

Person Specification

Job Title: Assistant Head of Science

Salary: MPS + TLR 2b

School: Sir John Lawes School

Aim and main purpose of the job

To assist in providing professional leadership and management of a faculty; to assist in securing high quality teaching; effective use of resources; and improved standards of learning, achievement and progress for all students

	Essential	Desirable
Knowledge and Understanding		
Good awareness of current educational developments	✓	
Clear understanding of current issues related to the subject	√	
Ability to plan lessons effectively	√	
An understanding and commitment to the ethos of the School	√	
Evidence of high level classroom skills	\checkmark	
Able to lead on pedagogy and practice across the team	✓	
Skills, Qualifications and training		
Qualified Teacher Status	✓	
Courses of further study relevant to the post		✓
Qualification in the relevant subject	√	
Evidence of active involvement in professional development	√	
Excellent organisation skills	√	
Clear evidence of leadership	\checkmark	
Excellent ICT skills, including Microsoft 365 applications	\checkmark	
Able to ensure that technologies are used effectively to improve		✓
learning.		
Attributes		
Excellent record of attendance	✓	
Ability to work well in a team	\checkmark	

A sense of humour	✓	
Ability to think originally and creatively	✓	
Positive attitude	✓	
Energy and enthusiasm	✓	
Warmth and sensitivity		✓
Excellent rapport with students	✓	
Commitment to the School and the students we serve	✓	
Ability to take initiate, lead, motivate, inspire and support others to achieve excellence	✓	