



<b>Category</b>	<b>Essential</b>	<b>Desirable</b>
<b>QUALIFICATIONS</b> Qualified Teacher Degree or good professional qualification Evidence of relevant in-service training	✓ ✓ ✓	
<b>KNOWLEDGE</b> Sound understanding of primary practice Sound understanding of assessment, recording and reporting Knowledge and understanding of current educational developments and legislation Sound knowledge and understanding of special educational needs	✓ ✓ ✓	
<b>EXPERIENCE</b> Experience of whole school or key stage curriculum leadership Evidence of innovation Extensive teaching experience Involvement across adjacent key stages	✓ ✓ ✓	✓ ✓ ✓
<b>SKILLS</b> Good communication and interpersonal skills Ability to empower, motivate and enable staff through effective planning and delegation Good classroom practitioner	✓ ✓ ✓	
<b>QUALITIES</b> Ability to be enthusiastic in the drive for excellence Ability to extend strong links with governors, parents and the community Ability to handle the pace of change	✓ ✓ ✓	