert of Newminster Catholic School & Sixth Form College  
 Reports to: Head of Department

Person Specification	Essential/Desirable
<b>Qualifications &amp; Training</b>	
Qualified teacher status	D
Degree	E
<b>Experience</b>	
Experience of being involved with teaching and learning initiatives e.g. Sharing Good Practice, coaching, mentoring.	D
Ability to teach Sociology and Politics to KS5	E
<b>Knowledge and Skills</b>	
<b>A distinctive personal vision for a Catholic school:</b>	
A clear vision for an effective Catholic school	D
The central place of Religious Education as a core subject in the school's curriculum	D
The implications for a Catholic school in a diverse community	D
Strategies for strengthening a school's link with the wider community including parents, carers and parish	D
The partnership between the school and the parish community	D

<b>The process of strategic planning for school improvement:</b>	
The principles and practice of effective teaching, learning and assessment	<b>E</b>
Strategies to promote and sustain individual and team professional development	<b>E</b>
<b>Personal Attributes</b>	
Communicate effectively to a range of audiences and in a range of media	<b>E</b>
Build and maintain effective relationships <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prioritise, plan and organise themselves and others</li> <li>• Seek and take account of the views of others</li> <li>• Develop effective teamwork</li> </ul>	<b>E</b>
Convey personal enthusiasm and commitment	<b>E</b>
Loyalty with respect for confidentiality	<b>E</b>
A creative thinker: a good finisher	<b>E</b>

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