

## **Teacher of Design and Technology – Person Specification**

|                                  | Essential  | Desirable  |
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| Qualifications and<br>Experience | <ul> <li>A good degree in a related subject</li> <li>Qualified Teacher Status</li> <li>Experience of working with students of secondary age range of all abilities up to GCSE</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Additional relevant qualifications</li> <li>Experience of teaching to Advanced level</li> <li>Experience of working in a Catholic School</li> <li>Experience of teaching Engineering</li> </ul> |
| Knowledge and Skills             | <ul> <li>Organised, able to plan and prioritise</li> <li>Knowledge of a range of strategies to promote good<br/>behaviour in order to maintain a calm working<br/>environment</li> <li>Ability to support the processes and procedures for<br/>students' learning</li> <li>Confidence to manage classes of students across all<br/>age ranges</li> <li>Ability to use initiative with minimum supervision</li> <li>Professional manner at all times</li> <li>Ability to relate well to students, be an effective role<br/>model and motivate students to achieve success</li> <li>Awareness of policies and procedures relating to<br/>child protection, health and safety, confidentiality,<br/>data protection, safeguarding children</li> <li>Excellent communication skills</li> </ul> |  |

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| Other | <ul> <li>Supportive of school policy and ethos</li> <li>Focus on students achieving high standards</li> <li>Approachable</li> <li>Robust and resilient</li> <li>Highest levels of confidentiality</li> <li>Commitment to quality and continuous<br/>improvement</li> <li>Smart and professional appearance</li> <li>Ability to work both individually and as part of a team</li> <li>Highly committed to St. John Fisher's school and the<br/>Trust</li> <li>Supportive of the Catholic ethos of the Trust</li> <li>Satisfactory DBS disclosure and standard Trust pre-<br/>employment checks</li> <li>A commitment to safeguarding and promoting the<br/>welfare of children and young people and willingness<br/>to participate in and apply appropriate training</li> <li>Uses initiative</li> <li>Ability to deal with students in a firm and sensitive<br/>manner</li> <li>Focus on high standard delivery and performance</li> <li>Clear vision, energy and enthusiasm</li> <li>Commitment to CPD and school procedures in<br/>relation to pay progression</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Practising Catholic</li> <li>Ability to contribute to other aspects of school life</li> </ul> |